



Evelyn Marie Piper

July 2, 1923 - October 28, 2019

Evelyn Marie (Sloat) Piper, 96, of Ripley, MD died quietly on October 28, 2019 at the University of Maryland Charles Regional Medical Center in La Plata, MD. Shelia Cole, her friend and senior companion was by her side. Evelyn was born July 2, 1923 to the late Bernice (Foster) and Edward Sloat of Baltimore, MD. She was the eldest of their six children.

Evelyn and Fred were married in 1941 in Baltimore, MD. Evelyn joined her husband in various state-side locations during his service with the Marine Corps. Evelyn and Fred moved to Charles County in the 1950s and made their family home in Ripley, MD, where Evelyn has been a resident for over 70 years. During her younger years, she was active in her husband's home improvement business and raising their children, caring for animals, tending gardens and preserving the garden's bounty. She enjoyed having her nephews and younger siblings from Baltimore visit the family's "farmette" during the summers – enjoying the country life away from the city.

For 26 years, Evelyn worked at Walls Bakery in Waldorf, MD when it was located in the "Wigwam" on Rt. 301. She took pride in her family members and loved hearing about the events and happenings in their lives. She enjoyed "yard saleing", chocolate, her special iced tea recipe, her cat "Sweetie", and planting and caring for flowers of all varieties.

In her later years, having lost her eye sight to Macular Degeneration, Evelyn's greatest pleasure was to sit on her porch-swing surrounded by the fragrant blooms of her flowers and listen to the birds singing.

Evelyn was a sweet, gentle, caring, giving, and loving woman, but also a strong woman, who weathered the difficult challenges presented during her life with tenacity. She will be greatly missed by all who knew her.

Evelyn is survived by her children: John F. Piper and wife, Jane of Willards, MD, Ronald "Ronnie" Piper and wife Sharon of Waldorf, MD, Nancy C. Moose and husband Joseph "Joe" of Newburg, MD. She is also survived by Thomas "Tommy" Jenifer, who she lovingly considered a son and his wife, Nan of Pomfret, MD; Sheila Cole, a special friend, confidant and her senior companion for 5 years who Evelyn thought of as a daughter; and her daughter-in-law, Gwynette Piper of Prince Frederick, MD; three grandchildren: Tiffany Piper, Dale Piper, and Beverly Guilkerson; five step-grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren. Evelyn is survived by her siblings: James "Jim" Sloat of Ocala, FL, Shirley Henry and husband Bill of Shrewsbury, PA, Betty Gaither and husband Bob of Parkville, MD, and Donald "Donnie" Sloat and wife Mary of Towson, MD. She is also survived by numerous extended family members and friends.

Evelyn was preceded in death by her husband, Fritz "Fred" Piper; her parents, Bernice and Edward Sloat of Baltimore, MD; her sister, Lorraine Keiter and husband Phil of Dundalk, MD; her brother, Robert "Bobbie" Sloat of Baltimore, MD; and her grandson, Joseph "Joey" Moose, Jr. of Cary, NC.

Visitation will be Tuesday, November 5, 2019 from 11:30AM to 1PM at Raymond Funeral Chapel (5635 Washington Ave., La Plata, MD 20646). A memorial service will immediately follow at the funeral home.

Interment will follow at 2PM at Trinity Memorial Gardens (3221 Mattawoman Beantown Rd., Waldorf, MD 20601).

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations in Evelyn's name to be made to St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital (262 Danny Thomas Pl., Memphis, TN 38105 – <https://www.stjude.org/>)

Cemetery Details

Trinity Memorial Gardens And Mausoleum

3221 Mattawoman-Beantown Road
Waldorf, MD 20601

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 5. 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Raymond Funeral Chapel
5635 Washington Ave.
La Plata, MD
business.office@raymondfuneral.com
<http://www.raymondfuneralservice.com>

Memorial Service

NOV 5. 1:00 PM (ET)

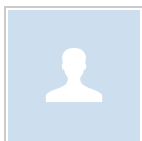
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Burial

NOV 5. 2:00 PM (ET)

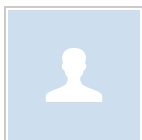
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Tribute Wall



“ Evelyn Marie Piper

October 08, 2023 at 10:45 PM



“ Evelyn Marie Piper

October 04, 2023 at 03:12 PM



“ What a beautiful , kind and loving person we were so blessed to love! We enjoyed our visits with her as she would talk about her family and memories of her life! She was incredibly special to us , we were her “ couple” and we loved her dearly as she loved us back. Rest in Gods peace... until we meet again❤️ Marcell & Leslie “ Ms Pipers Couple!”



Leslie - November 06, 2019 at 01:33 AM



“ So sorry to hear about Aunt Evelyn. Sending our condolences and love. Sorry we can not make it.

Love,
Danielle Blunt- Godlewski

Danielle - November 04, 2019 at 02:03 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Evelyn Marie Piper.*



November 04, 2019 at 01:56 PM



“ *I will always carry on memories of Ms. Evelyn. She was a very special lady in my life and I so much enjoyed our chats as she would tell me about some of her times she had in her younger days. We used to sit on her sun porch and watch the hummingbirds feast off of the feeders she so dearly loved to watch. We shared a lot of laughs and a few sad times as well as she was feeling her aches and pains. Mrs. E. was a very proud woman who refused to accept a gift from anyone whether it be her birthday, Christmas or any other reason to show how much we cared about her. However, she did enjoy our venture out to lunch at a restaurant up the street from her, only to just enjoy a grilled cheese sandwich. Her favorite icon/actor was "Tom Selleck" and if you wanted to see a smile on her face, just mention his name!!! You will truly be missed by so many who cared so much about you. May you R.I.P. I Love You <3 xoxoxo*



Grace Schofield - November 03, 2019 at 08:55 PM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Evelyn Marie Piper.*



November 01, 2019 at 04:49 PM

LP

“ Aunt Evelyn will be remembered by us as a gentle soul, with a humble spirit and a person that loved her family and family gatherings. She will certainly be missed by all who knew her. We will be praying for the “peace that passes all understanding” to bring you comfort – the courage to face the days ahead and the loving memories to forever hold in your hearts. Our sincerest sympathies go out to you today.

*Love & continued prayers,
Leif & Barb*

Leif & Barb Piper - October 31, 2019 at 12:49 PM

NM

“ Mom We love you so so much my heart is broken but I am glad God took you home to take you from all your pain. Dad was there with open hands and the rest of your family I will cherish all our good times together you were a wonderful caring kind person you were loved by all that met you you will be missed so so much. Loved you so much R.I.P. until we are together again.

nancy moose - October 30, 2019 at 09:21 PM

PK

You were the apple of my eye. You made a Country boy out of a City boy. I'll miss talking about all the wonderful times I had with you picking corn, getting the eggs, but most of all your "French Toast" Give my mom a kiss for me. Love Philly and Debbie

Phil Keiter - October 31, 2019 at 02:02 PM

DA

To the Piper Family,

We would like to extend our deepest sympathies to your family.

*It was an honor to be able to serve your family during this difficult time.
The Staff at Potomac Floral Design Studio*

David - November 04, 2019 at 04:33 PM