



Patricia Keen

February 1, 1919 - April 8, 2008

Patricia Valerie Keen, age 89, of Chestertown, Maryland, died on Wednesday, April 8, 2008, at Chester River Hospital Center. She was the daughter of the late Garner and Margaret Davey Hughes and the wife of the late Harry T. Keen, Sr. She is also survived by three sons: Harry T. Keen, Jr. of Chestertown, Maryland, Parker W. Keen of Ruskin, Florida and Randall S. Keen of Galena, Maryland. A fourth son, Donald D. Keen died in 1958. A brother, Robert Hughes, and a sister, Phyllis H. Huestis, predecease her. Five grandchildren: Robin Keen, Drew Keen, Elizabeth Carlton, Daniel Keen and Deadre Keen survive, as well as four grandsons.

Mrs. Keen was born in Canada and grew up and attended school in White Plains, New York. She married her late husband in 1941 and they bought a farm and moved to Quaker Neck in 1952. She worked for Grieb Realty in Chestertown, Gil Watson's Chester River Press, and Townsend-Kane Insurance, which later merged and became FKM&M and is now FAM&M Insurance Co. She worked as a secretary in the insurance business for over 40 years until her retirement in December of 2007.

She was an active member of Christ Church at I.U. in Worton, and she was a secretary of the Board of Kent and Queen Anne's Hospital for many years. A funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. on Monday, April 14, at Christ Church I.U. in Worton, MD. Interment will be private. Rev. Robert Hollett will officiate. In lieu of flowers donations may be made to the Kent County Chapter of the American Cancer Society, PO Box 163, Salisbury, MD 21801 or Christ Church

at I.U., PO Box 161, Worton, MD 21678. Arrangements made by Marvin V. Williams, Jr., Funeral Director, Chestertown, MD.

Previous Events

Service

APR **14**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Christ I.U. Episcopal Church
25328 Lambs Meadow Rd
Worton, MD

Tribute Wall



“ *Patricia Keen*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Patricia Keen*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Patricia Keen*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Many happy memories will keep Mrs. Keen alive in my heart. She was like our 'den mother' at the office, and always had time to listen...whether it was business or personal. She watched us grow...but she seemed to never age! She has touched many lives and will surely be missed by all that were priviledged to know her. She was definately a blessing to me many times over the years! May God give each of you joy and peace and help you to focus on your happy memories. Truly, Kathleen Dougherty (FAM&M Commercial Lines from 1979-1999)##imported-begin##Kathleen Dougherty (nee Hart)##imported-end##*

April 16, 2008 at 07:34 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the family of Ms.Pat.What a wonderful person and I feel honored to have known her. She will be greatly missed.##imported-begin##Marion & George Kellas##imported-end##

April 14, 2008 at 11:24 AM



“ Very sorry to hear of the passing of Mrs. Keen. She truly exemplified the definition of a lady and she will be greatly missed. She certainly carried herself with class and dignity throughout her life and FAM&M doesn't seem the same since her retirement. Our condolences go out to her family. What a truly great lady.##imported-begin##Brian & Jewll Kirby##imported-end##

April 14, 2008 at 09:08 AM



“ I have many wonderful, warm childhood memories because of the Keens. When I was about 5 yrs. old, she also made me a one-of-a-kind Christmas stocking, which has been my only stocking ever since. And, even after living in California, Canada, and moving so many times inbetween that I've lost count, it still only took me 3 minutes to walk in my spare room and find the poncho she made for me, 37 years ago. She was a wonderful lady.##imported-begin##Stacy Duke##imported-end##

April 13, 2008 at 01:04 PM



“ A true gift, that's what Mrs. Keen was to our community and family as she played many roles to all of us. When thinking of Mrs. Keen, Carolyn and I immediately reflected back to our many Saturday morning sweeps of the office, where we undoubtedly ate candy from Ruth Ann's desk, made photocopies of our ligaments at the copier, raided the supply closet, and hid secret notes to Mrs. Keen, Ruth Ann, and Kathy in the kitchen chairs, all of which occurred in a blur with giggles being heard all over the office (obviously a sugar high from the candy and cokes in the old bottled coke machine). Mrs. Keen's patience with us will always be remembered (we apologize again for having taped/glued all of your office supplies to your desk, Carolyn made me do it!) Mrs. Keen – we will truly miss you.##imported-begin##Lisa Athey##imported-end##

April 11, 2008 at 02:04 PM



“ Mrs. Keen was one of kind. I worked with Mrs. Keen for 5 yrs. and in that 5 yrs. I felt like she was part of my family. We shared so many stories, joy, laughter and tears together and my family will miss here dearly. She will remain in our hearts forever and I will cherish all the wonderful memories we had together. Her smiling face will never be forgotten. My thoughts and prayers are with your family at this difficult time of sorrow.##imported-begin##Lois Serio##imported-end##

April 11, 2008 at 01:26 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Mrs. Keen was a true and dear friend (more like a mom to me) than co-worker. It was a true honor to have known her for the past 29 years. She touched so many people in her lifes journey. I will miss her dearly. My memories of her will live on to eternity.##imported-begin##Kathy Bozarth##imported-end##

April 11, 2008 at 12:50 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with your family during this time of loss. Mrs. Keen's life is truly one to be celebrated and an inspiration for us all to live our lives as she did each day. In addition to her one-of-a-kind Christmas stockings, we will treasure many memories of her for years to come.##imported-begin##Jill Bramble##imported-end##

April 11, 2008 at 12:27 PM



“ To the Keen family,

Mrs. Keen touched so many lives! What a gracious and generous woman. I feel honored to have worked with her and know she will be missed by so many.

Please stay strong during this difficult time and know that her memory will live on in the hearts of all who had the pleasure of knowing her.##imported-begin##Sally Powell##imported-end##

April 11, 2008 at 09:45 AM