



Eileen Marie Bennett

September 7, 1932 - September 1, 2022

Eileen Marie Bennett, 89, of Salisbury, passed away peacefully at her home on Thursday, September 1, 2022, surrounded by her loving family.

She was born September 7, 1932, in Snow Hill, a daughter of the late McGuire D. and Martha Irma (Godfrey) Bolen.

Eileen graduated from Snow Hill High School with the class of '49. In her earlier years she worked as a seamstress at several shirt factories. She then went on to manage the family-owned Bennett Mobile Home Park and loved working alongside of her husband Bill as the owner and operator of Bennett Airport in Salisbury. She had a talent for sewing and enjoyed making clothing for her family and friends. She was a member of countless organizations including the Antique Automobile Club of America and Eastern Shore Seagulls, where she loved gathering with friends at campgrounds for weekends.

Eileen is survived by her daughters, Jean Bennett of Salisbury and Judy Bennett of Fruitland; grandchildren, Holly Green (Scott), Kyle Kinnamon (Lindsay), John Kinnamon (Kelly) and Melinda Bonnewell; 4 great-grandchildren; a brother, Richard Bolen (Vera) of Snow Hill; sisters, Shirley Shockley of Snow Hill and Margaret Hastings (Jim) of Willards; brother-in-law and sister-in-law, David and Janet Bennett of Fruitland; and many nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Howard William "Bill" Bennett, Jr; a daughter, Jacqueline White; a grandson,

Billy White; sisters, Rita Travers and June Morris (Jack); son-in-law, Newton White; and a brother-in-law, Walter "Bud" Shockley. She was also preceded in death by her beloved dog, "Bud."

A graveside service will be held on Thursday, September 8, 2022, at 10:00 a.m. at Springhill Memory Gardens in Hebron. The Reverend Howard Travers will officiate.

Memorial contributions may be made in her memory to the Humane Society of Wicomico County, 5120 Citation Drive, Salisbury, MD 21804.

Arrangements are in the care of Short Funeral Home in Delmar. Online condolences may be sent to the family by visiting www.shortfh.com.

Cemetery Details

Springhill Memory Gardens

27260 Ocean Gateway
Hebron, MD 21830

Previous Events

Graveside Service

SEP 8. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Eileen Marie Bennett*

January 29, 2023 at 01:28 PM



“ *My thoughts & prayers are with you during this difficult time. I am sorry for your loss.*



Dave Barrett - September 05, 2022 at 10:10 AM



“ *I will miss my visits with Eileen. Sympathy to the family.*

Jean Powell - September 03, 2022 at 09:48 PM



“ *Thoughts and prayers are with the family. God bless*

Elizabeth Beauchamp - September 02, 2022 at 04:31 PM



“ *Elizabeth Beauchamp lit a candle in memory of Eileen Marie Bennett*



Elizabeth Beauchamp - September 02, 2022 at 04:29 PM