



Charlotte Coates Johnson

June 16, 1927 - July 3, 2019

Charlotte Coates Johnson, beloved mother, grandmother, cousin, and friend, passed away on July 3, 2019, surrounded by her family. She was born in Rappahannock County, Virginia on June 16, 1927, to Katie Brown Coates and Thomas Hawes Coates.

Charlotte attended Sperryville High School in Rappahannock, where she played guard on the girls' basketball team. Music was central throughout Charlotte's life, through the music she played and the live performances she frequented. She studied music at Madison College (J.M.U.) and performed in the First Presbyterian Church vocal and bell choirs in Lakeland, FL, her longtime residence. Charlotte also enjoyed ballroom dancing, playing bridge, traveling, and sharing her enthusiasm for pre-Columbian art as a docent for Lakeland's Polk Museum of Art. Having lived in Durham, NC she was a passionate Duke Blue Devil Men's Basketball Team fan.

Charlotte is survived by three children and four granddaughters: Thomas Berkley Johnson (spouse Cole McKenry Johnson) and their children Katie and Sarah of Woodville, VA, Joanne Johnson Nayeri (spouse Ramin Nayeri) of Amsterdam, Netherlands, and Judy Johnson Turner (spouse Grant Turner) of Ridgefield, CT and their children Diane and Caroline. She will be greatly missed by her family.

The family will be eternally grateful for the amazing skilled, compassionate, and loving care she received at Jackson House Assisted Living in Boston, VA the past year and to the Hospice of the Piedmont.

A memorial service will be held at Trinity Episcopal Church in Washington, VA Sunday, July 7, 2019 at 2:00pm.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to The Nature Conservancy, www.nature.org.

Events

JUL Memorial Service 02:00PM

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Trinity Episcopal Church

379 Gay St., Washington, VA, US, 22747

Comments



“ Dr. Johnson & family,

I am so sorry to hear about your mom. I hope your memories of your mom bring you comfort and help you get through this difficult time. I remember the times when we were at work and you would talk your mom and how very important she was to you. You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.

Kim & Jim Dwyer

Kim & Jim Dwyer - July 07 at 08:59 PM



“ My deepest sympathy. I enjoyed knowing Charlotte. Hazel Zinn-Day

Hazel - July 06 at 12:49 PM



“ Thank you Hazel. We are glad to have met you and know mom enjoyed your visits to JH.

Judy - July 08 at 04:13 PM



“ Larry and I are so sorry to hear of your mom and grandmother's passing. May you find comfort in all of the precious memories you shared. May God bring comfort to the family.

Bev Connors - July 09 at 11:38 AM