



Margaret C. Slaughter

January 22, 1924 - November 29, 2010

Margaret Cross Slaughter died at William Hill Manor on November 29, 2010. She was 86.

Born in Baltimore, MD on January 22, 1924, she was the daughter of Elmer H. and Martha Donna Griffith Cross. She attended school in Baltimore, and then continued her education at the College of Notre Dame of Maryland, graduating in 1945 with a dual major in Math and Chemistry. On November 7, 1945, she married Harry D. Slaughter, Jr. at St. William of York Catholic Church in Baltimore, MD. The Slaughters moved to Easton in 1951. Mrs. Slaughter worked as a research chemist at Johns Hopkins Medical Systems. She was also a teacher of home-bound students for the public school system.

Mrs. Slaughter's greatest joy in life was cooking. She was extremely dedicated to the care of her family, and was an avid bridge player. She was a lifelong member of Saints Peter and Paul Catholic Church and was active in the St. Vincent de Paul Society, Junior Auxiliary of the Memorial Hospital at Easton, the Ladies of the Elks Lodge #1622, and a Cub Scout Leader.

In addition to her husband of 65 years, she is survived by her children: Harry D. Slaughter, III, and his wife, Martha van den Berg Slaughter, of Easton, Richard M. Slaughter and his wife, Harriett Downes Slaughter, of Oxford, and Carole Ann Hilberg and her husband, Charles F. Hilberg, Jr., of Upperco, MD;

a sister, M. Donna Bevard of Bothell, WA; 7 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren. Mrs. Slaughter was preceded in death by her parents and her stepfather Albert E. Day.

Friends may call at the Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P. A. in Easton on Thursday, December 2 from 6:00 – 8:00 pm, where the Rosary will be said at 7:30 pm.

A mass of Christian burial will be celebrated on Friday, December 3 at 10:00 am at Saints Peter and Paul Catholic Church, 1210 South Washington Street, in Easton, MD.

Burial will follow at St. Joseph's Cemetery in Cordova, MD.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the St. Vincent de Paul Society, 8648 Commerce Drive, Unit #400, Easton, MD 21601, or your favorite charity.

Arrangements by Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A. in Easton.

Previous Events

Service

DEC 3. 10:00 AM (ET)

Sts. Peter & Paul Catholic Church
1210 South Washington Street
Easton, MD

Tribute Wall



“ Margaret C. Slaughter

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ Margaret C. Slaughter

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ Margaret C. Slaughter

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ Will miss you with all my heart.##imported-begin##Sherri Mueller##imported-end##

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“ Our deepest sympathy for your family's lose.##imported-begin##Linda and Earl Adkins##imported-end##

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“ I remember Mrs. Slaughter and her family fondly, they were our neighbors for many years after moving to Easton in 1960. She was a very kind woman with a great sense of humor. My prayers go out to the family is this most difficult time.##imported-begin##burt sachs-rio rancho, NM##imported-end##

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“ We have been much in prayer for the health issues Margaret has been facing and yet our Father chose to bring her home. Everyone who knew Margaret immediately realized the special countenance she exhibited to all. Her tender spirit, mild manner and humble smile always radiated from her face. Margaret and Harry were the epitome of a covenant marriage and like so many wives, Margaret was major glue in the strength of this wonderful marriage. We will miss this sweet lady but when we consider where she is now residing, we rejoice in the realization she is with her heavenly Father and His Son Jesus and that's a reason to celebrate while we grieve her loss. Praise be to God.##imported-begin##Bob and Barbara Steinweg##imported-end##

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