



Elizabeth S. Day

May 21, 1926 - January 4, 2017

Elizabeth Ann (Stoudt) Day, born May 21, 1926 in Norwich, Connecticut, passed away Wednesday, January 4, 2017 in East Brunswick, New Jersey. She was the daughter of the late William and Clara (Kamp) Stoudt, beloved wife of Keegan V. Day Sr. who preceded her in death in October 2009, and the loving mother of William V. Day (Joanne) of North Haven, Marjorie Bonessi (Bruce) of Cheshire, Robert Day (Nancy) of Nantucket, Massachusetts, Kathleen Pietrocola of North Brunswick, New Jersey, and Keegan V. Day Jr. (Cathy) of Lebanon.

Betty cared deeply for her 11 grandchildren Sara Overcash, Leah VanHorn, Kelsey Day, Stephen Day, Colleen Bonessi, Drew Bonessi, Megan Pietrocola, Michelle Pietrocola, Katelyn Pietrocola, Keegan V. Day III, Redmond Day and her first great grandchild Maya VanHorn.

Her brother, William Ronald Stoudt, her sister, Marjorie Bahr of Cheshire, and her sister-in-laws, Rita Taft and Ellen Kochersperger, also preceded her in death.

Betty attended Norwich Free Academy and was a proud graduate of the University of Connecticut. She received accolades as Class Actress from both schools. Betty went on to earn her Masters of Education at Southern Connecticut University. She was employed for many years as a Child Support Investigator for the State of Connecticut but was happiest at home raising her five children and orchestrating many lively family turkey dinners.

Betty was a faithful member of St. Rita's Church in Hamden supporting the

soup kitchen and attending Prayer Groups. She was an active member of the Emmaus Christian Community for many years. She was also a beloved friend to many in her surrounding community.

Her favorite Pennsylvania Dutch saying was “We get too soon oldt und too late schmart.”

A Mass of Christian Burial will be Celebrated Saturday at 9 a.m. in St. Rita Church. Burial in St. Joseph Cemetery, 815 Boswell Ave. Norwich. Calling hours are Friday (Today) from 4 - 7 p.m. in Sisk Brothers Funeral Home 3105 Whitney Ave. Hamden. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to EWTN. (www.ewtn.com) providing Christian programs and the daily mass to those unable to attend. To leave an online condolence please visit www.siskbrothers.com

Cemetery Details

St. Josephs Cemetery

Norwich, CT

Previous Events

Calling hours

JAN 6. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Sisk Brothers Funeral Home
3105 Whitney Ave.
Hamden, CT 06518
(203) 288-7114
siskfuneral@sbcglobal.net

Funeral service

JAN 7. 9:00 AM (ET)

St. Rita Church
1620 Whitney Ave.
Hamden, CT

Tribute Wall



“ I did not have the good fortune to meet "Betty" until 2013 my interactions with her were nothing short of colorful. I'm a close, close friend of her son Robert. He and his family have shown me a kindness and generosity over the years that does not happen on accident and I believe I can thank Mrs. Day at least partially for that. ALSO, will never forget her speech at the wedding of her granddaughter Leah to Greg, "Get cookin' Greg!"

Greg Hall - January 10, 2017 at 02:41 PM

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“ So many memories of Round Hill Road..... Mrs Day was always such a kind woman . Growing up with Margie, Bobby, Kathy, (Billy was Older...Keegan Jr. much younger) and the other neighborhood kids... was "what growing up was all about! Mrs. Day and the rest of the Mom's were the BEST neighborhood Mom's ever!! Back in the day, you walked into any of the houses in our neighborhood and you were known, and welcome.....RIP Mrs. Day...another great mom joining the neighborhood angels!

Betsy Eglee Lapointe - January 06, 2017 at 07:08 PM



“ My heart goes out to you all in this difficult time. Prayers and good energy to you all.

Hugs,
Lisa Kochersperger
(Her niece)

Lisa Kochersperger - January 06, 2017 at 01:39 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Elizabeth S. Day.*



January 06, 2017 at 09:56 AM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Elizabeth S. Day.*



January 06, 2017 at 07:51 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Elizabeth S. Day.*



January 06, 2017 at 05:38 AM

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“ Although I only knew and visited Elizabeth for only a few months at Chelsea, she brought such joy and warmth into this world. My worries always went away as soon as I saw her beautiful face with that gorgeous pink hair. I wish I could have pulled that off. I will NEVER forget her and will always remember the smile we both had. She was a fighter to the end!

*Patricia Lindgren
Grace Healthcare Volunteer*

Patricia Lindgren - January 05, 2017 at 05:06 PM

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“ We remember Elizabeth well...she showed total love and commitment to her children and grandchildren...such a gracious lady...so glad we knew her!
Peter, Donna, Kate Lange

Donna L. Lange - January 05, 2017 at 12:59 PM