



Mareen Duvall Waterman

July 22, 1933 - April 28, 2016

Mareen Duvall Waterman died on April 28, 2016, the 60th anniversary of his marriage to Marian Rosswork Waterman, whom he treasured above all else. He was 82.

Mr. Waterman was a prominent local developer, who took great joy in creating homes for families in Queen Anne's and Anne Arundel Counties. He founded Waterman Realty on Kent Island in 1967 and worked there with his son Barry, daughter-in-law Diana, and grandson Kevin until his death.

He was a well-known philanthropist and supported many local charities throughout his life. Mr. Waterman was an avid outdoorsman and enjoyed many wonderful experiences with his family and friends throughout his life.

In addition to Marian and Barry, Mr. Waterman is survived by another son, Reen Waterman; two daughters, Jeanne Lancaster and Joanna Waterman; eight grandchildren; and 12 great-grandchildren.

A visitation will be held on Friday, May 6, 2016, from 2-4 pm and 6-8 pm at the Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A. in Centreville, MD. A funeral mass will be held on Saturday, May 7, 2016, at 11 am, at St. Christopher's Catholic Church in Chester, MD.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Compass Regional Hospice, 255 Comet Drive, Centreville, MD 21617.

Cemetery Details

St. Peter's Catholic Cemetery

5319 Ocean Gateway
Queenstown, MD 21658

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 6. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Centreville Location
408 South Liberty Street
Centreville, MD 21617
(410) 758-1151
info@fhfuneralhome.com

Visitation

MAY 6. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Centreville Location
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Mass

MAY 7. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Christopher's Catholic Church
1861 Harbor Drive
Chester, MD

Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mareen Duvall Waterman*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - May 06, 2016 at 07:08 AM

BP

Great pictorial of a man, a family, a life well lived. Thank you, Mr. Mareen Waterman for touching my life, you made a huge impression.

Barbara Pivec - May 06, 2016 at 08:32 AM

JL

A great tribute to a great and humble man. Over the years, I had the opportunity to work with Bob on some of his projects and serve on committees with him. He touched many people in his life.

Jim Luff - May 06, 2016 at 03:16 PM



“ *Mareen Duvall Waterman*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Mareen Duvall Waterman*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Mareen Duvall Waterman*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mareen Duvall Waterman.*



May 05, 2016 at 09:35 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Mareen Duvall Waterman.*



May 05, 2016 at 12:05 PM



“ *Valerie S. purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Mareen Duvall Waterman.*



Valerie S. - May 04, 2016 at 11:53 PM

TC

“ *Tim Champion purchased the Sacred Duty Spray for the family of Mareen Duvall Waterman.*



Tim Champion - May 04, 2016 at 03:49 PM

TC

“ *The kindest , most genuine , calmest man I have ever met ...*

Tim Champion - May 04, 2016 at 03:00 PM

CC

“ *Charlene Costello lit a candle in memory of Mareen Duvall Waterman*



Charlene Costello - May 04, 2016 at 11:09 AM

CC

In the late eighties I had the pleasure of working for Waterman Realty. Mr. Waterman was one of the kindest most respected gentlemen I have known. He always took the time to answer a question , support a decision, or give his humble advice (always after he listened to what you had to say). Through the years whenever we ran into each other he would always stop, say hello, stand quietly and listen to me ramble, ending the conversation with a smile and hug. A truly respectable man. He will be missed. My most sincere condolences to Mrs. Waterman, Barry, Diana and his entire family. Charlene Costello

Charlene Costello - May 04, 2016 at 11:22 AM

SO

“ *Mareen was a true Queen Anne's County ICON, he will be missed, my condolences to all the family.*

Sam Owings

Sam Owings - May 04, 2016 at 09:13 AM

AE

“ *We had the pleasure of knowing Reenie for many years and extend our condolences to the Family and feel fortunate to have known him. The State is a better place because of all that Reenie and did and make happen. He will be missed by all who had the good fortune of knowing him. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.*

Art and Judy Ebersberger

Arthur Ebersberger - May 03, 2016 at 09:31 PM

BF

“ *My sorrow to the whole Waterman family. I am honored to have known "Bob" .*

bruce foster - May 03, 2016 at 07:03 PM

PW

“ *Mr. Waterman was the definition of the word "gentleman." He was kind, compassionate, witty, a sound and honest business man, and offered advice and support as he sensed you needed or wanted it. He was a gentle man, as well-- quiet but with an awesome presence that commanded a room. Queen Anne's County and all of us in the region will be the poorer for his leaving us, way too soon. He was a great help and advocate to Shore Regional Health as we planned and opened the Emergency Center in Queen Anne's County. A great man, a generous philanthropist who gave and encouraged others to do so. Our thoughts are with Marian, Diana and the entire family. Mr. Waterman has left a lasting legacy to the County and we will not forget him.*

Patti Willis - May 03, 2016 at 09:10 AM

MH

“ *Michael & Teresa Hummel purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mareen Duvall Waterman.*



Michael & Teresa Hummel - May 03, 2016 at 06:01 AM

KD

“ *Kim Dlugosz lit a candle in memory of Mareen Duvall Waterman*



Kim Dlugosz - May 02, 2016 at 07:27 PM

KD

*Aunt Marian and family,
Uncle Rene will truly be missed.
Love Kim and Joe*

Kim Dlugosz - May 02, 2016 at 07:30 PM



“ *Nice man, shared a Brown Bear hunt in Alaska with Rene and 3 other SCI members, Francis Carnes, Bill Strawberry and Art Ebersberger, several years ago. 3 bears were taken on that hunt, 1 by Rene. Enjoyed many conversations with my Co-President of the Chesapeake Chapter of SCI. Haven't seen him in a few years but my thoughts go out to Marian, Barry, Diana and Rene.*

*Ted and Juanita Burgess
North Palm Beach, FL*

Ted Burgess - May 02, 2016 at 04:15 PM

RR

“ *To Barry and all of the Waterman family,*

Our most supportive thoughts are with you all. We know Mr. Waterman was a very impactful person on you as well as the many who knew him. Impact folks never leave us. Carry Mr. Waterman with you always. Carol and I wish you all the very best.

Rodney and Carol Rullman

Rodney and Carol Rullman - May 02, 2016 at 09:58 AM

MC

“ *Michael Canning purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mareen Duvall Waterman.*



Michael Canning - May 02, 2016 at 09:47 AM

GS

“ *Gary Starkey lit a candle in memory of Mareen Duvall Waterman*



Gary Starkey - May 02, 2016 at 08:59 AM

RC

“ *To Barry and the entire Waterman family:
Norma and I want to express our sincere condolences to you all on Bob's passing. For the few years we knew and worked with him, he was always kind, respectful and honest to us both. We learned a good deal about the real estate industry from him and we always thought of him as a quiet and thoughtful colleague and "boss".
During our few years working together I cannot think of a single time when I heard him raise his voice in anger ... an unusual trait for many of us in business.*

Norma and I know he will be missed by everyone with whom he came in contact ... rest in piece Bob ... we're sure you're on the trail of some big game now.

Norma and Bob Campbell

R Campbell - May 01, 2016 at 10:57 PM

EP

“ We will so miss coming back to Maryland and seeing Maureen. He was always so helpful to our family through the years. EJ and I always enjoyed our wonderful conversations and hearing his thoughts on politics, real estate, and everything that was happening on the eastern shore. We have lost a great man. He will always be in our thoughts and prayers.



EJ and Alisa Pipkin - May 01, 2016 at 10:46 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Mareen Duvall Waterman.



May 01, 2016 at 08:37 AM

GP

“ Gene & Lynda Palmatary lit a candle in memory of Mareen Duvall Waterman



Gene & Lynda Palmatary - April 30, 2016 at 09:17 PM

LP

To the Waterman Family: I had the privilege of meeting Mr. Waterman many years ago when I worked for the County Commissioners. He was a man that I highly respected and would always have a minute to chat. He will surely be missed in our County and has left a legacy for many. Prayers and blessings are with you at this time. RIP Mr. Waterman and you will never be forgotten. Lynda Palmatary, Centreville.

Lynda Palmatary - April 30, 2016 at 09:21 PM

GB

Barry, So sorry for your loss. Gordy

Gordy Boone - May 03, 2016 at 10:38 AM

TF

“ *Tracy And Stacey Schulz And Family lit a candle in memory of Mareen Duvall Waterman*



Tracy and Stacey Schulz and family - April 30, 2016 at 12:02 PM

PC

“ *Pat and Francis Carnes purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mareen Duvall Waterman.*



Pat and Francis Carnes - April 30, 2016 at 10:59 AM

SD

“ *I had the Great Fortune of meeting Mr. Waterman after our arrival from Annapolis in 2007. He was one of the most considerate, kind, knowledgeable, measured and interesting people I've had the pleasure of meeting in life. When he entered a room, everyone knew it, everyone felt his presence, everyone was better for being there. I will miss his occasional emails of political & life humor, I will miss his honesty and his purpose, I will miss him. Farewell...*



Steve Donovan - April 30, 2016 at 08:00 AM

JP

“ *John & Phyllis Perkins lit a candle in memory of Mareen Duvall Waterman*



John & Phyllis Perkins - April 29, 2016 at 07:32 PM

MR

“ *My wife Di and I will greatly miss Mr. Waterman. I was so fortunate to meet Mr. Waterman at a Queenstown Town meeting back in 2001 when my wife and I moved into Queenstown. We immediately stuck up conversations revolving around none else than deer and waterfowl hunting. From there, our friendship developed, and I very much enjoyed each and every conversation we had from that point on. He was someone that I looked up to, trusted, and learned from. I truly appreciated and respected Mr. Waterman for all his work in Queenstown and on the Shore. He was a kind and gentle man with a wit and smile like none other. Rest in peace Mr. Waterman and I know you will continue to give the birds heck!*

Matthew reno - April 29, 2016 at 04:00 PM

AP

“ *Art And Lenda Potts lit a candle in memory of Mareen Duvall Waterman*



Art and Lenda Potts - April 29, 2016 at 03:26 PM

PS

“Sheila and I are saddened for the loss to the family of Mr. Mareen Waterman and to the Queen Anne County community. Sheila remembers one of her fondest memories was the sweet gesture Mr. Waterman made when he heard she was leaving the DPW. He visited her office with a gift and thanked her personally for helping him. She will always remember him as a thoughtful and caring gentleman, saying “I am so glad that in these last few years I was able to tell him how much his gesture of kindness meant to me. He will truly be missed.”

Perry first worked with Mr. Waterman on the Citizens Advisory Committee in 1995 to revise the Queenstown Comprehensive Plan. As Queenstown Commissioner we implemented the Wheatland Farm aspect of the Comprehensive Plan. I will always remember him as a genuinely kind and patient gentleman whose efforts and personality will be missed. May God grant the Waterman Family peace and knowing that his spirit will give them comfort. Rest in Peace Mr. Waterman, Perry and Sheila Stutman

Perry and Sheila Stutman - April 29, 2016 at 02:34 PM

JA

“Jane Anthony lit a candle in memory of Mareen Duvall Waterman



Jane Anthony - April 29, 2016 at 02:23 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Mareen Duvall Waterman.*



April 29, 2016 at 01:59 PM



“ *Mr. Waterman was one of the most generous, kind men I have known. It was an honor to know him. He will be greatly missed. We all can learn a thing or two about being a good person from him. I know he is watching us from heaven.*

Heather Guerieri - April 29, 2016 at 01:06 PM



“ *John and Phyllis Perkins*

John & Phyllis Perkins - April 29, 2016 at 12:32 PM



“ *Doug Pierson lit a candle in memory of Mareen Duvall Waterman*



Doug Pierson - April 29, 2016 at 12:25 PM

NP

“ Norma and Bob Priest purchased the Blooming Garden Basket for the family of Mareen Duvall Waterman.



Norma and Bob Priest - April 29, 2016 at 12:21 PM

JH

“ My condolences to all the family of Mr. Waterman as we have been acquainted personally and through his firm and his family for many years. I will always recall and now miss his warm welcome each time we met. Thank you for the advice and for allowing me to be a part of your world. The world is better because you were here.

Jon Haas - April 29, 2016 at 12:16 PM

MH

“ Royce and I are so very sorry for your loss. As a retired employee at Q.A. Cty. Planning & Zoning, I (Martha) had the pleasure of assisting Mr. Waterman during many of his visits there. What a gentleman he was. He will be missed and I know the family will have so many fond memories of him. May God grant you peace at this time and bless you always.
Martha & Royce Herman



Martha & Royce Herman - April 29, 2016 at 11:22 AM