



## Sylvia P. Geib

February 3, 1928 - March 16, 2017

Sylvia Pennington Geib, 89, of Bamberg, SC, and formerly of Homestead, FL, died on March 16, 2017, at her residence.

Sylvia was born on February 3, 1928, in Poolesville, MD, the eldest child of the late Osma M. Pennington and Samantha Phillips Pennington. She graduated from Annapolis High School in 1945.

She married Wayne R. Geib, Sr. on May 19, 1946, and together they had six children, twelve grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren. She belonged to the Easton Church of the Brethren until moving to Homestead, FL, in 1968, where she became a member of Homestead Mennonite Church. She was a World Book district sales manager. Her love of children led to many years of teaching in after-school programs in the Homestead area. She volunteered for Prison Ministry, grading scripture lesson for inmates.

She is survived by her children, Sharon Lankford (David), Wayne Geib, Jr., Jan Rez (Chris), Paul Geib (April); and Tim Geib and wife Kim; siblings, Dayton Pennington, Don Pennington, Maxine Hall, Ronald Pennington and Ada Torrence; and a daughter-in-law, Donna Geib. She was preceded in death by her husband who died September 13, 2012, a son, Mike Geib; a brother, Ed Pennington; and a sister, Emma Jane Stinchcomb.

A visitation will be held on Friday, April 7, 2017, from 6-8 PM at Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A., 200 S. Harrison St., Easton, MD 21601. A funeral service will be held on Saturday, April 8th at 11:00 AM at the funeral home. Interment will follow in Fairview Cemetery in Cordova.

Memorial contributions may be made to Homestead Mennonite Church, 30695 Southwest 162nd Ave., Homestead, FL 330

# Cemetery Details

**Fairview Cemetery**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

APR 7. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

### Service

APR 8. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Easton Location  
200 S Harrison St  
Easton, MD 21601  
(410) 822-3131  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Sylvia P. Geib*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Sylvia P. Geib*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Sylvia P. Geib*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Dorine Bickley and Family purchased the Small Garden Dish for the family of Sylvia P. Geib.*



**Dorine Bickley and Family** - April 04, 2017 at 07:48 PM



“ *JC & Ann Bateman lit a candle in memory of Sylvia P. Geib*



**JC & Ann Bateman** - March 22, 2017 at 02:49 PM

MD

“ I too have many memories of Sylvia when I was growing up. I used to love staying at her house unless I had gotten in trouble because Wayne punished me just like his own kids. I also knew if I went home I wouldn't be able to come back. There was always something going on at her house. Since I was an only child that was great. I only got to visit a few times after she moved to FL, but it was like I saw her all the time. She will be missed.

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**Marlene Delpizzo** - March 21, 2017 at 01:33 PM

SA

“ How can a person share a single memory of a person who has been a part of your life since you were a child and now you are an old lady yourself...LOL I think I will always be able to hear her saying.' Oh For God's sake Wayne." She was an amazingly loving grandmother to our girls... I loved her and will miss just knowing she's here... I will always be grateful for her taking a broken little girl like me under her wing... Love you Mom

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**Sam.** - March 19, 2017 at 06:07 PM

PM

“ There are so many memories I have of aunt Sil and all the geibs . They were and are my family as well . It is hard to weed out one particular memory , how she took care of us while my mother was working , how we spent many nights with them , how she was a huge part of our summer camp ! Oddly one time really stood out and had nothing to do with me but some of the other children . She was in the middle room watching one of her "babies" out the window , there were at least 5 of hers and 3 of ours then in various ages ! She had just answered the phone , I think it was my mother checking on us , all of a sudden one of her children , Janet I think but not sure fell . She heard more than saw , and told mom or whoever , oh my god I think they ve broke their arm , dropped the phone and ran out to them . I don't know who watched us or any of the following senerio but her urgency to see about her child , her drive to make sure all of us were well cared for stood out to me ! My own mother was very busy with a divorce and work , I was having a lot of trouble dealing with all that and problems with school and in spite of her having many children , she was able to divide her attention , bake how with homework , everything ! I thought she was such a superwoman ! Sadly I think she was right about the broke arm ! She was a good mom to us as well as her own ! Thank you aunt Sil for being there when we needed you as well as your own ! We miss you but our memories will always be a part of us ! Love ❤️ your other "daughter" Pam .

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pamela breeding mccraw - March 19, 2017 at 06:38 AM