



Margaret S. Casteen

January 11, 1927 - April 20, 2006

Margaret Casteen, 79, formerly of Portsmouth, passed on April 20, 2006, after a seven-month effort to recover from the effects of a fall last September. She was the widow of Shirley Casteen, her husband of 49 years when he passed in 1994. She spent her entire career in the medical profession as a nurse and office manager. She worked primarily for Dr. Milton Goldin, Spongale & Baker and Anesthesia Practice. Survivors include her son, Alan E. Casteen and wife Newanna of Smithfield; her sister, Grace S. Poyner of Currituck, N.C.; two grandchildren, Taraleigh Casteen Burk and husband Randy of Suffolk and Lana C. Casteen and husband Jason of Smithfield; and her great-grandchildren, Savannah Casteen and Laura, Ashley and Brandi Burk. A graveside service will be held at 3 p.m. Monday in Olive Branch Cemetery, Portsmouth, by the Rev. Jonathon Palmer. Loving Funeral Home is serving the family. In lieu of flowers, please make a memorial donation to Bethlehem Christian Church, 1549 Holland Road, Suffolk, VA 23434 or Children's Hospital of The King's Daughters, P.O. Box 2156, Norfolk, VA 23501-9873 or to a favorite charity of donor's choice. The family particularly appreciates the dedication and concern for her wellbeing and care by ALL neighbors, doctors, hospital staff and especially the nursing home team of caregivers at Autumn Care of Suffolk. Friends are welcome to come to the funeral home anytime from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. today and from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday.

Tribute Wall



“ Sarah wanted you and the family to know that she could not make it to the funeral yesterday but she had been to visit Margaret at the nursing home just last week. She would like to extend her sympathy to the whole family. Written by Margaret N. for Sarah Weeks, your cousin.##imported-begin##Sarah Weeks##imported-end##

April 25, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Alan and family,

Please accept my sincerest condolences on the passing of your mother. Please know my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this time.

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April 24, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Aunt Margaret,

You were a special person in our hearts. I could always call on you whenever I had a problem. You and Uncle Shirley were like a Mom and Dad to me. Whenever I had a question I could always count on you when Daren or Donna were sick. I knew you would be able to answer any question I had. We will miss you and love you always. Our love and thoughts are with Alan and the family.

Love

Lynn, Linda, Daren Wood & Donna, Sarah, and Jacob

Skeates.##imported-begin##Linda Wood##imported-end##

April 23, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ Alan and Family,

You have my deepest sympathy with the passing of your Mother. Your Mother and Dad have left me with many fond memories. I especially remember the good times Agnes and I spent with them going to the shack on the river, boating, crabbing, cook outs, and all the family get-togethers. It was always a happy time whe we were together. May God comfort you and all your family during this time of grief and may your Mother rest is peace and heaven forever.

Love Audrey Hope###imported-begin##Audrey Hope##imported-end##

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