



Elizabeth Lyon

April 11, 1926 - February 25, 2016

Elizabeth Ann Lyon (Betty) age 89, died Thursday, February 25, 2016 at Tidelands Community Hospice House.

Born in Pelham, NY, she was a daughter of the late Joseph and Helen Shields. Mrs. Lyon was a member of Pawleys Island Presbyterian Church. She was a charter member of Dorcas Disciples and a Stephens Minister, and was a recipient of the Presbyterian Woman Award. She was a volunteer for Tidelands Community Hospice and an avid tennis player. She was well loved and admired in her community. Everyone respected her and all that she achieved. Mrs. Lyon was preceded in death by her husband of 52 years, Fred Lyon; brothers, Joseph Shields, Jr. and William Shields; sisters, Helen Lynch and Ann Nichols.

Survivors include sons, Geof Lyon (Celene) of Rockport, MA, Leland Lyon (Diane) of Roanoke, VA and Greg Lyon (Tara) of Mamaroneck, NY; a daughter, Beth Wheeler (Richard) of Little Rock, AR; grandchildren, Lee, Heather, Lauren, Olivia, and Hunter; and a sister, Aileen Cronan (Jerry) of Shawnee Mission, KS.

A memorial service will be held at 3:00 PM Sunday, February 28, 2016 at Pawleys Island Presbyterian Church.

Sign an online guestbook at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com/obituaries

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to: Pawleys Island Presbyterian Church, 9967 Ocean Hwy. Pawleys Island, SC 29585 or to Tidelands Community Hospice, 2591 N. Fraser St. Georgetown, SC 29440 .

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.

Previous Events

Service

FEB **28**. 3:00 PM (ET)

Pawleys Island Presbyterian Church Cemetery
Pawleys Island, SC 29585

Tribute Wall

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“ I can still picture my mom and aunt Betty dressed in their white outfits playing tennis at the new rochelle shore club. The holiday dinners at aunt Betty and uncle Fred were legendary. I had a wonderful childhood and my aunt Betty was a part of it. Oh that smile and sense of humor. Rest in peace aunt Betty from your loving nephew T.J. Geoff, Beth and Greg, i'm so sorry.

Tj nichols - February 27, 2016 at 11:21 AM

JS

“ Jacqueline and I always enjoyed being around Betty. She was always extremely kind and generous! It's obvious that her son, Rudy, was raised by such a great woman! - JL

Jack StClair - February 26, 2016 at 02:45 PM

MS

“ We are shocked to hear of Bettys passing. She was a dear close friend and we shared many happy times together during our 18 years in Pawleys Plantation. Also, Fred went to New Rochelle High School with Mary Jane and I and we played in the band together many many moons ago. Betty was a very vibrant and independent person who never seem to give in to her age. She will be missed by all of her friends. Our sincere condolences to all of the family. God bless! Bob and Mary Jane Stevens

Mr & Mrs Robert G. Stevens - February 26, 2016 at 12:45 PM

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“ *Your Friends at Govmark purchased the Health Nut Basket for the family of Elizabeth Lyon.*



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