



Helenrae Grover

December 8, 1932 - August 20, 2020

*LIVE-STREAM OPTION: for those unable to attend the service in-person, you are welcome to visit the GraceCrossing Community Church Facebook page on Sunday for a live-stream of the service. The page to visit is: www.facebook.com/GraceCrossingPhoenixville

Helenrae Mossie Grover, age 87, wife of William M. Grover, of Phoenixville, PA, passed away on Thursday, August 20, 2020 at home. Born on December 8, 1932 in Phoenixville, PA, she was a daughter of the late Raymond and Erma (Tompkins) Mossie.

Mrs. Grover was a graduate of Phoenixville High School, and served as the Chairperson for her class reunions. She began her 25 years of work at the Freedoms Foundation at Valley Forge as a secretary, and would go on to become the Vice President of Awards.

As a 70 year member of GraceCrossing Community Church in Phoenixville, she was a member of the Choir, a Sunday School teacher, and until recently continued to hold Bible Study in her home. Mrs. Grover was a founding member of the Forge Theater in Phoenixville, a board member of the Northern Chester County Visiting Nurses Association, and served as Past President of the Phoenixville Hospital Women's Auxiliary. Her time at the Bookworm began as a volunteer, and she would eventually move on to become the Manager.

Mrs. Grover was recognized at a reception at the former Crystal Ballroom, honoring her more than 1000 hours of volunteer service.

In addition to her husband of 69 years, Mrs. Grover is survived by three children, George Raymond, husband of Phyllis Grover of Maryland, John Christopher, husband of Barbara Grover of Phoenixville, and Julia K.L. Grover, wife of Betty of North Carolina; one sister, Anne Marie Solliday of New Tripoli; seven grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren; and her loving dog and companion, Nala. Mrs. Grover was preceded in death by one son, William Fletcher Grover, and four siblings, Raymond Mossie, James Mossie, Robert Mossie, and Peggy Lou Finnefrock.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend her memorial service at the GraceCrossing Community Church, 248 Church Street, Phoenixville, PA on Sunday, August 30, 2020 at 12:30 pm. Officiating will be Rev. Daniel E. McDowell. Burial will be held privately. Friends will be received from 11:30 am - 12:30 pm Sunday at the Church. Masks will be required to enter the church, and social distancing guidelines will be followed. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made in her name to the GraceCrossing Community Church at the address above. Condolences may be made by visiting www.PhoenixvilleFuneralHome.com. Arrangements are being handled by the Campbell - Ennis - Klotzbach Funeral Home, Inc., Phoenixville, Pennsylvania.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **30**. 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM (ET)

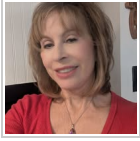
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Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *My condolences to all of Helenrae's family. I have fond memories of her from when my mother and I went to bible study meetings at her house. She was a woman of faith and provided insight and understanding to the scriptures we studied. Her trust in the Lord and belief in Heaven were a strong foundation and comfort in her life. May you be comforted that she is rejoicing in Heaven with God despite missing her dearly here on Earth.*

Sincerely,
Jamie Cote

Jamie Cote - August 28, 2020 at 02:41 PM



“ *Uncle Bill and family so sorry for the loss of Aunt Helenrae.*

May fond memories of Aunt Helenrae bring you all comfort during this hard time in your lives. My heart and prayers go out to you and the entire family.

Wishing you courage, strength and love to help you all through this loss. Aunt Helenrae will stay ageless in the memories of those of us who loved her.

May God be with you all during this time and always,

Bob & Mary Mossie

Bob & Mary Mossie - August 26, 2020 at 09:02 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Helenrae Grover.



August 26, 2020 at 04:46 PM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Helenrae Grover.



August 26, 2020 at 11:43 AM



“ Tom Yenchick lit a candle in memory of Helenrae Grover



Tom Yenchick - August 25, 2020 at 11:18 PM



I have many fond memories of Helenrae from Forge Theater at Forge Theatre and The Bookworm. I spent a good deal of time with her and Bill. She will be missed.

Tom Yenchick - August 25, 2020 at 11:20 PM



“ My condolences to the Grover family. I have fine memories of her from my times at Forge Theater.

john natale - August 25, 2020 at 03:07 PM

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“ To the Grover Family,
I am so sorry to hear of Helenrae's passing. Please accept my heartfelt sympathy. What a wonderful woman, and so passionate about every project she undertook. She is so fondly remembered for her years of dedication and service to Forge Theatre in every possible capacity - on stage and behind the scenes. Strangely enough, as I was trying to organize all my theatre music just last week, I came across my score and program for the benefit show I worked on with Helenrae - with a youth cast, "No, No, a Million Times No." It seems so long ago!. She was certainly a perfectionist and an asset to every organization with which she was involved. My thoughts and prayers are with you during this difficult time. May the many wonderful memories you have of Helenrae bring you some sense of comfort in the coming weeks.
Sincerely, Denise Wisneski

Denise Wisneski - August 25, 2020 at 12:25 PM

RD

“ Rosemarie An John Dettra lit a candle in memory of Helenrae Grover



Rosemarie an John Dettra - August 25, 2020 at 08:49 AM

AM

“ There are old friends from the Old Baptist Church of Phoenixville, lined up to hug and talk to her. What a fine Christian lady and woman. To say she will be missed is a vast understatement. Art Mauger, Phoenixville.

Art Mauger - August 24, 2020 at 03:41 PM

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“ *Syl and I share our finest condolences on the passing of this dear soul. We have fond memories of our interactions at our beloved Bookworm, and at Forge Theater over many, many years.*



Sal and Sylvia Katz of Phoenixville, PA - August 24, 2020 at 02:14 PM