



Marian Belle Kendall Leiby

February 6, 1928 - February 13, 2016

Marian Belle Kendall Leiby of Centreville, MD, passed away on Saturday, February 13, 2016, at her home. She was 88.

Born on February 6, 1928, in Stanton, DE, she was the daughter of the late Wilbert and Elizabeth Anderson Kendall. She was raised by her grandparent, Walter Kendall of Rock Hall. She attended public school until 5th grade and later graduated from Samuel Ready School for Girls in Baltimore, in 1947.

Mrs. Leiby also lived in New York City, where she attended Pace Institute and took accounting courses. On April 2, 1949, she married George Leiby and moved to Sudlersville, MD. They later built their own home in Centreville in 1951. In the 1960's, she was Den Mother for Cub Scouts Pack # 129 in Centreville. Mrs. Leiby worked for the Centreville Town Office, Church Hill Lumber Co., Ashley Gas, and later took a job as a bookkeeper for Friels Lumber in Queenstown. She worked at Friels for 25 years, retiring in 1989, as head of the accounting department.

She was a lifelong member of the Centreville United Methodist Church and was involved with WSCS fundraising. Mrs. Leiby was also past president of the Women's Auxiliary of the American Legion, Jeff Davis Post # 18 in Centreville, where she was a member for more than 65 continuous years. She enjoyed ceramics, needlepointing, crocheting, and storytime on wheels. When

she was able, she enjoyed crabbing off of the Wye Island Bridge and digging clams in the Delaware Bay.

Mrs. Leiby is survived by her children, Kevin Leiby and wife Beverly of Centreville, who cared for her for the past nine years, and Arthur Leiby of Kennedyville. She was predeceased by her husband, Marion George Leiby, in 2008.

A graveside service was held on Wednesday, February 17, 2016, at 11:00 am, at Church Hill Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Church Hill Cemetery

Cemetery Road
Church Hill, MD

Tribute Wall



“ *Marian Belle Kendall Leiby*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Marian Belle Kendall Leiby*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Art and Kevin and family, I am so sorry for your loss of your mom. My mom, June Schuster Howard, and Marian went to school together at Samuel Ready and became good friends. Marian was my Godmother and I will always cherish the bible she gave me many, many years ago. -- Barb Hester*

Our thoughts and prayers and with you and your family during this difficult time.

--June Schuster Howard

--The Robeys - Patti and Randy, and their daughter Jessica

--Charlotte Howard

--The Hesters - Bob and Barb and their sons and wives, Matt and Charlotte, Brian and Holly and their daughters Hadley and Brinley

Barbara Hester - February 23, 2016 at 08:07 AM

RE

“ *Ronnie&Bonnie Edwards lit a candle in memory of Marian Belle Kendall Leiby*



Ronnie&Bonnie Edwards - February 23, 2016 at 06:33 AM

BT

“ *Please send any donations to Alzheimer's association. Thank you all for your sympathy. Kevin Leiby and his wife Beverly.*

Beverly Testa - February 20, 2016 at 11:08 AM

JE

“ *So sorry to hear of Marians passing, she was a lovely Lady. Sincere condolences to her sons. Jim and Mary Ann Edwards.*

Jim and Mary Ann Edwards - February 19, 2016 at 01:25 PM

BT

Thank you for your condolences. Kevin and his wife Beverly

Beverly Testa - February 20, 2016 at 11:04 AM

JE

“ *Jim And Mary Ann Edwards lit a candle in memory of Marian Belle Kendall Leiby*



Jim and Mary Ann Edwards - February 19, 2016 at 01:21 PM

BN

“ *Barbara Kimbles Nelson lit a candle in memory of Marian Belle Kendall Leiby*



Barbara Kimbles Nelson - February 18, 2016 at 10:29 AM

BN

I just loved her. I did her hair for many years and she was such a lovely person. She made me a ceramic Christmas tree and every year when I get it out I think of her and her thoughtfulness. Rest in peace Marian

Barbara Kimbles Nelson - February 18, 2016 at 10:33 AM

GP

“ *Gene & Lynda Palmatary sent a virtual gift in memory of Marian Belle Kendall Leiby*



Gene & Lynda Palmatary - February 17, 2016 at 09:00 PM

GP

The community has lost a wonderful lady and was loved by so many. Sending prayers and blessings to you at this time. God Bless, Gene and Lynda Palmatary

Gene Palmatary - February 17, 2016 at 09:00 PM



Thank you, Lynda and Gene. I never saw this page until now, May 24, 2025 . Sincerely, Arthur D. Leiby, her son.

Arthur Daniel Leiby - May 24, 2025 at 02:54 PM

LF

“ Louise Foxx lit a candle in memory of Marian Belle Kendall Leiby



Louise Foxx - February 17, 2016 at 11:38 AM

MB

“ Melinda Bain lit a candle in memory of Marian Belle Kendall Leiby



Melinda Bain - February 17, 2016 at 11:36 AM

KP

“ Kim Kendall Pearson lit a candle in memory of Marian Belle Kendall Leiby



Kim Kendall Pearson - February 17, 2016 at 09:04 AM

KP

So sorry to hear about Aunt Marian's passing thoughts & Prayers to her family.

Kim Kendall Pearson - February 17, 2016 at 09:16 AM

Patti Webb

“ Patti Webb lit a candle in memory of Marian Belle Kendall Leiby



Patti Webb - February 17, 2016 at 08:59 AM

DC

“ David And June Clark lit a candle in memory of Marian Belle Kendall Leiby



David and June Clark - February 16, 2016 at 05:42 PM

DS

“ Diane And George Sweitzer lit a candle in memory of Marian Belle Kendall Leiby



Diane and George Sweitzer - February 16, 2016 at 09:41 AM

CW

“ Centreville Methodist Women sent a virtual gift in memory of Marian Belle Kendall Leiby



Centreville Methodist Women - February 15, 2016 at 09:28 PM

CW

Many thoughts and prayers to the family in the loss of a wonderful lady. She was always so helpful with our many dinners, bazaars and bake sales. God Bless. Centreville Methodist Women

Centreville Methodist Women - February 15, 2016 at 09:29 PM