



# Ellen W Elliott

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**E**llen W. Elliott, age 68, of Rehoboth Beach, DE, formerly of Wilmington, DE, passed away on Friday, October 11, 2013, at the Delaware Hospice Center, Milford, DE. She was born on March 30, 1945, daughter of the late Howard L. and Sara E. (Short) White.

Ms. Elliott was born and raised in Rehoboth Beach. She was a 1963 graduate of Rehoboth High School and went on to manage her family's business, Rehoboth Products Company, before relocating to Wilmington, DE. In Wilmington she spent a 20 plus year career with AstraZeneca in the operations department. In 2006, Ms. Elliott would retire and move back home to Rehoboth Beach, but she remained very active. She worked part time at the Rehoboth-Dewey Chamber of Commerce Visitor's Center. Ms. Elliott was an outgoing and kind person and considered everyone a friend. She always had an open door for anyone and was there for anything anyone needed. She was a loving sister, aunt, great aunt, and dear friend who will be missed by all who knew her.

In addition to her parents, Ms. Elliott was preceded in death by her nephew, Kevin LeMaire in 2012. She is survived by her two sisters: Barbara Brittingham of Rehoboth Beach and Kay Wheatley of Rehoboth Beach and Seaford, DE; her four nieces: Sharon Lemaire of Millsboro, DE, Karen Lemaire and her husband Ralph Foskey of Lewes, DE, Emily Wheatley of Seaford and Rehoboth Beach, DE, and Elizabeth Carter and her husband Don of Columbia, SC; her two nephews: Britt and Clarke Ellis, both of Columbia, SC; her two great nieces: Karissa and Korinne; and her four great nephews: Kaleb, Ralph IV, Devin, and Grayson and numerous dear friends who she considered family.

Memorial Services will be held on Thursday, October 17, 2013 at 11:00 AM at Parsell Funeral Homes & Crematorium, Atkins-Lodge Chapel, 16961 Kings Highway, Lewes, DE 19958, where friends may visit beginning at 10:30 AM. Friends may also visit at the funeral home on Wednesday, October 16, 2013 from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM. Interment will immediately follow Memorial Services at Epworth Methodist Cemetery, Rehoboth Beach, DE.



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Please sign Ms. Elliott's online guestbook at this site.

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## Tribute Wall

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LC

**Lucy Downes Casey** posted:

My brother Lee and I loved going to Ellen's house to "study" from 10th grade through graduation. I remember more laughter than learning and more singing than studying while Ellen played the piano and Lee tapped out a rhythm on the table. Even though we didn't see much of each other over the years, I thought of you every time I used my pearl-handled carving set that you gave me in 1966. You will never be forgotten. Thank you Kay and family for your devotion and love for Ellen. "May your friends and loved ones change your sorrow to peace." Love you, Lucy

October 17 at 8:00 PM

OD

**O. Lee Downes** posted:

I'm going to miss my adopted sister Ellen. We were neighbors in Ann Acres where I spent more time at the Whites house than my own, doing homework and baking doughnuts, cookies, cakes or making home made ice cream. Not a lot of homework got done. RIP Ellen, Love, Lee

October 16 at 8:00 PM

KP

**Kenneth R Paules** posted:

A loss to so many good Friends.

October 15 at 8:00 PM

KB

**Ken And Lynn Brown** posted:

Thinking of the family, and praying for your comfort, especially our dear friends Kay and Emily. We love you and believe with you that we will see Ellen in heaven.

October 15 at 8:00 PM

JB

**Joanne Burke** posted:

With sincere sympathy.

October 13 at 8:00 PM



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**Rolf Rykken** posted:

Ellen was a wonderfully kind woman, who, despite allergies, enjoyed welcoming to her house my visiting dogs over time. My current Springer Spaniel, Samantha, and her two predecessors, Shelby and Sophie, each got to visit while visiting her neighbors, the Pringles.

October 13 at 8:00 PM



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Ellen by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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