



## Elizabeth "Betty" Patterson

November 12, 1940 - September 15, 2020

Betty Patterson, loving wife of Tom for 59 years, passed away at home in the early morning of September 15th, at the age of 79, surrounded by her family.

Betty was born on November 12th, 1940, in Washington, DC and was raised on the creek banks of the Patuxent River in California, MD. Those who knew and loved Betty remember her as an organizer who loved to plan parties. She enjoyed crafting and camping, and together with Tom, they visited all 50 states.

Betty was an awesome & dedicated mom to Robert Patterson and Trish Krobath and her husband John; and extraordinary grannie to Chris Patterson and his wife Ashley Patterson, Ashley Bunder, Erin Krobath and Lexi Krobath. She loved being with her kids and grandchildren whether driving carpools or sewing dance costumes.

She is also survived by her two sister Phyllis Hayden and Irene Gatton, and their husbands John Hayden and David Gatton.

A Visitation will be held on Monday, September 21st, 2020 from 9AM until time of Mass of Christian Burial at 10AM at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, 201 St. Mary's Avenue, La Plata, MD 20646. Interment will follow at Sacred Heart Catholic Church Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, please send memorial contributions to Mary Washington Hospice, 2600 Mary Washington Boulevard, Fredericksburg, Virginia 22401.

# Cemetery Details

## Sacred Heart Catholic Church Cemetery

410 St. Mary's Avenue  
La Plata, MD 20646

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 21. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church  
201 St Marys Ave  
La Plata, MD 20646  
(301) 934-2261

## Mass of Christian Burial

SEP 21. 10:00 AM (ET)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church  
201 St Marys Ave  
La Plata, MD 20646  
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## Burial

SEP 21. 11:00 AM (ET)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church Cemetery  
410 St. Mary's Avenue  
La Plata, MD 20646



# Tribute Wall



“ Elizabeth "Betty" Patterson

October 08, 2023 at 10:45 PM



“ Elizabeth "Betty" Patterson

October 04, 2023 at 03:12 PM



“ Tom, Robert and Trish,

*It is with a very sad hearts we are sending you our deepest sympathy. It was such a shock to learn of Betty passing. We didn't know she was sick. We will treasure our wonderful memories with Betty and each of you. Betty was a special person to us, we loved her dearly and had missed seeing each of you. Betty will be dearly missed by anyone who's life she touched. A very special friend, lady, wife, mother, and grandmother....and all around wonderful person.*

*Tom, not knowing where you are located as well as Robert and Trish, I couldn't send you a card. We would love to hear from you.  
Norman and Carolyn Shelton*

Carolyn Shelton - October 12, 2020 at 05:31 PM



“ *Trish - Gosh, where do I start. Your family moved to New Carrollton when you and I were five years old. I have known your family for 46 years. Mom and Betty car pooled together to the Sears in Landover; you and I were inseparable as friends. Your mom treated me like I was her own. I have so many memories of you and your family and they will be cherished. Your mom was/is a great woman and will be missed. Mom told me yesterday how she misses their phone calls checking in on each other to see how everyone was.*

*It's hard, I know, but just remember she's in a better place, no more suffering and no more pain. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers!*

*Love, Joy*

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**Joy Duelley-MacSorley** - September 21, 2020 at 09:11 AM



“ *I have such fond memories of her! Wishing you all peace and comfort.*

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**Natalie Poe** - September 21, 2020 at 08:34 AM



“ *Tom, Robert, Trish, and Family, May the Lord bless and comfort your family during this difficult time. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Betty will truly be missed.*

*Dana and Donnie*

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**Dana Stone** - September 19, 2020 at 11:43 AM

JV

“ Trish, my deepest condolences to you and your family. May she rest in eternal peace.

Jim Vandenberg - September 18, 2020 at 05:15 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Betty" Patterson.



September 17, 2020 at 08:21 PM

TA

“ The Hadley Family (Katrina, Jim, Nina, and all) purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Elizabeth "Betty" Patterson.



The Hadley Family (Katrina, Jim, Nina, and all) - September 17, 2020 at 01:16 PM

DW

“ Trish, I am so very sorry for your loss. Keeping you and yours in our prayers during this sorrowful time.

Diane Wiltshire - September 17, 2020 at 12:35 PM

RM

“ Trish, deepest sympathies. Thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this time.

Ruth Martin - September 17, 2020 at 09:30 AM

MW

“ Trish - you have my sincerest sympathy. You and your family are in my prayers.

Marcus Vander Wall - September 17, 2020 at 09:16 AM

SH

“ Trish, I'm sorry for your loss. Praying for your comfort, healing and peace. Sharon N. Hack

Sharon N. Hack - September 17, 2020 at 09:00 AM

RP

“ Trish - I am so sorry for your loss. Thinking of you and your family during this difficult time. Rebecca Paliwodzinski

Rebecca Paliwodzinski - September 17, 2020 at 07:56 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Elizabeth "Betty" Patterson.



September 17, 2020 at 07:12 AM