



Suzanne Harrison Grimes

October 11, 1938 - November 22, 2023

Suzanne Harrison Grimes, of Oxford, MD, died unexpectedly on November 22, 2023, at Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore. She was 85.

Born October 11, 1938, in Mather, PA, she was the daughter of the late Charles and Jane Densmore Harrison. Suzanne received her master's in teaching from Bowie State College and taught early education throughout Prince George's County and Anne Arundel County.

Suzanne was a life member of the Oxford Fire Department Auxiliary, a member of the Red Hat Society, a devoted volunteer at the Oxford Library, and member of the Church of the Holy Trinity in Oxford. She loved music, especially playing piano, gardening, traveling and reading.

Along with her parents, Mrs. Grimes is predeceased by her husband, the late David W. Grimes, and a brother Ronald D. Harrison.

She is survived by her children; Douglas Grimes (June) of Sykesville, MD, Denise Johansen (Jay McCLung) of New Kent, VA, Dr. Jonathan W. Grimes of Rosedale, MD and Jane Grimes (Thomas Robey, Jr.) of Dunkirk, MD. She is also survived by her seven grandchildren: Jamie, Joshua, Kate, David, Anna, Karen, and Randy; along with three great-grandchildren and her sister, Judith Harrison of Raleigh, NC.

A memorial service will be held at the Church of the Holy Trinity in Oxford, MD on Saturday, December 9th at 11am. Inurnment will follow at the church columbarium.

Those wishing to make a donation in her memory are encouraged to do so to the: Oxford Fire Company, PO Box 421, Oxford, MD 21654.

Cemetery Details

Church of the Holy Trinity

Oxford, MD

Previous Events

Memorial Service

DEC 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

Church of the Holy Trinity
502 S Morris St
Oxford, MD 21654-1315
(410) 226-5134

Tribute Wall



“ *Vivid Recollections was purchased for the family of Suzanne Harrison Grimes.*



December 08, 2023 at 11:31 AM

AF

“ *As a lifetime member of the "Court Kids," I will always remember Mrs. Grimes as "Grace Under Pressure at All Times." Someone had to keep us in line, sort of (wink). She always put her husband, Mr. Grimes and two beloved sets of twins first. Those of course, Doug and Denise and then Jane and John.*

She touched so many lives, with all of her dignity in a world of too much indifference. I consider myself extremely blessed to have been touched by her life. She was always there... She truly lived a life that mattered.

I am so very sorry to hear of her passing, but I can take solace in the fact that maybe she just missed "Dave" that much.

I would never dare to ask why so many things happen (yes, I KNOW)... I actually have HOPE for the first time in SO many years. It's up to us to make the difference.

Mrs. Grimes never stood for "It is what it is"... she added, "unless we can change it for the better" I raise a glass of water (yep) to one of the finest women it has ever been my pleasure to know. ~Amy M. Flatley

Amy Flatley - December 07, 2023 at 11:33 AM

ES

“ *We're sorry to hear about Mrs. Grimes passing. She was always lovely to deal with.*



Everyone at Shaw's - December 06, 2023 at 09:39 AM

MM

“ My heart is broken a bit more now that my second cousin, close friend, and classmate has gained her angel's wings. We lost track of each other during the past several years, but I did have the pleasure of visiting and having lunch with her in Oxford. Suzanne and I had many memories from the time she lived on Bowery Street to her life with Dave to her rearing those outstanding children and, finally, to her move to Oxford. I am so happy she went to Europe with Barbara, Jeanne, and Mary Love. That would have been a memorable trip and one to cherish We can rest assured that she is with Dave and resting in God's Hand.. Mike McLuckie.



Mike McLuckie - December 05, 2023 at 12:01 AM

ST

“ Suzanne was always a very special cousin in my life as we grew up in Frostburg together! I always looked up to her as if she were my big sister! With her living with our grandparents during those years and us being at my grandparents house several nights each week, we spent many happy times together! I loved her so much and was so saddened to hear of her passing! ! My sympathy, prayers and love go out to her family! I will always remember the happy times we spent together. Suzanne will always remain in my heart and in the happiest memories of our years together living in Frostburg! RIP dear cousin! With love always, Sally (Densmore) Truskowski

Sally Densmore Truskowski - December 04, 2023 at 10:27 PM

JG

“ Judith G. purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Suzanne Harrison Grimes.



Judith G. - December 04, 2023 at 07:09 PM



“ Heavenly Grace Spray was purchased for the family of Suzanne Harrison Grimes.



December 04, 2023 at 09:42 AM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Suzanne Harrison Grimes.*



December 04, 2023 at 09:36 AM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



June Grimes - December 04, 2023 at 07:46 AM



“ *4 files added to the tribute wall*



June Grimes - December 04, 2023 at 07:39 AM

FW

“ *Francine Wooters lit a candle in memory of Suzanne Harrison Grimes*



Francine Wooters - December 01, 2023 at 08:48 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Suzanne Harrison Grimes.*

December 01, 2023 at 05:00 PM