



## Helen M. Charles

January 11, 2013

CHARLES, Helen M. ( nee Mergl), of Westminster MD, and formally of River Edge, NJ of over 50 years, died on January 11, 2013. Beloved wife of the late (1995) Jesse T. Charles. Devoted mother of Beverly Marlowe-Hancock and her husband Stuart Hancock Jr.( Finksburg, MD.); Janet Lynn McIntyre (Clifton, N.J.). Dear sister of Dorothy Novack ( Forked River, N.J) and predeceased by her brother Charles Mergl and her sister Honeygirl Mergl. Loving Grandmother of Anthony Tedesco and his wife Maureen (Clifton, N.J.); Jennifer Marretta and her husband Tom( Totowa N.J.); Angelique Marlowe ( Paris, France). Cherished Great Grandmother of Crystal Tennant, Thomas, Dominick and Jake Marretta; Aidan and Riley Tedesco. Cherished Great Great Grandmother of Noel Hancock and Isabella Tennant. Helen was active at the Reformed Church in River Edge and Hackensack, NJ, at Calvary Church in Finksburg, MD and the Lutheran Church at Carroll Lutheran Village in Westminster, MD, where she was a resident for the past 2 years. She touched the lives of those she came in contact with and will be greatly missed. Family and friends are invited for visitation on Sunday, January 20 from 1:00 to 5:00 PM at Volk Leber Funeral Home, 268 Kinderkamack Road, Oradell, NJ. A funeral service will begin at 10:00 AM on Monday, January 21 at the funeral home. Interment to follow at George Washington Memorial Park, Paramus, NJ. In lieu of flowers, the family would greatly appreciate donations in her name to: Carroll Lutheran Village, 300 St. Luke Circle, Westminster, MD 21158.



# Tribute Wall



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“ My earliest recall of the time spent with my sister was her Wedding to Jesse at Teaneck Community Church and her wedding reception on Easter Sunday in our parents home. The home was wall to wall people, my sister honeygirl and i hid our Easter baskets so that no one could find them. My brothers was out in the open. after the wedding my brother had no candy left. We made many trips to Virginia and visited Jesse and Helen her by car, bus and train. Helen and her family moved back to NJ when I was a teenager. We were very close to each other at that point in our lives. I babysat for her and she was so happy to be able to get out with her husband. Once I got married we always confided in each other about our children and spent time being there for each other. Helen's move to Maryland separated us by distance but it did not separate our hearts. Our phone bills mounted quickly as we spoke weekly. My surprise visits to her brought her much happiness and smiles from ear to ear. I will truly miss my eldest sister she had so many pleasant ways about her. I feel God was good to her. Our pleasant memories will always remain close at heart. Lots of Love, Dot (your baby sister)###imported-begin###Dot and Bernie Novack###imported-end###

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“ Our beloved Aunt Helen will be dearly missed. I remember her visits with my Mom in Saddle Brook, N.J. for tea. She always brought us scholastic books to read. We enjoyed tea parties at Aunt Mary's in Woodridge, N.J. and tea parties at Aunt Helen's house in River Edge, N.J. What I remember most about Aunt Helen is every Nurses Day she sent me a card and Aunt Helen never missed a Birthday. May God Bless her and her family and may she rest in peace. Lots of Love, Holly Vannucci Chaffee###imported-begin###Holly and David Chaffee###imported-end###

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