



Marie M. Roe

November 1, 1926 - August 17, 2021

Marie Josephine Mills Roe of Easton, Maryland passed from this life on August 17, 2021. She was 94 years old. Marie was a resident of Candlelight Cove. In her last moments, Marie was surrounded by her loving family.

She was born on November 1, 1926, in Baltimore, Maryland. She was the daughter of the late Marie Kramer Mills Johnson and William Edward Mills. Marie was a graduate of Easton High School in June 1944.

In April 1945, she received an appointment, as a clerk stenographer for the War Department, in Washington D.C. At the conclusion of World War II, she transferred to the Labor Department as Secretary. Following this assignment, she moved to Poughkeepsie, NY, where she worked as a secretary during the day, and sang at night with the LaFalce Brothers Orchestra.

She returned to Easton in 1948, and married William Reynolds Murphy, they had three children. She was employed by the Maryland Department of Public Welfare, as the secretary to the director of the Talbot County Welfare Board in Easton. In 1961, She accepted a position as secretary to the President of Delmarva Narrow Fabrics.

In June 1963, she was married to James Robert Roe of Easton Maryland. In June 1969, Marie returned to work for the State of Maryland, in the capacity of

Executive Secretary to the Director of the Talbot County Department of Social Services, until her retirement in 1991.

After the death of James Robert Roe, Marie enjoyed many years of companionship with her dear friend, T. Franklin Collins, Sr. formerly of Cambridge, Maryland. Together they traveled the world, and enjoyed theatre, and the Arts.

Singing was one of Marie's favorite pastimes, and she particularly enjoyed performing with the touring troupe of the Easton Elk Lodge # 1622. Marie's favorite performances were on the Avalon theatre stage in her hometown of Easton. She was an active member of the Sts. Peter and Paul Catholic Church and sang in the Choir. She was a member of the Talbot County Historical Society, and the Academy of Arts Museum in Easton.

She is survived by her children; Beverly Ann Booth, and her husband Harvey of Ocean View, Delaware, Brandon Reynolds Murphy, and his wife Katie of Easton, Maryland, Susan (NiNi) Marie Stull of Easton, Maryland. Marie has five grandchildren. Colin Reynolds Herlihy, Shannon Marie Stull, Caroline Mills Murphy, Rebecca Guyot Murphy, and Paige McDonald Murphy.

Her service will be graveside at the New Spring Hill Cemetery, Aurora Street, Easton at 11:00 AM, Sunday August 22, 2021. A Celebration of Life reception will follow the burial at the Crystal Room in the Tidewater Inn, 101 E Dover St, Easton, MD at 12:00 noon.

Please, no flowers. We prefer to request any gifts be made to Talbot County Hospice for their wonderful care and service.

Don't remember me with sadness,
Don't remember me with tears,

Remember all the laughter,
We've shared throughout the years.
Now I am contented
That my life it was worthwhile,
Knowing that I passed along the way
I made somebody smile.
When you are walking down the street
And you've got me on your mind,
I'm walking in your footsteps
Only half a step behind.
So please don't be unhappy
Just because I'm out of sight,
Remember that I'm with you
Each morning, noon and night.

Cemetery Details

New Spring Hill

Aurora Street
Easton, MD 21601

Previous Events

Graveside Service

AUG 22. 11:00 AM (ET)

New Spring Hill Cemetery
Easton, MD

Tribute Wall



“ *Marie M. Roe*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Marie M. Roe*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Marie M. Roe*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Mary Baker lit a candle in memory of Marie M. Roe*



Mary Baker - August 27, 2021 at 07:35 PM



“ *May God hold you, help you, and see you through. I will miss Mrs. Marie's beautiful smile. I had the privilege to have spent her last years with her as one of our residents at Candle Light Cove. Hugs to her family who was by her side until the end. Maria F.*

Maria Luiza Fisher - August 20, 2021 at 02:05 PM

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“ Sending my love and condolences to her family. It was my pleasure having Miss Marie as a resident at Candle Light Cove. She will be dearly missed. Stephanie T.

Stephanie Tosten - August 20, 2021 at 12:13 PM

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“ I had the pleasure of seeing Miss Marie almost every week at Candle Light Cove. She loved getting her hair done and always had a pretty smile! What a great lady with a great family who were devoted to her every care. I will miss them all! Love and sympathies , Beth

Beth Pine - August 19, 2021 at 08:18 PM

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“ Miss Marie was our next door neighbor for many years. She was kind and caring who loved her family especially her younger brother, Freddie. We send our deepest sympathy to her family and we are grateful to have known her.
Larry Willis, Susan Luby and Joe Luby

Susan Luby - August 19, 2021 at 08:42 AM