



Sophia S. Biddle

November 4, 1918 - May 18, 2013

Sophia S. Biddle, of Easton, MD, died at the Memorial Hospital at Easton on Saturday, May 18, 2013. She was 94.

Born in Somerset County on November 4, 1918, she was the daughter of the late Alfred K. and Leila Taylor Johnson. After attending public school, she came to Talbot County in 1936 to serve as a caregiver for the Schwaninger family. She later worked at the Easton Ribbon Factory as a loom operator for 30 years.

A long time resident of Easton, she attended the Easton Church of the Brethren. Devoted to her family, she enjoyed hunting, traveling, and caring for her flower and vegetable gardening.

Her first husband, Daniel Joseph Schwaninger, whom she married on July 4, 1937, died February 26, 1965. In October of 1968, she married Harold James Biddle, who died February 27, 1984.

Mrs. Biddle, or Sophie, as she was best known, is survived by her two children, Constance S. "Connie" Greenhawk and her husband, Philemon, of Oxford, and a son, D. Joseph "Joeboy" Schwaninger, Jr., of Easton; two grandchildren, Daniel J. "Danny" Schwaninger, III, and his wife, Tina, and Samuel J. "Butch" Townsend and his wife, Lisa; four great-grandchildren,

Abby Schwaninger, Erin Schwaninger, Jack Townsend and Samantha Townsend; and a brother, Calvin Johnson of Crisfield.

She was predeceased by three sisters, Lillian Wilkinson, Esther Bell, and Agnes McGillicuddy, and two brothers, Linwood Johnson and Alfred Johnson.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, May 25, 2013, at Fellows, Helfenbein and Newnam Funeral Home, P.A., of Easton, where friends may call Friday evening from 6 to 8 p.m. and one hour prior to the service.

Burial will be at Whitemarsh Cemetery in Trappe, MD.

Memorial donations may be made to the Humane Society of Dorchester County, P. O. Box 132, Cambridge, Maryland 21613.

Cemetery Details

White Marsh Cemetery

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 24. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Easton Location
200 S Harrison St
Easton, MD 21601
(410) 822-3131
info@fhfuneralhome.com

Service

MAY 25. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Sophia S. Biddle*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - April 12, 2023 at 10:25 PM



“ *Sophia S. Biddle*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Sophia S. Biddle*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Sophia S. Biddle*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Have fond memories of Sophie when I visited my grandpa. I remember she showed me what a crab to do to if little fingers got to close "ouch". I have thought about both her and my grandpa over the years - wish I could have spent more time with them.*

Gregg G. Biddle - June 03, 2013 at 07:44 AM

JS

“ Remembering good times and conversations at your home, not only with Joeboy, but with your mom and dad. Also remembering all the fun when Sophie and Edith got together and shared their humorous outlooks on life. May good memories comfort you and your families, Joe and Connie. Our thoughts and prayers are with you on the loss of your dear mother.
John and Cathy Sewell

John and Cathy Sewell - May 25, 2013 at 09:41 AM

JS

“ Aunt Sophia she was a very person, if your feeling blue she would make you laugh, I love her so much, & joe boy & Connie you will have your memories iam sorry I can't be he for your funeral, but gods knows what what is better.i love you aunt Sophie & your going to be missed, your up there with daddy & mom @ all of your loves ones, may you rest in peace.

joyce bowden sackett - May 25, 2013 at 01:37 AM

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“ I will always think of you with wonderful memories while growing up. Love, Ruth Ann



Ruth Clendaniel - May 21, 2013 at 08:34 PM



“ *Deb Langrell lit a candle in memory of Sophia S. Biddle*



Deb Langrell - May 21, 2013 at 05:57 PM



“ *Walt & Judy sent a virtual gift in memory of Sophia S. Biddle*



Walt & Judy - May 21, 2013 at 11:56 AM