



Marion Dobos

June 30, 1916 - January 1, 2015

Marion Dobos of Easton, MD, died New Year's Day, 2015, at Talbot Hospice House. She was 98.

She was born June 30, 1916, in Los Angeles, CA, the second daughter of Lora Janet Krudop and William Alvin Black. When Marion was one, the family moved to Victorville, CA, where Marion grew up and graduated from Victorville High School in 1935. She graduated with honors from Pasadena Business College in 1937 and was a member of its Alpha Iota Sorority.

She worked for Killefer Mfg. Co. in Los Angeles until 1941, and then became employed in the payroll department of General Motors, South Gate Plant. It was there that she met her future husband, Carl W. Dobos. In 1942, he was transferred to NJ. Marion and Carl were married on August 24, 1944, in Union, NJ.

In 1945, they were transferred back to South Gate, CA, and the next year, their son, William Carl, was born. They moved many times after that, living in Royal Oak, where Lora was born; Short Hills, NJ, where Paul was born; and South Natick, MA, where Kate was born. They also lived in Wilmington, DE, Bloomfield Hills, MI, and Anderson, IN. In 1977, they retired to Hudson Creek outside of Cambridge, MD, where they resided until Marion moved to Easton in 2004.

Over the years, Marion and Carl enjoyed spending time between their log cabin on Houghton Lake in MI, Cape Cod in MA, and aboard their boat on the Chesapeake Bay in MD.

Marion particularly enjoyed tennis and swimming, but loved all sports, including baseball, basketball and golf. She was an avid reader, loved poetry and music, played bridge, and enjoyed a game of Gin Rummy with Carl each morning after they retired.

Her fondest memories were always of her mother and her childhood adventures on the high desert in California.

Marion was quiet, generous, warm, welcoming, and fun-loving. She will be dearly missed.

She is survived by her four children; W. Carl (Joye) Dobos of Chippewa Falls; Lora (Terry) Frikken of Roseville, MI; Paul (Colleen) Dobos of Warrenton, VA; and Kate (Henry) Stinton of Wittman, MD; and three stepchildren, Louis Dobos of Victorville, CA, Jane Valentine of Holland, OH; and Theresa McCoy of Huntington Beach, CA. She is also survived by nine grandchildren and two step-grandchildren, Stephanie (Tom) Pierce of Wisconsin Rapids, WI, Susan (Deb Hanrahan) of Madison, WI, W. Carl (Mitzi) Dobos Jr. of Elk Grove, CA, Terry (Tiffany) Frikken of Redford, MI, Kate Frikken of Roseville, MI, Paul Dobos Jr. of Newport News, VA, Sara (Jason) Armistead of Bealeton, VA, Mark Dobos of Wilmington, DE, Samuel and Alex Stinton of Wittman, MD; and Josh (Jordan) Stinton of Cave Creek, AZ; seven great-grandchildren; and one step-great-grandchild, Matthew (Rissa) Pierce of Oshkosh, WI, Trevor Pierce of Wisconsin Rapids, WI, Braden and Quinn Frikken of Redford, MI, Colin Frikken of Roseville, MI, Brooke and Avery Armistead of Bealeton, VA, and Eliot Stinton of Cave Creek, AZ; and a great-great-granddaughter, Natalie

Clare Piece of Oshkosh, WI. She is also survived by her sister, Clarice White, Fair Oaks, CA.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Carl, on March 29, 1993; sister, Janet "Jean" Fildes; brother, Richard Blair; and stepson, Carl W. Dobos Jr.

Service and interment will be private.

Memorials in Marion's memory may be directed to Talbot Hospice Foundation, 586 Cynwood Drive, Easton, MD 21601, and Pleasant Day Medical Day Care, 2474 Cambridge Beltway, Cambridge, MD 21613.

Special thanks to her caregivers at Candle Light Cove and Talbot Hospice House.

Tribute Wall



“ Marion Dobos

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ Marion Dobos

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ Marion Dobos

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ I am very sorry for your loss, Sincerely, Rita (Wissusik, Schmult) Quaderer. I have very fond memories of your parents at the Houghton Lake cottage.

Rita - January 08, 2016 at 04:22 PM



“ I loved Mrs. Dobos. She was like a second mother to me during junior and high school years.
Megan

Megan McKenzie - March 19, 2015 at 02:11 PM

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“ 3 files added to the album Marion



Susan - January 04, 2015 at 05:26 PM

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“ 2 files added to the album Marion



Kate - January 03, 2015 at 10:42 AM

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“ 3 files added to the album Marion



Kate - January 03, 2015 at 10:39 AM

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“ Carl and Joye, so sorry to read this but praise God for her 98 years!
I'm sure she is rejoicing with loved ones in heaven.
Bonnie and Jim Parent

bonnie - January 03, 2015 at 10:37 AM

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Thank you Bonnie. Marion always said she had a good life. I'm sure she is now happy with loved ones.

Joye - January 03, 2015 at 10:56 AM

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Wow!! What an interesting life Marion had. We share your sorrow but rejoice in her wonderful life. Mom and Dad are back together in heaven.

Dan & Judy

Dan Shuck - January 03, 2015 at 06:58 PM