



Margaret E. Phillips

January 11, 1929 - May 9, 2015

Margaret Ellen Phillips of Falls Church, VA, died on May 9, 2015, at Powhatan Nursing Home. She was 86.

Born in Baltimore, MD, on January 11, 1929, she was the daughter of the late William Christopher and Annie C. Kline Nichalson. She attended Western High School in Baltimore, MD. She married Clinton E. Phillips of Baltimore, MD, on October 4, 1947. During her career she worked as a telephone operator for C & P Telephone Company and retired after 28 years of service as Chief Operator for Glen Burnie, MD. They lived in Stevensville, MD, for 28 years, and then retired and moved to Naples, FL, for eight years and then to Sun City Center, FL in 1997. They moved to Centreville, VA, on October 2, 2005.

She was a member of the Single Hill Lions Club in Manassas Park, VA; the Centreville VA Vol. Fire Company,; and was a life member of the Kent Island Vol. Fire Col. Ladies Aux, the Pioneers of America, past worthy matron, and member of the Eastern Star Chapter #69, Centreville, MD; a member of the Centreville United Methodist Church in Centreville, VA; a past member of the Kent Island United Methodist Church, Chester, MD.

Margaret is survived by a daughter, Beverly Mowery Cooper and her husband Dale Cooper of Herndon, VA; an adopted daughter, Beverly Ann Burket and

her husband, Donald of Millersville, MD; three grandsons, Jeffery Mowery of Atlanta GA, Joey and Jamie Cooper of Herndon, VA; and two granddaughters, Melissa Mowery of Alexandria, VA, and Nicole Poth of Millerville; and two great granddaughters, Caitlyn and Hayley Hudgins of Millersville. She was pre-deceased by her husband Clinton Phillips; two brothers, Alton Edward Nichalson and William Christopher Nichalson, Jr.; and a sister, Lillian May Owens.

Services will be held on Friday May 15, 2015, at 11a.m. at Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A. in Chester, MD, where friends and family may visit on Thursday, May 14, 2015, from 6 to 8 p.m. Burial will be in Stevensville Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to Kent Island Volunteer Fire Department, P.O. Box 633 Stevensville, MD 21666.

Cemetery Details

Stevensville Cemetery

808 Main Street
Stevensville, MD

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 14. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Chester Location / Kent Island
106 Shamrock Road
Chester, MD 21619
(410) 643-2226
info@fhfuneralhome.com

Service

MAY 15. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Margaret E. Phillips*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - May 12, 2015 at 08:40 AM



“ *Margaret E. Phillips*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Margaret E. Phillips*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM

BB

“ Mom was always a lady. She never went out without her make up and always was dressed neatly. You would never see her in dirty clothes even when working in the yard. She was always there to listen and offer advice. I was always amazed at her ability to sew her own clothes. She made beautiful garments for herself and Bev Jean and I. She was the only woman I know who wore panty hose with shorts. My funniest memory of her was when she came out of her bedroom wearing an outfit that I thought was a police uniform. It was actually a uniform of Dad's when he was in the merchant marines. I thought someone had broken into the house and I went over a living room chair trying to get out of the house. When I realized it was Mom, we laughed for a long time. She was more of a mother to me than y own mother. I will miss her forever. I love you Mom and hope you and Dad are watching over us all.

Bev Ann Burket - July 09, 2015 at 02:26 PM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Margaret E. Phillips.



May 12, 2015 at 05:48 PM

TP

“ The Mowery's and Philistine's purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Margaret E. Phillips.



The Mowery's and Philistine's - May 12, 2015 at 03:42 PM

CH

“ My childhood memories include your Mom letting us roller skate in your basement while your Father slept upstairs. Midnight snacks (your mom always had the best snacks) and the SVFD Carnivals! Watching the Colts vs the Redskins!!!! Your mom always liked to laugh and have fun and that is how I remember her best! I will miss her greatly, MS Margaret was a blessing to know and have in our lives!

Thank you for sharing her with our family!

Christie Phillips Zimmerman

Christie - May 12, 2015 at 10:19 AM

Angela
Hoerl

“ My Aunt Marg was a beautiful loving crazy lady! I think one of my favorite memories of her is that , she was given a batch of sour dough which obviously smells sour and had been handed down and around for years and she poured it down the the drain because it smelled sour! I will love and miss you always!



Angela Hoerl - May 12, 2015 at 07:52 AM

AW

“ At 13 she was an awesome woman, a another mother and confidant. She was the sweetest person...prayers for your your famuly Bev....



Annette Wilson - May 12, 2015 at 02:15 AM

AH

“ *ANGEL HUFFMAN lit a candle in memory of Margaret E. Phillips*



ANGEL HUFFMAN - May 11, 2015 at 04:04 PM