



June Elaine Ward

May 6, 1929 - December 23, 2010

June Elaine Davis Ward, 82, of Newnan, GA died December 23, 2010 while in Hospice Care of cancer.

June is survived by her husband of 60 years, Donald E. Ward, 3 children, Nancy Morgan of Fayetteville, GA, Ron Ward of Topeka, KS and Eric Ward of Annapolis, MD. She also survived by 10 grandchildren, Rodney and Donald Ward and Amanda Ward of Topeka, KS, Todd Morgan of Columbus, GA, Jill, Kyle and Katelynn Morgan of Fayetteville and Jim, Jason and Jaclyn Ward of Annapolis and 15 great grandchildren and surely more to come. Online condolences may be expressed to the family at www.mckoon.com

She was born in Camden, New Jersey on May 6, 1929 to the late R. Wesley and Janet Davis. At 9 years of age, her family moved to Glendale, NJ where she graduated from Trenton Central High School in 1947. She went on to graduate from the Mercer Hospital School of Nursing in 1950 and received her "RN" in June 1951.

She and Don were married in the Cadwalader Heights Methodist Church on October 7, 1950 and lived with Don's parents for a short time after they were first married. They moved to one of the tenant homes on the family farm in Crosswicks, NJ and lived there until moving to Vineland, NJ in 1957 where they lived until 1986.

June worked at Newcomb Hospital as a floor nurse, recovery and operating room and finally as disease control specialist before retiring after 22 years. They moved to Smith Mountain Lake, VA where they spent 19 years enjoying

retirement to its fullest. June often remarked that her time at “the lake” were the best years of her life.

Getting on in years, they choose to move closer to their daughter, Nancy. They moved to Fayetteville, GA and then to Wesley Woods of Newnan-PTC, GA, where they have lived for 3 years. With the move, they have enjoyed having family close by and spending lots of time with their daughter’s family. She and Don recently celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary and just about the entire family were present for the occasion. To quote Andre Maurois, “a happy marriage is a long conversation, which is always too short.” June Ward, matriarch of the Ward family, in her memory leaves a loving family.

Services will be held at Wesley Woods Newnan-PTC 3:30 Sunday, December 26th at Woody’s. In lieu of flowers, the family has requested donations be made to Wesley Woods of Newnan-PTC, 2280 Highway 29 North, Newnan, GA 30265. McKoon Funeral Home 38 Jackson St. Newnan, Ga 30263 770-253-4580.

Cemetery Details

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory

38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
(770) 253-4580
care@mckoon.com
<http://www.mckoon.com>

Previous Events

Service

DEC **26**. 3:30 PM (ET)

Wesley Woods of Newnan-Peachtree City
2280 North Hwy 29
Newnan, GA 30265

Tribute Wall

AS

“ June and I were directly related through our common ancestor John Stopani who came from Italy in the late 1800's. We spoke once whilst I was in the USA and you were able to tell me about your uncles and aunts who I never met. I cherish that moment. May ministering angels look after you. Requiescat in pace.

Alan Stopani - January 13, 2011 at 05:07 AM

RW

“ I'm so very sad about Nanas passing. I always wanted to get back there for a visit so she could meet her great grandchildren. I miss her and the family alot. She was the best woman i've ever known. She never judged us. The world is a darker place without her.

Rodney J. Ward - January 08, 2011 at 12:58 AM

AW

“ I am very sad to hear that Nana is no longer with us. I loved her very much although I did not get to spend much time with her during my life. I am sorry that I did not get to say good bye, and she will never get to see my children. She will forever be in my heart, thoughts, and prayers. I love you Pop-pop and I am thinking about you. I am so sorry I could not be there. Love, Amanda

Amanda Ward - January 03, 2011 at 05:33 PM