



Mary Charlotte Ware

December 21, 1920 - February 23, 2021

Mary Charlotte Ware, a former Huntington resident from 1946-2002, died February 23, 2021, in Winchester, VA, at Westminster-Canterbury Retirement Community. Born on Dec. 21, 1920, to Frederick L. and Janet M. Day in Erie, PA, she remained in Erie until her marriage in 1944 to Dale W. Ware, a Huntington native and career teacher. A 1942 graduate of Allegheny College, she taught in Girard, PA, during WWII, then moved to Huntington in 1946 where they established a home and family.

Mary Charlotte pursued flower gardening, dressmaking, and singing for a lifetime. She also served as a faithful member of The First Presbyterian Church, Huntington.

She was preceded in death by her husband in 1981 and her son-in-law David Park in 2020. She is survived by her children's families: Douglas and Virginia Babcock Ware, Chapel Hill, N.C.; Carolyn Ware Park, Stephens City, VA; David and Mary Ann Oakey Ware, Saint Joseph, MI; Anna Marie Ware, Chapel Hill, N.C.; William and Kristin Ware Paine, Nashville, TN; Jacob Ware, Grand Rapids, MI; Russell Ware, Saint Joseph, MI; Brad Miller and Meredith Park, Loveland, CO; Matthew and Rachel Park Haws, Purcellville, VA; Joshua and Lauren Park Wind, Washington D.C., and 5 great-granddaughters.

Private Burial will take place at Pilgrim's Rest Cemetery, Huntington, IN.

Contributions or memorials may be made to The Dale Ware Memorial Scholarship Fund at Huntington University or to your favorite charity.

Please sign the online guest book at www.baileylove.com.

Bailey-Love Mortuary is honored to serve the family of Mary Charlotte Ware.

Tribute Wall

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“ To the Ware family, I remember meeting Mary, your mother when Dale & she attended the First Presbyterian Church in Huntington. They were very active in the church. She lived a long life realizing she was 101 years old. Rest In Peace & May you keep you good memories of her in your heart. God's Blessings to your family.
Pat Brown



Patricia A Brown - April 29, 2021 at 03:56 PM

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“ Doug and Carolyn. I just read about your Mom. All of you are in my thoughts and prayers. I have alot of good memories over the years knowing your mom. One which really stands out is when my Siamese Cat Tevi Jo died. She was at Dr. Poppy's office, she'd been ill a few days. I went in thinking I was going to pick her up. The receptionist told me she had died. I was in shock. And who was in the waiting room? Your Mom. I'm sure we'd said hi when I went in. She stood up, put her arms around me and hugged me as I sobbed uncontrollably, sat me down and waited with me until Dr. Poppy took me back to Tevi. She was my Angel that day. God be with all of you... it's tough but my memories have sustained me after my parents moved onto Eternity...I hope your memories will help you too....and our parents are always with us in spirit and in our hearts.

Terry Earhart - March 10, 2021 at 02:13 PM

CP

Terry, I am just going through records and found your loving comments. Mom realized how important pets are to happiness. I'm glad she comforted you. My daughter went to Dr. Poppy's with her when it was time for Gussy. Large moments in our lives. Thanks for your note.

Carolyn Park - March 13, 2023 at 03:30 PM

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“*Doug, Carolyn and David: So sorry to hear about your Mom. She was a lovely lady and I have many good memories from Salamonie Ave. Prayers for all of you.*
Kay Paul Nahrgang

Kay Nahrgang - March 04, 2021 at 11:21 AM

CP

Thank you Kay for your memory comments about Mom. Those relationships from long ago pop up bringing smiles to our hearts. Salamonie was a great street for memories.

Carolyn Park - March 13, 2023 at 03:32 PM