



Miriam Ford Hoffeecker

June 6, 2014

Miriam Ford Hoffeecker, a local teacher and librarian, died at home on June 6. She was 98 and lived in Kingstown.

Born Miriam Virginia Ford, the daughter of Frank and Ada Pearce Ford of Ringgold's Point in Kent County, MD., she was raised in Rock Hall and graduated from Chestertown High School. She was a star athlete in her youth and continued to play a variety of sports at Washington College, where she received a bachelor's degree in English in 1936.

"Mim" worked at Koppers Co. in Baltimore until 1943, when she married Major Frank S. Hoffeecker, Jr., a Marine Corps fighter pilot who was killed in the Korean War.

Returning to Chestertown after his death, she taught English and History at Chestertown High School for many years and enjoyed getting to know hundreds of local students. She rounded off her teaching career at the Gunston School in Centreville, then worked as a librarian at Washington College.

After retiring, she enjoyed time with her family, took occasional trips overseas, and supported local charities, such as the Kent Association of Riding Therapy (KART) and Kent Conservation. She was a lifelong liberal Democrat.

Survivors include a sister, Nina Ford Noonan of Broomall, Pa.; a daughter, Gretchen Hoffecker Knowles of Kingstown; a son, Frank S. "Fritz" Hoffecker III, of Alexandria, Va.; seven grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren. In addition to her husband, she was predeceased by her parents; her brother, Benjamin F. "Sambo" Ford; a sister, Elizabeth Ford Edwards Bryden; and a son, Warren B. Hoffecker.

A memorial service will be held at Emmanuel Episcopal Church in Chestertown on Thursday, June 12, at 4:00 p.m.

Donations in her memory can be made to Emmanuel Episcopal Church (PO Box 875, Chestertown, Md. 21620), or the Chestertown High School Alumni Scholarship Fund, PO Box 765, Chestertown, Md. 21620).

Cemetery Details

Private

Tribute Wall



“ *Miriam Ford Hoffecker*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Miriam Ford Hoffecker*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Miriam Ford Hoffecker*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM

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“ TO HOFFECKER FAMILY



I RECENTLY RECENTLY READ OF YOUR LOSS....ALTHOUGH WE'RE NOT PERSONALLY ACQUAINTED PLEASE ACCEPT MY SINCERE CONDOLENCES. AS I READ ABOUT MRS. MARIAM 98 YEARS ... "AMAZING" .

PSALMS 90:10 SAYS "THE SPAN OF LIFE IS 70 YEARS OR 80 , IF ONE IS ESPECIALLY STRONG.....BUT THEY ARE FILLED WITH TROUBLE AND SORROW ".

EACH DAY WE PRAY THE LORD'S PRAYER, ASKING FOR GOD'S KINGDOM TO COME. WHEN WE PRAY WE CAN BE ASSURED THAT OUR PRAYERS ARE HEARD AND WILL SOON BE FULFILLED..... BRINGING ABOUT EARTHLY BENEFITS BEYOND OUR COMPARE. (1) IS TO BRING AN END TO ALL SORROW AND DEATH.

OUR HEAVENLY FATHER ...JEHOVAH...(OUR CREATOR)ALONG WITH HIS SON "JESUS CHRIST" ...WILL SOON ACCOMPLISH THIS AND ASSURES US THAT EVERYTHING THAT HE ORIGINALLY PURPOSED FOR HIS PEOPLE ON THE ENTIRE EARTH.... WILL TAKE PLACE.... HEREON A PARADISE EARTH

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO KNOW MORE ABOUT GOD'S PROMISES (ALL) FOUND IN THE BIBLE. IF YOU DO NOT HAVE A BIBLE..... YOU CAN READ IT ONLINE AT WWW.JW.ORG/EN, AND GO TO PUBLICATIONS>BIBLE

MAY YOU SOME HOW FIND SOME COMFORT AS YOU SEEK GOD'S TENDER MERCIES AND COMFORT.

MS I - July 26, 2014 at 12:09 PM

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“ Sorry to hear of your mom's passing. I'm sure you will have many memories of her love for her family. Miriam will never die as long as those whom she loved never forget her.

*Lynn & Glenn Sappington
Annapolis, Maryland*



Glenn F. Sappington - June 17, 2014 at 10:00 AM

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“ Tom And Nancy Lee Jewell lit a candle in memory of Miriam Ford Hoffecker



Tom and Nancy Lee Jewell - June 10, 2014 at 10:23 AM