



Patricia "Pat" Shorter Giles

June 18, 1934 - December 22, 2024

Patricia "Pat" Shorter Giles passed away peacefully in Danville on December 22, 2024 at the age of 90.

She was born on June 18, 1934 and was a daughter of the late Willie "Bill" Stone Shorter and Eula Adkins Shorter.

She is survived by her two daughters, Tondea Giles Bailey (Bob) and Amy Giles Martin (Tom); three grandchildren, Mindy Bailey (Chad), Monica Finlay (Jamie) and Andrew Martin; five great-grandchildren, Chase, Madison and Collin Lesko and Grant and Caroline Finlay; one sister, Sheila Craddock (Tom) and numerous nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Glenn D. Giles and sister, Billie Ann Marilla. She was also predeceased by her grandson, Patrick Thomas Martin.

Pat was well known for her knitting skills and loved to share this and to help others with their projects. She was involved in several knitting groups throughout Danville. She also enjoyed crocheting, gardening and painting. She was previously active in several groups, including The Wednesday Club, Forest Hills Garden Club, United Methodist Women, PEO and Beta Sigma Phi Sorority.

Pat was a member of Mount Vernon United Methodist Church.

A graveside service will be held on Friday, December 27, 2024 at 2:00 p.m. at Hillcrest Burial Park in Chatham, VA with Dr. Sam Trent officiating. The family will receive friends following the service at the cemetery and at others times at the residence of her daughter, Amy Martin.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorial contributions be made to Mount Hermon Fire and Rescue, 4268 Franklin Turnpike, Danville, VA 24540 or to a charity of your choice.

The family would like to especially thank the staff at Brookdale Danville Piedmont for all of their loving care and kindness over the past three years and also to Nayar Hospice for the last 6 months.

Wrenn-Yeatts Funeral Homes, Westover Chapel is respectfully serving the Giles family.

Cemetery Details

Hillcrest Burial Park

399 Hill Crest Lane
Chatham, VA 24531

Previous Events

Graveside Service

DEC 27. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Receive Friends

DEC 27 (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JR

“ Pat was such a delight to know. Her smile and happy disposition warmed the day . I send my deepest sympathy to her family. Love, Judy Robertson



Judy Robertson - December 26, 2024 at 05:00 PM

YH

“ Dear family of Pat Giles. So sorry for your loss. Pat was a special lady and I am thankful for the years we spent together in sorority. She will be greatly missed. Yvonne Haraway

Yvonne Haraway - December 26, 2024 at 04:02 PM

GM

“ I'm so sorry. Pat was a wonderful person ❤️



Grace Marilla - December 24, 2024 at 12:48 PM

BM

“ I'll never forget her sweet and gracious spirit. I loved being around her. She was so kind and such an intelligent lady. She knit a few sweaters for my children that I have safely tucked away after they outgrew them for their own children to wear one day. It meant a lot to me that she made those. I'm sending love from Brandy, Eddie & family to all of her friends and family

Brandy Marilla - December 24, 2024 at 12:31 PM