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Jean Stambaugh Marsh, age 82, passed away peacefully on Monday, November 19, 2012 at her Lewes, DE residence, surrounded by her family. She was a Beebe baby born on June 16, 1930, daughter of her beloved parents, the late Dr. Ervin "Stammy" Stambaugh and Margaret Rhodes Stambaugh.

She was a graduate of Lewes High School and then attended Smith College in Northampton, Massachusetts. After graduation she attended Katharine Gibbs School for Business in New York City. In 1954 she married Lewes native, Donald Shankland Marsh in Topeka, Kansas and spent the next 25 years in Austin, Texas. She took a position as an executive secretary for Farmers Insurance Group until the arrival of their first child, Russell Shankland in 1966. Her second child, Jennifer Margaret arrived in 1968. As a stay at home Mom, she was very creative and involved with sailing on Lake Travis and the PTA. Jean enjoyed tennis, the beach and poodles, of which she had many over the years. They moved back to Lewes in 1979. Jean was a member of the Lewes Presbyterian Church.

In addition to her parents, Jean was predeceased by her husband Donald and cousin-in-law, Jay Dunlap, Jr. Jean is survived by her son, Russell S. Marsh, his wife Suzanne and their children, Richard, Erik, and Julia; her daughter, Jennifer Pulcinella, her husband Anthony and their daughter Claudia Jean Pulcinella, all of Lewes; one brother, Jack Stambaugh and wife Jo of Henlopen Acres, DE; her cousin, Ned Maull of Lewes, DE; and her cousin-in-law, Francis Dunlap of Milton, DE.

Graveside Services will be held on Sunday November 25, 2012 at 2:00 PM at the Lewes Presbyterian Church Cemetery. Viewing will be held on Saturday November 24, 2012 from 6-8 PM at Parsell Funeral Homes & Crematorium, Atkins-Lodge Chapel, 16961 Kings Highway, Lewes, DE.

In lieu of flowers contributions are suggested to the Lewes Library, 111 Adams Avenue, Lewes, DE 19958.



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Please sign Mrs. Marsh's online guestbook at this site.

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CM

Crorkz Matz posted:

HfBTOT Really informative blog.Thanks Again. Much obliged.

August 4 at 8:00 PM

MH

Marge Magens Huemmler posted:

My friendship with Jean goes back many many years mostly spent on Lewes beach! We kept in touch by e-mail and she will be missed. Fond memories, Jean.

December 21 at 8:00 PM

JG

Joan Dunlap Giles posted:

So many happy memories of spending time with Aunt Jean and Uncle Donald. I'm sorry for our loss, but glad she's at peace.

November 23 at 8:00 PM

SP

Sandy Pulcinella posted:

Rest in Peace Jean. It was a pleasure to know you. Such a wonderful lady.

November 20 at 8:00 PM

LK

Lori And Kass posted:

What a beautiful tribute to a wonderful womanLove you guys.

November 20 at 8:00 PM

WW

Wendy (Dickson) Wall posted:

Russell, Jennifer and family: Allow me to extend my deepest condolences on the loss of your mother. Losing a parent is one of the biggest losses that can be suffered by anyone. I had the blessed opportunity of knowing your mother and I know heaven just received one of its most special angel.

November 20 at 8:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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