



Shirley Black Seward

May 2, 2004

Shirley Black Seward of Grasonville, MD, died Sunday, May 2, 2004, at her residence. She was 69.

Born on February 12, 1935, in Claiborne, Talbot County, MD, she was the daughter of the late Roland Black and Cleo Marshall Black. She graduated from Stevensville High School, Class of 1953. On September 16, 1967, she married John Edward Seward. She worked as a bartender at the Moose Lodge, Kent Island Yacht Club, and the Grasonville VFW. In addition, she worked as a secretary for R.B. Baker in Queenstown, MD.

She was a past member of the Ladies Auxiliary of the Kent Island Yacht Club and charter member of the Women of the Moose at Bay Country Moose Lodge in Queenstown, MD.

In addition to her husband, John Edward Seward of Goldsboro, MD, she is survived by her brother, William Black and his wife, Vernice of Chester, MD, and her devoted pet, Pepe. She was predeceased by four sisters, Myra Lucille Towers, Erma Elizabeth Benton, Jayne M. Smith, and Patra A. Pulley, and one brother, Alan A. Black.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday, May 5, 2004, at 11 a.m. at the Fellows, Helfenbein and Newnam Funeral Home, P. A., Chester, MD, where friends and family may call one hour prior to service.

Those desiring may make contributions to Chesterwye Center, Inc., P.O. Box 96, Grasonville, MD 21638.

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