



## Nancy Keaton

April 9, 1931 - November 5, 2008

NANCY LOUISE KEATON, age 77, of Manassas, Virginia died on November 5, 2008 in Manassas, Virginia. A previous resident of Candor, New York, Tacoma, Washington and Connell, Washington, she lived in Manassas since 1973 with her husband of 51 years, Robert S. Keaton Jr. of Snohomish, Washington.

Nancy was born on April 9, 1931 in Pasco, Washington to Alta and Lawrence Robison. Nancy graduated from Whitman College in Walla Walla, Washington and went on to obtain her masters degree from Elmira University in upstate New York. Nancy taught in the Business department at Osbourn High School in Manassas from 1977 until her retirement. Previous jobs include teacher at Camp McCormack in Candor, New York, real estate agent at Century 21 and staff member at the Journal Messenger newspaper in Manassas. She volunteered in the community and was the membership secretary for the Arlington-Fairfax Chapter of the Izaak Walton League of America for many years. A person of unquestionable integrity she earned the respect and affection of everyone she met.

Nancy was preceded in death by her parents Alta and Lawrence Robison, Sr. and her brother, Lawrence Robison Jr. Survivors include husband, Robert S. Keaton Jr.; sister, Marian Campbell of Martinsville, Virginia; son, Don Keaton, his wife Sallie and their children, Benjamin and Shayna of Grand Rapids,

Michigan; daughter, Janice Mernin, her husband Matt and their children, Sarah and Ethan of Manassas, Virginia; son, Andrew Keaton, his wife Sharon and their children, Dillan and Caleb of Amissville, Virginia. She is also survived by a niece Terri Robison of Seattle, Washington; nephews, Micky and Shane Robison and families; nephews Cliff and Clare Campbell and families, as well as many other relatives and friends.

A celebration of Nancy's life will be held on Saturday, November 15, 2008 at Pierce Funeral Home, 9609 Center Street, Manassas. The family will receive guests beginning at 1:00 P.M. with service following at 2:00 P.M.

Expressions of sympathy may take the form of contributions to SERVE, Inc., 10056 Dean Drive, Manassas, Virginia 20110, Phone (703) 368-2979, Online: [www.serveinc.org](http://www.serveinc.org).

Condolences may be sent to [www.piercefh.com](http://www.piercefh.com).

# Tribute Wall

OS

“ *Bobbie and I are so very sorry that Nancy is no longer with us. Our deepest sympathies go out to you. If there is anything I can do to help, please let me know. Oscar*

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**Oscar Starz** - March 29, 2013 at 02:03 PM

PK

“ *Bob and Family,  
As part of the Washington state contingent of Keatons, Molly and I would like to send our condolences for the loss of your wife and mother. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.  
Pat*

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**Pat Keaton** - March 29, 2013 at 02:03 PM

JM

“ *Nancy was such a wonderful person to know and work with. She was a great mentor to me at Osbourn. Chuck and I are so sorry to hear of her passing. She touched everyone she knew and she will be missed.*

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**Jean McDanal** - March 29, 2013 at 02:03 PM

GS

“ *My thoughts and prayers go out to you. I worked w/Nancy at Osbourn from 1978 until she retired. She was very dedicated to her job there and we really missed her when she retired, but we knew she wanted to experience life outside of the classroom walls. Now she is in the heavenly classroom.*

*May God Bless You*

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**Gay Statler** - March 29, 2013 at 02:03 PM

DM

“ Nancy was a good friend to all and always went out of her way to help. We will miss her. Thank you, Nancy.

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**Doug Minnig** - March 29, 2013 at 02:03 PM

DR

“ Nancy was a great person and we will miss her.

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**Dan And Kristi Roberts** - March 29, 2013 at 02:03 PM



“ With sincerest sympathy we send this message to you and your family. May Almighty God give you the strength to overcome the pain (Ps.34:18) in time and also to help you cope with your loss each day. Mrs. Keaton will be sadly missed.

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December 03, 2008 at 12:00 AM

WH

“ It has indeed been my pleasure knowing you. Your dedication to and effort for IWLA-AFC shall not be forgotten.

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**WILLIAM HILL,JR.** - November 12, 2008 at 12:00 AM