



Nancy Alice Brown

October 30, 1943 - May 11, 2023

Nancy Alice (Thomas) Brown went home to be with the Lord on May 11, 2023. She was 79 years old.

Born in Baltimore on October 30, 1943, Nancy was the third of six children to the late Donald and Margaret Thomas. She graduated from Brooklyn Park High School in 1961, where she was the leader of the Methodist youth group, student council president, and a cheerleader. In 1963, she married her high school sweetheart, Richard (Dick) Brown. For a brief time, she worked at a trucking company before she dedicated many years to staying home and raising sons David and Daniel while Dick worked as a Maryland State Trooper. As her sons grew older, Nancy went back to work for the National Security Agency (NSA), often traveling the globe for work assignments. Nancy retired from NSA in 1998 and, beginning in 1999, she and Dick enjoyed their retirement years being “snowbirds” on the Gulf Coast of Florida, where they spent many winters and always welcomed their family for visits.

Nancy was devoted to her family, and she doted on her grandchildren. She was also a faithful servant of the Lord. Nancy had a deep faith, and she shared that faith with everyone with whom she came in contact. She was deeply involved in her home church of Trinity United Methodist Church, whether through volunteering, teaching Disciple Bible study, or leading prayer groups. She also preached on occasion at the church they attended in Florida

in the pastor's absence. Nancy never missed an opportunity to tell others about Jesus Christ!

Nancy is survived by her loving husband, Dick; sons, Dave (Joann) and Dan (Robyn); grandchildren, Jacob, Joshua, Reagan, Zachary, and Dawson; as well as siblings, Don Thomas, David Thomas, Betty Freeland, and Gary Thomas. She was predeceased by a sister, Joan Randolph.

A visitation will be held from 2-4 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. on Wednesday, May 17 at the Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, PA, 106 Shamrock Rd., Chester, MD 21619. A funeral service will begin at 11 a.m. on Thursday, May 18 at Trinity United Methodist Church, 1300 West St., Annapolis, MD 21401. Burial will follow the funeral at Glen Haven Memorial Park, 7231 Ritchie Hwy., Glen Burnie, MD 21061.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial contributions be made to Trinity United Methodist Church.

Cemetery Details

Glen Haven

7215 Ritchie Highway
Glen Burnie, MD 21061

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 17. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Fellows, Helfenbein, & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A.
106 Shamrock Road
Chester, MD 21619

Visitation

MAY 17. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Fellows, Helfenbein, & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A.
106 Shamrock Road
Chester, MD 21619

Funeral Service

MAY 18. 11:00 AM (ET)

Trinity United Methodist Church
1300 West Street
Annapolis, MD 21401

Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Nancy Alice Brown*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - May 15, 2023 at 02:54 PM



“ *Nancy Alice Brown*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Centreville Methodist Women sent a virtual gift in memory of Nancy Alice Brown*



Centreville Methodist Women - May 18, 2023 at 11:08 PM



“ *Gene And Lynda Palmatary sent a virtual gift in memory of Nancy Alice Brown*



Gene and Lynda Palmatary - May 18, 2023 at 11:05 PM

GP

Our prayers and blessings are with the family at this time. Hold onto the wonderful memories. They will make the road a little easier. God Bless. Gene and Lynda Palmatary

Gene and Lynda Palmatary - May 18, 2023 at 11:07 PM

ES

“ *Sending deepest sympathy to your family. Wishing you peace, comfort and lots of love at this time of sorrow.*
with love, Beth Boan Shumate

Elizabeth Shumate - May 17, 2023 at 08:10 AM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Nancy Alice Brown.*



May 16, 2023 at 05:07 PM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Nancy Alice Brown.*



May 16, 2023 at 11:06 AM

TK

“ Tom Knox lit a candle in memory of Nancy Alice Brown



Tom Knox - May 16, 2023 at 08:45 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Nancy Alice Brown.



May 15, 2023 at 01:38 PM



“ Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Nancy Alice Brown.



May 15, 2023 at 11:07 AM

SH

“ Sending deepest sympathy to your family. Wishing you peace, comfort and lots of love at this time of sorrow.
Billy & Shelley Hix

Shelley Hix - May 14, 2023 at 01:33 PM



“ *Ocean Breeze Spray was purchased for the family of Nancy Alice Brown.*



May 13, 2023 at 07:23 PM



“ *June Clark lit a candle in memory of Nancy Alice Brown*



June Clark - May 13, 2023 at 04:43 PM



“ *Pam Edwards lit a candle in memory of Nancy Alice Brown*



Pam Edwards - May 13, 2023 at 04:42 PM



“ *Dick and family,
We are so sorry about Nancy passing away. We have known the family since our kids were in preschool. Such a beautiful person. Nancy was always so sweet and nice. May all the good memories comfort you at this time.
Anna and Tom Wright*

Anna Wright - May 13, 2023 at 04:14 PM

DD

“ *Doris Donovan lit a candle in memory of Nancy Alice Brown*



Doris Donovan - May 13, 2023 at 09:02 AM

DD

*My thoughts and prayers are with you and the family.
Mrs. Howard R Donovan*

Doris Donovan - May 13, 2023 at 09:04 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Nancy Alice Brown.*



May 12, 2023 at 05:51 PM