



Mary Ethel Dye

September 12, 1927 - February 2, 2009

Mary Ethel Cook Dye of Centreville, MD died on Monday, February 2, 2009 at Hospice Center of Queen Anne's in Centreville. She was 81 years old.

Born in Hayden, MD on September 12, 1927, she was the daughter of the late Thomas J. and Louise Moore Cook. After graduating from Centreville High School in 1944, she attended Baltimore Church Home where she received a nursing degree in 1947. Following college, she began working for Baltimore Church Home for one year, then returned home. Upon returning home, she worked at the Queen Anne's County Health Department, until moving in 1949. In November of 1949, she married Lee L. Dye and they resided in Wilmington, DE. After raising her children, she began working for the Methodist Country House as a receptionist and in 2000, she and her husband moved back to the Eastern Shore of Maryland, residing in Centreville.

She was a volunteer for Road to Recovery, served on the Claymont American Cancer Society Board, a member of the Septum Home Makers Club, and was very active in the Atonement Methodist Church in Claymont, DE and the Centreville United Methodist Church.

In addition to her husband, Mrs. Dye is survived by two sons, Thomas L. Dye of Bel Air, MD and Richard W. Dye of Canton, GA; two grandchildren, Michael D. Dye of Canton, GA and Holly L. Dye of Bel Air, MD; and a great-grandson,

Liam M. Todd of Bel Air, MD. She is predeceased by a daughter, Debra L. Dye and a grandson, Benjamin R. Dye.

Funeral services will be held at the Centreville United Methodist Church, Centreville, MD on Friday, February 6, 2009 at 11:00am. Friends may call at Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A., 408 South Liberty Street, Centreville, MD from 6 to 8 pm on Thursday, February 5. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Centreville United Methodist Church, 608 Church Hill Road, Centreville, MD 21617 or the American Cancer Society, P.O. Box 163, Salisbury, MD 21801.

Previous Events

Service

FEB 6. 11:00 AM (ET)

Centreville Methodist Church
608 Church Hill Road
Centreville, MD

Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mary Ethel Dye* ”



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - February 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mary Ethel Dye* ”

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Mary Ethel Dye* ”

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Mary Ethel Dye* ”

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ To Lee, Tommy, Rich, Lynn and family,
We are so sorry for the loss of Mary Ethel. She was a beautiful person, a loving wife, mother and also a great neighbor. Al & I have many happy memories we will treasure always.
We pray to the Heavenly Father, that He may bless you especially at this difficult time. You are in our thoughts & prayers.

With love from old neighbors,
Al & Franny##imported-begin##Albert & Franny Friel##imported-end##

February 06, 2009 at 03:07 PM



“ To Poppop Dye and family, I wish i were able to share this sad time with you all, but i am grateful to have known such a wonderful person. I still remember the Christmas eves that we spent together when i was younger and can still her Mommom Dye playing the organ. I love you all and my prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Daniel Sinnott##imported-end##

February 06, 2009 at 10:38 AM



“ Tom:
Sorry to read about the passing of your mother.Hope you and Sharon are ok.

your friend
Phil Williams##imported-begin##philip williams##imported-end##

February 05, 2009 at 08:28 PM



“ I AM SORRY SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT MRS, DYES DEATH. WE TALK ABOUT YOU A LOT. IF YOU NEED ANY THING PLEASE CALL US.##imported-begin##NORA AND GEORGE LOSSE'##imported-end##

February 05, 2009 at 09:43 AM



“ Our community has lost a gracious lady. I will miss her lovely smile. With love and prayers: Terry Kimbles##imported-begin##Terry Kimbles##imported-end##

February 04, 2009 at 06:06 PM



“ To the Dye family. Please accept my deepest condolences in the passing of your wife and mother Mary Ethel. Please find strength in your family, friends and faith.##imported-begin##Barbara L Smedley Porter Claymont DE##imported-end##

February 04, 2009 at 03:34 PM



“ Lee and Family - I was so sorry to hear of Mary Ethel's passing. I am so glad I took the opportunity to visit you and Mary Ethel a month or so ago. I enjoyed hearing a little bit about my "Cook" family history. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.##imported-begin##Sue Cook Wolff##imported-end##

February 04, 2009 at 02:39 PM



“ My deepest sympathy for your loss. I know how it feels to lose a parent, especially Mother. From reading her obituary I know she is in a better place. May the comfort of the Lord be with you and your family and know that He is only a prayer away##imported-begin##Gerri Gardner##imported-end##

February 04, 2009 at 10:37 AM



“ To the family of Mary Ethel Cook Dye, I was one of her cousins and we grew up on farms across from each other at Hope. She was graduating, I was starting school, she was dating, I was going to carnivals with my parents. I enjoyed knowing her and her family. Ronnie and my thoughts are with the family during this time.##imported-begin##Ola M. Smith - Sudlersville, MD.##imported-end##

February 04, 2009 at 09:55 AM



“ Lee & family: We are so sorry to hear ofMary Ethel's passing. I am so glad she got to have and attend the Family Reunion, it could not have been more wonderful and she was so happy that day. Our family has you and your family in our prayers.##imported-begin##Bradford & Margaret ##imported-end##

February 03, 2009 at 06:11 PM



“ To the Dye Family: The Centreville United Methodist Women extends their deepest sympathy to you in the loss of a dear friend to our Womens' group. What a trouper she was and was loved by so many. We will all miss her so much and her smiling face. Our prayers are with you at this time. THE CENTREVILLE UNITED METHODIST WOMEN###imported-begin##Lynda H. Palmatary###imported-end##

February 03, 2009 at 07:51 AM



“ Dear Lee and family,

I'm so sorry to hear of the passing of Mary Ethel. I had a very good visit with her on Saturday. We talked about making soup for the bazar at church. I'm going to miss her, she was one I could count on to help me and the crew to make the soup. You and your family I know have such wonderful memories of her that can't be taken away. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

June and David###imported-begin##June and David Clark###imported-end##

February 02, 2009 at 09:26 PM



“ *Mr. Lee and family: This is a very sad day in our community losing such a wonderful friend. A lady truly she was. She will never be forgotten in our hearts and was loved by so many people. Her faith in God and love for others will always be a part of our lives and never forgotten. Our prayers and thoughts are with you and your family at this time and heaven now has another angel that will be looking down on all of us. God Bless, Love, Gene and Lynda Palmatary##imported-begin##Lynda H. Palmatary##imported-end##*

February 02, 2009 at 08:23 PM