



Oma Boothe Covey

December 28, 1925 - July 7, 2014

Oma B. Covey, (or “Mo” by her close friends), previously of Palm Harbor, FL, died July 7, 2014, at Genesis at The Pines in Easton.

She was born in Indianola, IA, the daughter of the late George E. Boothe and Bonnie L. Morris Boothe.

After graduating from Indianola High School in 1943, she went to Washington State to work on the Atomic Bomb Project. After that, she was a legal secretary, worked for a District Attorney, and served as Clerk of the Grand Jury. Oma worked as a Junior Accountant and received tax training from the CPA firm of Ernst and Ernst. She later became an accountant and business manager for a Studebaker retail store in Waterloo, IA. After moving to Clarks Summit, PA, with her husband in 1964, she managed the accounting department in a small factory and was in charge of payroll and payroll taxes. In 1994, after raising their children, they moved to Florida where they lived happily for 20 years.

Oma can best be remembered for her boisterous laugh and beautiful red hair. She believed that it was important to be well-informed before sharing your opinion. She campaigned for her chosen political party, acted in and produced plays for the local theater group, sang in the Keynotes, golfed, played bridge, and was very involved with her children and grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her loving husband of 50 years, Donald L. Covey, and a son, Donald L. Covey II. Oma is survived by two daughters, Michele Zagrapen, of Blacksburg VA, and Michaela Coulbourn, of Preston, MD; two grandchildren, Heather Pendrak and Michael Coulbourn; and five great- grandchildren. Oma lived a rich and full life and will be greatly missed.

A memorial service will be held at 3 p.m., on July 19, at the First Wesleyan Church of Easton, 620 Goldsborough St., Easton, MD 21601.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JUL 19. 3:00 PM (ET)

First Wesleyan Church
620 Goldsborough St.
Easton, MD

Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Oma Boothe Covey*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - July 15, 2014 at 12:44 PM



I was just thinking about this wonderful woman who was a loving part of my early childhood. She was my aunt and I loved her. We found each other later in life and I was able to introduce her to my children who then knew why I talked so lovingly about her. Kathy Rushing

Kathy Povlsen Rushing - April 17, 2019 at 09:09 AM



“ *Oma Boothe Covey*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Oma Boothe Covey*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Oma Boothe Covey*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM

JK

“ *Michaela, we have fond memories of times spent with your Mom & Dad. They always enjoyed being with us for holiday dinners in Highland Lakes. Oma is now happy to be with Don. My the Peace of Christ be with you and your family.*

Judi & Jim Kratz

Judi Kratz - July 16, 2014 at 06:55 AM

MC

Thank you Judi. Dementia is a cruel disease, but I am remembering good times, too. God is good!

Michaela Coulbourn - July 16, 2014 at 08:08 PM

DM

“ *I had the pleasure of knowing your Mom and I spoke with her once a yr on Don's Birthday. Both myself Dina Musko & Nick Swatkowski would like to offer our deepest condolences. It was a pleasure and treasure to have them in my life.*
Both Nick & I worked with Don at Chamberlain which gave us the pleasure of knowing your Mom. I was worried about her, may she rest in peace.

Dina Musko - July 15, 2014 at 08:03 AM

MC

Thank you. Dina, I heard your name mentioned often over the years, and I know you kept in touch. They both thought so highly of you. My mom said you were like a daughter to my dad. They loved you!

Michaela Coulbourn - July 15, 2014 at 06:26 PM

JH

“ Jackie Holcomb lit a candle in memory of
Oma Boothe Covey



Jackie Holcomb - July 14, 2014 at 09:04 AM

JH

Many memories in my heart forever. My deepest sympathy to Michaela and family.

Jackie Holcomb - July 14, 2014 at 09:08 AM

MC

Love you Jackie!

Michaela Coulbourn - July 15, 2014 at 06:27 PM

JT

“ I am sorry for the loss of your mother. May God comfort you through all the wonderful memories you retain. Please accept my Sympathy on your loss.
Jim Trier

James "Jim" Trier - July 14, 2014 at 07:37 AM

SL

“ I am so sorry for your loss. The death of a loved one is the most difficult thing we deal with. I wanted to take this time to express my condolences to you for your loss. May you find comfort from Jehovah God's word the Bible. (Psalms 83:18) The Bible promises: "there is going to be a resurrection of both the righteous and the unrighteous." (Acts 24:15) Jehovah God assures us that our dear loved ones will receive a resurrection to a restored beautiful paradise earth. (Isaiah 65:21,22) The Bible also promises: "And the last enemy, death, is to be brought to nothing." (1Corinthians 15:26) Death will be removed from all the earth. Tears of sorrow will vanish. (Revelation 21:4) No one will die from natural causes or weep. These are promises that will soon be a reality. The Bible plainly states: "It is impossible for God to lie." (Hebrews 6:18) May you find comfort from these promises. And may Jehovah God of all comfort be with you. (2Corinthians 1:3,4)

sherries lee - July 09, 2014 at 05:09 PM