



Evelyn Wells Bendure Simms

September 17, 1931 - November 14, 2020

Evelyn Wells Bendure Simms, 89, of Strasburg, Virginia departed this life on November 14, 2020. She was born in Beltsville, Maryland September 17, 1931 the daughter of Bernard and Ethel Wells. She was the youngest of nine siblings. Most of her life she lived in Virginia with a long ancestral history. The time she and her children lived in New Market, VA, Evelyn was employed at MD's Chicken in the Rough restaurant. Those years were dear to her.

Evelyn was preceded in death by her husband, Mike (Pop) Simms and her eight siblings. She is survived by a blended family consisting of her children, Sherry Manor (Dan) Fredericksburg VA, Jackie Bendure (Bernie), Centreville, VA, Jerry Bendure (Joanne), Orlando, FL and Cindy Goode (Bobby) Point of Rocks, MD, along with William Simms, Jr. (Penny), Deland, FL, Vicki Walker (Wayne), Chincoteague, VA, and Sandy Simms, Middletown, MD; 16 grandchildren, 26 great grandchildren, numerous cousins, nieces and nephews, notably her first nephew, Walter (Skip) Wells of Rodanthe, NC, along with her beloved caregiver, April Moore, Strasburg, VA.

The family is requesting that any donations in her name be made to Lynn Care Center, 1000 N. Shenandoah Ave., Front Royal, VA 22630.

A graveside service will be 11:00 am Saturday, December 5 in Stonewall Memory Gardens, 12004 Lee Highway, Manassas, VA. Social distancing will be observed.

Cemetery Details

Stonewall Memory Gardens

12004 Lee Highway
Manassas, VA 20109

Previous Events

Service

DEC 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ I am so sorry to read about Evelyn. She was a great lady! My mother (Violet Myers) and I worked with her at MD's and she and my mom always had something going on. Such fun!! No wonder she treasured those years!

Trenna - November 29, 2020 at 01:37 PM

EC

“ Lots of good times as kids around this lady and she considered all o us her's. One great lady and she will be missed greatly. R.I.P. Evelyn and till Valhalla.....

Earl Cline - November 23, 2020 at 06:30 PM

SM

Earl, thank you so much for this beautiful remembrance.

sherry Manor - November 24, 2020 at 11:31 AM

SA

The only person that could cook fried liver and onions that I would eat. Haven't had it since I was a kid growing up. Not to mention her famous tuna casserole.

Sandy - November 24, 2020 at 04:39 PM

DW

The best aunt in the world. So many precious memories, phone calls and Christmas letters. I'll miss you until I see you again. Love you always, Dede

Dede Wells - November 27, 2020 at 08:18 AM