



Edith Mae Keller

April 3, 1942 - March 16, 2023

Edith “DD” Mae Keller was a loving and caring daughter, wife, mother, sister, aunt and friend. She left this world peacefully, surrounded by family, on March 16, 2023, at the young age of 81.

Edith was born to Lloyd Bartlett and Doris Duncan on April 3, 1942. She always lived her life to the fullest and was always ready for a good time. As she entered a room, she would look at you and say, “Hello, Sweetheart!”, with a huge smile on her face and a twinkle in her eyes. You couldn’t help but smile at her. She was always happy unless she was having a bad hair day, then you definitely knew it.

Edith was a true sweetheart with such a huge heart. She was always willing to listen to anyone who needed to talk or just be there when times were tough and try to help any she could. When her sister Ellie passed at an early age, Edith didn’t think twice about helping to raise her children and then grandchildren. She wanted to be a part of their lives and nothing thrilled her more than receiving a phone call from one of them and hearing those words we all long to hear, “I love you.”

Edith enjoyed family gatherings and loved the car rides to visit with them. She loved to sing and dance. Whether she was good at it or not, she did not let that stop her. She was a unique, fun loving, easy going person who will be

dearly missed. Life was never dull or boring when DD was around.

Edith was welcomed at the pearly gates by her parents; her siblings, Margaret "Ellie" Compton, William "Bill" Bartlett and James "Jimmy" Bartlett; her son James Keller; and her great niece, Michelle DeCristafaro, whom she lent a hand in raising.

Edith is survived by her daughter, Sharon Keller, and her brother, Patrick "Pat" (Jean) Bartlett. While she had many nieces and nephews, the nephews she helped raise were Ronnie Compton and Timothy DeCristafaro, Sr., and the great nephews she helped with were Brandon, Justin, Patrick and Timothy Jr. DeCristafaro. Her bright stars on a dark night.

"May there be comfort in knowing that someone so special will never be forgotten." ~ Julie Hebert

"I'd like the memory of me to be a happy one.

I'd like to leave an afterglow of smiles when life is done.

I'd like to leave an echo whispering softly down the ways,

Of happy times and laughing times and bright and sunny days.

I'd like the tears of those who grieve, to dry before the sun;

Of happy memories that I leave when life is done." ~ Helen Lowrie Marshall

Cemetery Details

Stonewall Memory Gardens

12004 Lee Highway
Manassas, VA 20109
<http://www.stonewallmemorygardens.com>

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 23. 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Pierce Funeral Home
9609 Center St.
Manassas, VA 20110
(703) 257-6028
pfh@piercefh.com
<https://www.piercefh.com>

Funeral Service

MAR 24. 12:00 PM (ET)

Pierce Funeral Home
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Burial

MAR **24**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Edith Mae Keller.*



March 23, 2023 at 07:54 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Edith Mae Keller.*



March 23, 2023 at 10:21 AM



“ *Tracy lit a candle in memory of Edith Mae Keller*



Tracy - March 22, 2023 at 08:26 PM

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“ Edith was so much fun to hang out with. She loved to have fun. She took me in at one point. She was a good person all the way around. We had some great laughs. She was such a sweetheart. She made you feel welcome. She was fun to go out with and just have a good ol time. She was very loved by many including myself. She will be greatly missed. It's not goodbye it's see ya later.



R.I.P. Dear Friend

Sharon Church - March 22, 2023 at 06:33 PM

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“ Billy & Tracy Oldfather purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Edith Mae Keller.



Billy & Tracy Oldfather - March 22, 2023 at 05:06 PM