



Robert F. Walters

September 2, 1927 - December 29, 2012

Robert Franklin Walters of Stevensville died on Saturday December 29, 2012 at home. He was 85 years old.

Born in Queenstown on September 2, 1927, he was the son of the late Robert Adam and Katherine Smith Walters. Mr. Walters graduated from Centreville High School and enlisted in the Merchant Marines, serving from 1945 until 1946. After his enlistment, he returned to the Eastern Shore, where he worked in the engine room on a ferry boat, the O'Connor. While working on the O'Connor, he met his wife, the former, Shirley Stevens, whom he married on April 27, 1951. Mr. Walters advanced in the ferry boat, rising to the rank of Purser. After the ferry service was closed, Mr. Walters worked as a waterman, primarily clamming on the Chesapeake Bay.

Mr. Walters also had a deep love of art, which led him to open the Walters Art Shop, which he owned and operated until 2005. He was a founding member of the Kent Island Federation of Art and the Eastern Shore Treasure Club. He is survived by his wife of 61 years, Shirley Walters; his children: Glenn F. Walters and his wife, Victoria, Karen Barrow and her husband, Geoff, and Keith Walters and his wife, Connie; a brother, Bryan Walters; a sister, Yvonne Quimby and her husband, Freddy; 8 grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

A funeral service will be held 11AM on Wednesday January 2, 2013 at the Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A. in Chester, where family and friends may visit 1hr before.

Burial will follow at Woodlawn Memorial Park in Easton, MD.

Memorial contributions may be made to Hospice of Queen Anne's, Inc., 255
Comet Drive, Centreville, MD 21617.

Cemetery Details

Woodlawn Memorial Park

11365 Ocean Gateway
Easton, MD 21601

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 2. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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

Service

JAN 2. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Robert F. Walters*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - December 29, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Robert F. Walters*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Robert F. Walters*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Robert F. Walters*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM

TO

“ My condolences to the Walters Family. May you find comfort during this very difficult time in your lives. The loss of a dear loved one is heartbreaking, but we can find comfort from Gods word. John 5:28,29 assures us of a promise made from God that our dear loved ones sleeping in death would hear Jesus voice and come out of their memorial tombs. God promises to resurrect them back to life on a paradise earth where sickness and death will be no more. Revelation 21:4 Isaiah 25:8. What a wonderful promise to look forward to seeing our dear loved one again.

Tonia - January 03, 2013 at 08:40 AM

HF

“ As I sit here thinking of Mr. Robert, a smile immediately appears. He was honestly one of the most easy-going, kind and sweet men I had the privilege of growing up around. There was rarely a time I can remember that he was wasn't smiling and laughing while being surrounded by all his kids, and various grandchildren. And of course, the bond that Mrs. Shirley and Mr. Robert share is beyond heartwarming; always within arms reach of one another, and affection seemed to float in the air between them. May all the family be comforted in love and memories of all the wonderful holidays, dinners, and special times you shared with him, and may they comfort you in the days ahead. My heart is with you all.



Heather Collier and Family - January 02, 2013 at 08:20 AM

FH

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fhn - January 02, 2013 at 08:16 AM



“ *Mr. Robert was a kind and gentle man. He always wore a smile and was a friend to everyone. He loved his wife and family more than life itself. A great Pop pop to all our kids. You will be missed so much but we find comfort in knowing the angels guided you home to heaven and now you can rest in peace. Connie.*



Connie Walters - December 31, 2012 at 07:09 PM

VI

*keith, connie and family,
bob and I are so sorry to hear of mr. walters passing. if keith inherited
mr. walters characteristics, he was one heck of a man! no doubt he will
surely be missed! our prayers are with your families!!!!!! val (whaley)
and bob ivins*

valerie whaley ivins - January 01, 2013 at 12:42 AM

DC

“ *David And June Clark lit a candle in memory
of Robert F. Walters*



David and June Clark - December 31, 2012 at 02:08 PM

AJ

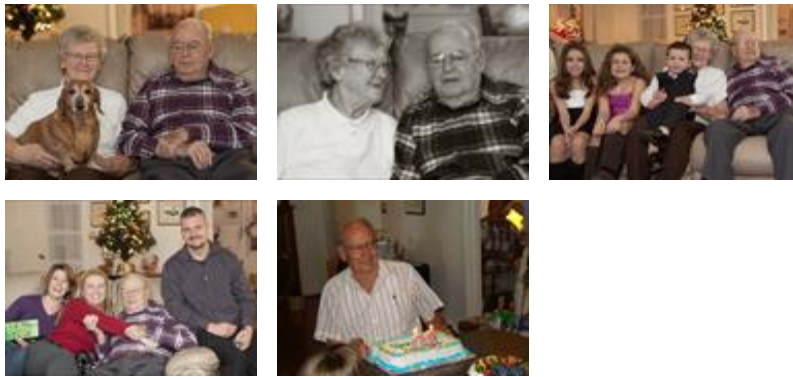
“ I only knew Robert for 6 months. To me, he was his own treasure. Goodby, Robert. I wish I knew you when we both were young.

Alex Johnson, Hospice of Queen Annes Volunteer

Alex Johnson - December 31, 2012 at 09:12 AM

JW

“ 7 files added to the album *New Album Name*



Jenn Walters - December 31, 2012 at 08:59 AM

GP

“ Gene And Lynda Palmatary lit a candle in memory of Robert F. Walters



Gene and Lynda Palmatary - December 30, 2012 at 08:57 PM

JS

“ It was always great to is Mr Robert and talk about many things , he got me my first Metal Detector , Kent Island lost a great man , Rip Mr Robert you now have new ground to decovery .

John H. Seward - December 30, 2012 at 03:09 PM