



Ruth Phillips Hadaway

July 4, 1924 - June 18, 2024

Ruth Phillips Hadaway of Chestertown, MD passed away on Tuesday June 18, 2024, at the Resort at Chester River Manor. She was 99, only a few weeks shy of 100.

Ruth was born July 4, 1924, in Barclay, MD, the daughter of the late William Rembert Phillips and Anna Pearl Collier. She graduated from Sudlersville High School and at age 18 married her late husband, Charles Webster Hadaway. Ruth went to work at Bonetts and then Park Cleaners for several years before eventually going to work at People's Bank as the head teller. She retired in 1986 after 29 years. Ruth was a member of the Chestertown Homemakers Club, American Legion Auxillary Post 36 and First United Methodist Church. She enjoyed reading and watching television and spending time with her family, especially the great grandchildren.

In addition to her parent's, she was preceded in death by her husband, Charls W. Hadaway, two brothers, Bill and Jesse Phillips, three sisters, Mildred Wise, Christine Phillips, Louise Phillips, two nephews, Phil Wise and Nick Phillips and one son in law, Lanny McClary.

She is survived by one daughter, Sandra McClary of Chestertown, MD, one son, Jay Hadaway (Cindy) of Chestertown, MD, four grandchildren, Lori McClary (Nathan Smith) of Selbyville, DE, Shelly McClary-Reid (Rob) of Salisbury, MD, Jayson Hadaway (Heather) of Chestertown, MD, Jamie Hadaway (Nate Wilson) of Baltimore, MD, two great grandchildren, Jace and Jarret Hadaway of Chestertown, MD, three nieces, Anne Peacock of

Salisbury, MD, Nina Phillips of Wilmington, DE, Mary Lynn Hollan (Jim) of Annapolis, MD, and two nephews, William Phillips (Marion) of Maine and Dick Scott (Kristy) of Princess Anne, MD.

Previous Events

Viewing

JUN 26. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Fellows, Helfenbein, and Newnam Funeral Home
130 Speer Road
Chestertown, MD 21620
<http://www.fhnfuneralhome.com>

Service

JUN 26. 1:00 PM (ET)

Fellows, Helfenbein, and Newnam Funeral Home
130 Speer Road
Chestertown, MD 21620
<http://www.fhnfuneralhome.com>

Burial

JUN 26. 2:00 PM (ET)

Chester Cemetery
Chestertown, MD

Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway* ”



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - June 24, 2024 at 12:34 PM

DB

“ *David&Stefanie Blyman lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway* ”



David&Stefanie Blyman - July 09, 2024 at 04:00 PM

EH

“ *Edith Hearn lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway* ”



Edith Hearn - June 26, 2024 at 09:16 PM

EH

Many fond memories of growing up on Pine Street, across from Miss Ruth. She was such a sweet lady.

Edith Hearn - June 26, 2024 at 09:18 PM

BC

“ Thoughts and prayers Sandy and family.



Butch and Sally Coursey - June 26, 2024 at 05:33 PM

JD

“ Jane And Frankie Dill sent a virtual gift in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway



Jane and Frankie Dill - June 25, 2024 at 12:16 PM

BA

“ So very sorry for the loss of your Mom, Sandy. Thoughts and Prayers for you and everyone at this difficult time.



Barbara L Allen - June 25, 2024 at 07:55 AM

DE

“ Donna Hubbard Edwards sent a virtual gift in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway



Donna Hubbard Edwards - June 24, 2024 at 10:25 PM

NG

“ Nancy Greenwood lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway



Nancy Greenwood - June 24, 2024 at 03:21 PM

MR

“ Maryann Ruehrmund lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway



Maryann Ruehrmund - June 24, 2024 at 12:41 PM

AC

“ I have had the pleasure of knowing Ruth Hadaway as working with her and as a friend. She is a great lady.



Alan Carroll - June 23, 2024 at 07:12 PM

JN

“ Joyce Nicholson lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway



Joyce Nicholson - June 23, 2024 at 02:08 AM

JC

“ Jo Ann Connolley lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway



Jo Ann Connolley - June 22, 2024 at 10:17 AM

JC

So sorry for your loss

Jo Ann Connolley - June 22, 2024 at 10:18 AM

DS

“ We send our sincere sympathy

David and Judy Sharretts - June 22, 2024 at 09:41 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Ruth Phillips Hadaway.



June 22, 2024 at 12:21 AM

LF

“ Love, Liz Fleetwood planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ruth Pearl Hadaway.

Love, Liz Fleetwood - June 22, 2024 at 12:21 AM

RV

“ So very sorry to learn of your mother's passing, Sandy. She and my mother were such good friends. Ruthie



Ruthie Voshell-Russ - June 21, 2024 at 07:14 PM

KM

“ Kim McSorley lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway



Kim McSorley - June 21, 2024 at 05:38 PM

PW

“ Patti And Gary Webb lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway



Patti and Gary Webb - June 21, 2024 at 03:43 PM

MM

“ God Bless my dear friend Ruth. So many fun memories with her. My first full time job was working for Peoples Bank with her as head teller. We had a great team that worked well together and had so many laughs along the way. I'll always remember her and our nicknames you fool !



Mark Mumford - June 21, 2024 at 02:54 PM

GP

“ Gene And Lynda Palmatary sent a virtual gift in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway



Gene and Lynda Palmatary - June 21, 2024 at 02:38 PM

LB

“ Jay(Chuck)
I'm really sorry to hear about your mom
Boomer Bozarth

Lonnie Bozarth - June 21, 2024 at 12:42 PM

DH

“ Denny And Judy Hickman lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway



Denny and Judy Hickman - June 21, 2024 at 10:31 AM

MM

“ Mary Adda Moore lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway



Mary Adda Moore - June 21, 2024 at 09:15 AM

CT

“ *Carroll Thompson lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway*



carroll thompson - June 21, 2024 at 07:30 AM

CH

“ *Cheryl Hurd lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway*



Cheryl Hurd - June 21, 2024 at 07:07 AM

KO

“ *Loved working with Mrs. Ruth at Peoples Bank.*



Kristi Osborn - June 20, 2024 at 09:12 PM

DS

“ *Dave And Donell Smith lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway*



Dave and Donell Smith - June 20, 2024 at 08:44 PM

MR

“ *Maureen Ranville lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway*



Maureen Ranville - June 20, 2024 at 08:31 PM

LF

“ *We had a lot of good years at People’s Bank, Ruth was always fun to be around whether we were working or partying after hours. I smile just thinking of her. She will be dearly missed.*

Liz Fleetwood - June 20, 2024 at 06:44 PM



“ *Nancy Toy lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway*



Nancy Toy - June 20, 2024 at 04:30 PM



Such a sweet lady and always a lady.

Nancy Toy - June 20, 2024 at 04:31 PM

TB

“ *Thelma Bright lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway*



Thelma Bright - June 20, 2024 at 03:58 PM

TB

Ruth was the sweetest lady who really enjoyed life. She will be missed by many!

Thelma Bright - June 20, 2024 at 04:02 PM

MP

“*Marion McNally and William Phillips purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Ruth Phillips Hadaway.*



Marion McNally and William Phillips - June 20, 2024 at 03:10 PM

MP

“*Marion McNally and William Phillips planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ruth Pearl Hadaway.*

Marion McNally and William Phillips - June 20, 2024 at 03:10 PM

GM

“*Gail Manley lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway*



Gail Manley - June 20, 2024 at 02:41 PM

LF

“ *Liz Fleetwood lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway*



Liz Fleetwood - June 20, 2024 at 02:27 PM

KC

“ *Karen Clark lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway*



Karen Clark - June 20, 2024 at 02:22 PM

KM

“ *Kim McSorley lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway*



Kim McSorley - June 20, 2024 at 02:06 PM

PM

“ *Pam Marvel lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway*



Pam Marvel - June 20, 2024 at 01:53 PM

LS

“ I was saddened to hear of Mrs. Ruth's passing. She was always such a sweet person. When my boys were little they always wanted to go to her window at the bank. My thoughts and prayers are with the entire family.



Louise H Stonesifer - June 20, 2024 at 01:41 PM

GC

“ So sorry to hear of mommom Hadaway's passing. Loved that beautiful woman.



Gail Claggett - June 20, 2024 at 01:23 PM

KS

“ So sorry to hear about Mrs. Ruth she and my Mom had some good timers together. They were friends for a long time they almost made it to 100. They can reunite in heaven now. Kim Smith

kim smith - June 20, 2024 at 12:46 PM

RT

“ Robert Thompson lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway



Robert Thompson - June 20, 2024 at 10:23 AM

GW

“ Gloria & Gene Wiest sent a virtual gift in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway



Gloria & Gene Wiest - June 20, 2024 at 09:21 AM

JH

“ Joan Horsey lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway



Joan Horsey - June 20, 2024 at 08:57 AM

SJ

“ Suzanne Jackson sent a virtual gift in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway



Suzanne Jackson - June 20, 2024 at 08:40 AM

BL

“ Brenda K Lyons lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway



Brenda K Lyons - June 20, 2024 at 08:40 AM

GS

“ George Short lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway



George Short - June 20, 2024 at 08:26 AM

BF

“ Barb Ford lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway



Barb Ford - June 20, 2024 at 08:12 AM

MU

“ Mary Ellen Unruh lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway



Mary Ellen Unruh - June 20, 2024 at 07:56 AM

DN

“ Debbie And Bob Nickerson lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway



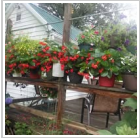
Debbie and Bob Nickerson - June 19, 2024 at 07:14 PM

LN

“ *Louie Nicholson lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway*



Louie Nicholson - June 19, 2024 at 05:30 PM



“ *Sherrie Jacobs lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway*



Sherrie Jacobs - June 19, 2024 at 04:30 PM

KM

“ *Kay McHenry lit a candle in memory of Ruth Phillips Hadaway*



Kay McHenry - June 19, 2024 at 02:46 PM