



Hellen Lash O'Connor

March 31, 1937 - June 22, 2016

Hellen Lash O'Connor died June 22, 2016. Hellen worked as a supervisor at Chesapeake Corporation until 1966 and later opened O'Connor Frame N' Gift Shoppe with her husband, Sam. She was preceded in death by her sister, Anne Fary. Hellen is survived by her husband, M. Croxton 'Sam' O'Connor; a daughter, Kimberly Kay O'Connor; a brother, John Lash (Annette); brother-in-law, Melvin Fary; two nephews, Michael and Lash Fary; three nieces, Paula Taylor, JoAnn Modzelewski and Linda Schumacher; great-niece, Lauren Schumacher; and a great-nephew, Ryan Schumacher. A funeral mass will be held 11:00 a.m., Saturday, June 25th in Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church, 3570 King William Avenue, West Point, VA 23181. Interment will follow in St. Theresa Cemetary. Memorials may be sent to OLBS Capital Campaign, 207 West Euclid Blvd., West Point, VA or West Point Volunteer Fire Department & Rescue Squad, Inc., P.O. Box X, West Point, VA.

Cemetery Details

St. Theresa's Cemetery

2400 King William Avenue
West Point, VA 23181

Previous Events

Service

JUN 25. 11:00 AM (ET)

Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church
3570 King William Avenue
West Point, VA 23181

Tribute Wall

SR

“ My heart is saddened to hear of the death of my dear friend, Helen O'Connor.

In our early years of marriage, my husband and I vacationed with Helen and Sam to Florida for a week. We had many fun times together. Helen and I kept in touch and they visited wherever we lived, along with Kim.

*At Christmas, she made beautiful red bows and I would bring goodies for the freezer.
I loved O'Connor Frame N Gift Shoppe - our home displayed that.*

After my husband died, Sam inherited a lot of his clothes. Helen would call and say Gordon Rodgers is walking around my home. Sam wants to go out every day and show off his new clothes.

Many times when I called Riverside she would have friends visiting her. She was a sweet, loving, caring person.

I will miss her dearly.

Sylvia Rodgers

Sylvia Rodgers - August 02, 2016 at 05:18 PM

MM

“ Marcus And Donna Massok lit a candle in memory of Hellen Lash O'Connor



Marcus and Donna Massok - July 05, 2016 at 11:27 AM

MM

“ Dear Mr. O'Connor and Kim, We are very sorry for your loss. Mrs. O'Connor was always very kind to us. We have great memories shopping in your store. Our thoughts are with you both. Marcus and Donna Massok

Marcus and Donna Massok - July 05, 2016 at 11:25 AM

TG

“ Tina Gulley lit a candle in memory of Hellen Lash O'Connor



tina gulley - July 05, 2016 at 10:13 AM

MR

“ To Mr. O'Connor and Kim you have my heart felt sympathy in the loss of your wife and mother. I always enjoyed seeing her when in town visiting my mother. She was a good friend to my mom. God bless you.

Maureen Radford (One of Virginia Ryczak's daughters)

Maureen Radford - July 01, 2016 at 08:01 AM

VR

“ Helen was a long time friend, a classy lady, and active in both the OLBS Church and the West Point community. She will certainly be missed. My sincere sympathy to Sam and Kim.

Virginia B. Ryczak - June 30, 2016 at 07:57 PM

MD

“ *Mary Ellen & Bobby Davis lit a candle in memory of Hellen Lash O'Connor*



Mary Ellen & Bobby Davis - June 26, 2016 at 06:22 PM

LC

“ *LARRY AND ROXANNA CLORE lit a candle in memory of Hellen Lash O'Connor*



LARRY AND ROXANNA CLORE - June 25, 2016 at 08:46 PM

JR

“ *John And Victoria K. Roane lit a candle in memory of Hellen Lash O'Connor*



john and Victoria K. Roane - June 25, 2016 at 02:11 PM

VB

“ *Virginia Blaska lit a candle in memory of Hellen Lash O'Connor*



Virginia Blaska - June 25, 2016 at 09:57 AM

MO

“ *Marcella O'Connor lit a candle in memory of Hellen Lash O'Connor*



Marcella O'Connor - June 24, 2016 at 09:22 PM

BR

“ *BETTIE RANKIN lit a candle in memory of Hellen Lash O'Connor*



BETTIE RANKIN - June 24, 2016 at 05:01 PM

MS

“ *We always appreciated what Hellen did for the community when she and Sam had their shop. She used her artistic talents to add many special touches for gifts and events. I always welcomed her good advice. Her presence will be missed. - Mary Montague Sikes*

Mary Montague Sikes - June 24, 2016 at 04:11 PM



“ *Love's Embrace Roses – White was purchased for the family of Hellen Lash O'Connor.*



June 24, 2016 at 03:13 PM

JP

“ To Sam & Kim you have my deepest sympathy. She was so sweet to me. I enjoyed are talks when I visited her. She always would advise to me. She will be missed very much.



Julie Jacks Pugh - June 23, 2016 at 08:39 PM

DF

“ Such a beautiful and classy lady. Rest in peace.



Donna Fudala - June 23, 2016 at 05:31 PM

MA

“ To Sam and Kim and family, I so enjoyed playing bridge with Helen. I know all those precious memories will bring you Roses In December. In Christian Love, Marianna and Bob Chestnutt

Marianna - June 23, 2016 at 01:57 PM

CC

“ Carrie Conklin lit a candle in memory of Hellen Lash O'Connor



Carrie Conklin - June 23, 2016 at 01:50 PM

CC

I did repairs for the O'Connors when their store was open. They were a good team and I enjoyed working with them both. Sorry to hear that Helen is gone...

Carrie Conklin - June 23, 2016 at 01:52 PM

SH

“HELLEN WAS A VERY SPECIAL PERSON-- I WORKED FOR HER SEVERAL CHRISTMAS' IN HER SHOP AND IT WAS GREAT--SHE SHOWED ME HOW TO WRAP A PRESENT IN THE CORRECT WAY AND TO MAKE A BOW THE CORRECT WAY!!! SHE ALWAYS SMILED AND WE WOULD LAUGH TOGETHER ABOUT A STORY THAT KIM WAS JEALOUS OF ME BECAUSE I HAD A SINK IN MY BEDROOM AT ONE TIME WHEN I WAS A CHILD. I JUST WISH THAT SHE AND KIM HAD WORKED OUT THEIR DIFFERENCES. I WILL MISS HER GREATLY. SHEREE EDMONDS HILTON

SHEREE EDMONDS HILTON - June 23, 2016 at 10:18 AM

 Linda Melton

“Linda Melton sent a virtual gift in memory of Hellen Lash O'Connor



Linda Melton - June 23, 2016 at 08:48 AM

LL

“Lacy & Liz lit a candle in memory of Hellen Lash O'Connor



lacy & liz - June 22, 2016 at 08:15 PM

PY

“ *Patsy Yarrington lit a candle in memory of
Hellen Lash O'Connor*



Patsy Yarrington - June 22, 2016 at 05:59 PM