



# Hester Emily Payne

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**H**ester Emily Payne "Hessie", died on Sunday, August 8, 2021 at the Caroline Center in Denton. She was 88.

Born in Eldorado, MD on February 8, 1933, she was the daughter of the late Gilbert(Pete) and Minnie Brinsfield Payne. She was educated in Dorchester County and graduated from Hurlock High School and she then attended Goldey Beacon College in Wilmington, DE. After obtaining her degree, she began a career with Acme Markets working as a cashier in Federalsburg and Hurlock stores. She retired in 1988 after 25 years of service.

Hester is survived by three children Sherry Dolby, Gary Dolby (Janet) and Vicki Donovan (Michael), 5 grandchildren Stacie Pietras (Pete), Jill Johnson (Randy), Jamie Hagadorn, Ryan Donovan (Keleigh), and Boyd Stuart (Liz); 12 great-grandchildren Victoria-Lyn Robbins (Zach), Brandt Swann (Danni Bayliss), Haley Pietras, Derek Pietras, Randall Johnson, Jr., Gavin Pietras, Brylee Hagadorn, Delilah Donovan, Aubrey Stuart, Adalin Donovan, Annabelle Stuart, and Brinleigh Donovan; 2 great-great-granddaughters Emily Robbins (granny's namesake), and Mallory-Ann Robbins; one brother Charles "Charlie-Teenie" Payne (Charlotte); a sister-in-law Mary Payne Crowley, and a host of nieces, nephews and cousins. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her brothers Donald, Gilbert, Jr.(Dink), Rayford (Buddy) Manship, William (Billy) and James (Jimmy) Payne, Sr.

The family would like to express our sincere gratitude to all of the employees in every department of the Caroline Nursing & Rehab Center for the care given to our mother, grandmother & granny.

Graveside services will be private.

Memorial donations may be made to the Cokesbury U.M. Church, 5939 Cokesbury Rd., Seaford, DE 19973 c/o Bonnie Spedden or to the Eldorado Cemetery, Frank Wilson, 5812 Puckum Rd., Rhodesdale, MD 21659-1238.



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Arrangements are entrusted to the Framptom Funeral Home by the Coales,  
Federalsburg, MD,  
(Please visit [www.framptom.com](http://www.framptom.com))



# Tribute Wall

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**Dorothy Harding** lit a candle in honor of Hester.

Sherry , Gary and Vicki , sending hugs and prayers to all of you, Hester was a very special lady , will never forget her. Dorothy & Robert Harding

August 19 at 8:33 PM



**Kathie Ostrowski** posted:

Sherry, Gary ,Vicki and your families,I am so sorry for your loss. Sending you all hugs and prayers 🙏

August 18 at 6:00 PM



**Cindy Coulbourne And Troy Short** lit a candle in honor of Hester.

I am so sorry Sherry and family! Prayers to all of you!

August 18 at 1:40 PM



**Kim Mcglaughlin** lit a candle in honor of Hester.

August 17 at 3:00 PM



**Kim Mcglaughlin** August 17 at 3:02 PM

I loved this woman dearly! She was always like a second mother to me. She was beautiful inside and out!! So sorry Sherry, Vicky and Gary!



**Kathy Willey** lit a candle in honor of Hester.

August 17 at 5:01 AM



**Daisey Swain** lit a candle in honor of Hester.

She was a very lovely lady.Pete and Daisey Swain

August 17 at 4:11 AM





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CK

**Craig And Kathy Ruf** lit a candle in honor of Hester.

August 16 at 8:39 AM



JC

**Jacqueline Clark** lit a candle in honor of Hester.

August 13 at 10:53 AM



DM

**Donna Milby** lit a candle in honor of Hester.

August 12 at 7:29 AM



BH

**Bob & Cheryl Harvey** posted:

We are all created to be unique in every way. There is that one person you would love to tell "No one like you" for she was special in our lives with her tenderness she gave to all her children's friends and more. No one will ever forget the voice of Hester. :)

August 11 at 12:25 PM

JM

**Joy Murray** lit a candle in honor of Hester.

August 11 at 5:33 AM



DW

**Dottie Williamson** lit a candle in honor of Hester.

August 10 at 6:38 PM





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**Ray Parsons** posted:

Condolences Sherry, Gary and Vicky. I always enjoyed working together with your special mother at Federalsburg Acme.

August 10 at 6:10 PM



**Debbie & Jeff Chambers** lit a candle in honor of Hester.

August 10 at 1:11 PM



**Diane Towers** lit a candle in honor of Hester.

August 10 at 8:42 AM



**Ann G. Franz** lit a candle in honor of Hester.

Ann Gang Franz lit a candle in memory of Hester Emily Payne. My prayers are with all her family. She was a very special and kind lady.

August 10 at 8:33 AM



**Sterling & Lisa Payne** lit a candle in honor of Hester.

Our condolences to the family of Hester....what a dear lady she was 💔

August 10 at 8:01 AM



**Barbara Collins** lit a candle in honor of Hester.

August 10 at 7:32 AM





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**Debbie Sterling** lit a candle in honor of Hester.

August 10 at 7:25 AM



**Lois Andrew** sent a virtual gift in honor of Hester.

August 10 at 6:35 AM



**Debbie Williamson** lit a candle in honor of Hester.

August 10 at 6:14 AM



**BG** **Bunky And Renee' Griffith** August 10 at 12:24 PM  
Sorry for your loss. She was a very nice lady

**DW** **Debbie Williamson** August 10 at 6:15 AM  
So sorry for your loss Gary, Sherry and Vickie. I remember her well.



## **Memories only last if you share them**

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



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