



Theresa Chenette

December 12, 1921 - January 3, 2010

GENEVIEVE THERESA DILLEY CHENETTE

On Saturday, January 2, 2010, Genevieve went to sleep at home in Manassas, Virginia and woke up Sunday, January 3, 2010 in heaven.

Born on December 12, 1921 at home in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania to the late Genevieve Veronica Dougherty and the late John Andrew Dilley. Gen was the beloved wife of the late Frank Albert Chenette. Survived by brothers, Daniel Dilley and wife Mary Susan of Lancaster, Pennsylvania and Robert Dilley and wife Jackie of Camp Hill, Pennsylvania and sister Mary Lee of Frostburg, Maryland. Preceded in death by brothers, John, Joseph, Leo and sister Miriam.

Extraordinary and cherished mother of seven children, Michelle Gore and husband Dan, Dee Tuchfarber and partner Jim Simonin, Frank Chenette and wife Michelle Simko, Jeanie Chenette and partner Kelly Taylor, Greg Chenette and partner Martie Henry, Chris Korzendorfer and husband Fritz and James Chenette and wife Charlotte. 13 grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren and four more great grandchildren yet to be welcomed in 2010 survive Nana. Numerous loving nieces and nephews also survive Aunt Gen.

Gen was a loyal fan of the Cubs, Braves (Boston, Milwaukee and Atlanta) and

Notre Dame Football. Mom will have a front row seat when the Cubbies make it to the World Series. Gen was also an avid Scrabble player, crossword puzzler and enjoyed "the recipe." Mom wanted to be remembered as the mother of seven children, a proud Navy wife and a proud Navy mother.

A prayer service will be said 11:00 A.M. Thursday, January 21, 2010 at Pierce Funeral Home, 9609 Center Street, Manassas with Rev. Robert C. Cilinski officiating. Burial at 2:00 P.M. in Arlington National Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, Genevieve has asked for a donation be made to the Navy-Marine Corps Relief Society, 875 North Randolph Street, Suite 225, Arlington, Virginia 22203. www.nmcrs.org/donation2.html.

Tribute Wall

VO

“ *Peace to your family.*

Victor, Michelle, Phil & Joe Oha - March 29, 2013 at 02:01 PM

JS

“ *My sincerest condolences to the entire family. Your mother knows how much each of you loved and cared for her. She's in a special place now where she continues to watch over you and all of her grandchildren and great grandchildren all of whom she loved dearly.*

Jim Simonin - March 29, 2013 at 02:01 PM

PE

“ *Our sincerest condolences are sent to Jeanie and the entire family. Genevieve was a proud member, along with Jeanie, of the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution and Washington Old Hall Chapter, Washington Village, England. Your Mother is in the Chapter and National Society prayers as we say good-bye to our dear DAR Sister.*

Patricia Everts - March 29, 2013 at 02:01 PM

GH

“ *With sincere condolences to Jeanie and all her family, from a Chapter sister. I know your mother must have been a wonderful lady, and will be greatly missed by all her family and friends.*

Gloria Hassall

Gloria Hassall - March 29, 2013 at 02:01 PM

LM

“ My deepest condolences to the Chenette family. Though most of us never had the chance to meet her, Genevieve was a cherished member of Washington Old Hall Chapter, NSDAR. She is deeply missed.

LaDonna Maville - March 29, 2013 at 02:01 PM

BC

“ Nana was a beautiful, sweet soul. We are all fortunate to have known her and speaking selfishly, I wish I could have spent more time with her. The power of her legacy is seen in the loving family she raised - certainly, she will be missed. Her ship has left the shore but there are plenty of people awaiting her arrival on the other shore and they are rejoicing.

I will never forget her sweet, soft voice and her loving demeanor. May God bless her and her family through this time of sorrow and mourning.

Bryan Chapman - March 29, 2013 at 02:01 PM

MM

“ With deep sympathy to a great family from Mike, Jami, Jake and Dave, Jane, Shannon, Matt, Evan.

Mike Montgomery - March 29, 2013 at 02:01 PM

BM

“ I send my deepest sympathy to the family. A Mass will be offered for Gen at St. Philip's Church on February 24th at 7 p.m.

Bernice Montgomery

Bernice Montgomery - March 29, 2013 at 02:01 PM

ST

“ Nana,

I love you! I am thankful for the times and laughs we shared together, you have been a true inspiration in my life and I am a better person for being around you. Thanks for all you have done, and your legacy will be carried on through my children.

I love you Babe, Go Irish!

Shayne

Shayne Tuchfarber - March 29, 2013 at 02:01 PM

DK

“ Nana,

I love you and will miss you.

Devon

Devon Korzendorfer - January 13, 2010 at 12:00 AM