



## Sarah Evelyn Springer

August 29, 1935 - April 3, 2024

Sarah Beckett Springer of Easton, MD, passed away peacefully at Talbot Hospice on April 3, 2024. She was 88.

Sarah was born on August 29, 1935, and was the daughter of the late Geoffrey and Rosalind Beckett. She attended college at St. Albans School of Art in England. In 1956, Sarah sailed to America on Queen Elizabeth 2 and worked for the British Information Services at the British Embassy in Washington, D.C.

In 1959, Sarah married Colin T. Knight-Griffin of the British Embassy, with whom she had four children, Bethany, Nicola, Helen, and Christopher. During this time, she became an early childhood educator, a career she enjoyed for more than 35 years. Sarah loved gardening, animals, and teaching art to adults. She also owned five ponies at the time and taught horseback riding.

In 2010, Sarah married Robert C. Springer, an instructor of geography and history at Easton High School. They were married at St. Mark's Methodist Church in Easton, MD.

Sarah received great joy in helping her community. She spent two years volunteering at Talbot Hospice House in Easton, MD and with her love for animals she volunteered at Talbot County Humane Society. Regarding her

time volunteering at the food bank and thrift shop at The Society of St. Vincent de Paul, Sarah stated “what a pleasure it was to work with such a caring group of people.”

Sarah was preceded in death by her brother, Michael Beckett; and first cousin, Mary Rose Marjoribanks. She is survived by her four children, Bethany Hobbs (Chris Drewniak), Nicola Knight-Griffin, Helen Knight-Griffin, and Christopher Knight-Griffin (Viviana Rubio); grandchildren, Brittany Varner, Heather Huff, Hunter Nordberg, and Natalie Knight-Griffin; great grandchildren, Aerie Varner, McKenna Varner, Westin Huff, and her sisters, Isobel Tascher and Celia Cross.

A memorial gathering will be held on April 10, 2024, from 1pm – 3pm at Fellows, Helfenbein, and Newnam Funeral Home in Easton, MD. A graveside service will be held in the Memorial Garden at St. Mark’s Methodist Church following the gathering.

In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Talbot Humane Society, Inc., 7894 Ocean Gateway P.O. Box 1143, Easton, MD 21601 or Talbot Hospice in Easton, MD.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Gathering

APR 10. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A. - Easton  
200 S. Harrison St.  
Easton, MD 21601

## Graveside Service

APR 10 (ET)

St. Mark's Memorial Garden  
Easton, MD 21601

# Tribute Wall

ME

“ Sending deep condolences to the family of Sarah Evelyn Springer. We wish we could attend the services tomorrow but can not - however we are thinking of you and in awe of all your mother accomplished in her life. An art instructor to adults and someone who loves horses, too, we are of kindred spirits. Wish we would have had the opportunity to meet her but Bethany and Chris spoke so highly of her. Thinking of you during this difficult time. Jay and Maryrose Eichelberger



Maryrose Eichelberger - April 09, 2024 at 03:41 PM

MA

“ Maryrose A. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Sarah Evelyn Springer.

Maryrose A. - April 09, 2024 at 03:36 PM

JN

“ Jill, Ed, Sam, Kevin, Matt, Mel, Ian, Nick planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Sarah Evelyn Springer.

Jill, Ed, Sam, Kevin, Matt, Mel, Ian, Nick - April 09, 2024 at 09:36 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Sarah Evelyn Springer.



April 09, 2024 at 09:36 AM

KY

“ *Kristen Y. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Sarah Evelyn Springer.*

Kristen Y. - April 08, 2024 at 02:06 PM



“ *Serene Reflections Bouquet was purchased for the family of Sarah Evelyn Springer.*



April 08, 2024 at 02:06 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Sarah Evelyn Springer.*



April 08, 2024 at 09:58 AM

CH

“ *Sarah was a special lady.*



Christine - April 07, 2024 at 06:03 PM

CS

“ We are so glad we were able to visit with Sarah at her home last summer. Her daughter Helen is my best friend and has shared so many stories about her mom with me. Sarah spent a life devoted to, and caring for, those she loved. I know her children and loved ones will miss her dearly. It is with great fondness I will remember this remarkable woman with whom I shared a birthday. Keeping her family in our prayers - Caroline and Tim

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**caroline smith** - April 05, 2024 at 09:04 PM