



Evelyn G. Richardson

January 20, 1919 - January 25, 2021

Evelyn G. Richardson, 102 years of age, passed away peacefully on Monday, January 25, 2021. Born January 20, 1919 in Christiansburg, Virginia, the daughter of Leonard and Essie Epperly, Evelyn experienced a life filled with wonderful memories, a loving family, and a historic perspective, seeing so much in her 102 years with us.

Evelyn shared the blessings of her life through crafting, cooking, gardening, traveling, and visits with her family. In addition to being a wife, mother, grandmother, and great grandmother, she was a dedicated employee at J. Freezer, Hercules Powder Company, and in later years as the Executive Housekeeper for George Preas at the Sheraton Red Lion Inn in Blacksburg, Virginia. During her twenty plus years at the Red Lion Inn, Evelyn was honored as a nationally recognized Executive Housekeeper of the year, receiving two awards courtesy of Sheraton in New York City. The life and life experiences of this special and loving lady are as great and memorable as the incredible number of years she shared with us on earth and the countless number of friends she made during those years.

Evelyn was preceded in death by her husband Harry E. Richardson, Sr., and son, Harry E. "Richie" Richardson, Jr. as well as her brothers Troy Epperly and his wife Nellie, Allen Epperly and his wife Lillian, Leon Epperly and his wife Nora, and her only sister, Marie Scaggs and her husband Emory. Evelyn, known as "Granch" and "Indie" to her family is survived by her daughter-in-law Anna Marie Richardson, grandson, Chris Richardson and his

wife Elizabeth, her much loved great grandchildren Robbie and Mary Elizabeth Richardson, stepson Ray Richardson and his wife Charlotte and a niece and nephews.

A graveside service will be held at Roselawn Memorial Gardens, 2880 North Franklin St., Christiansburg, Virginia, following COVID-19 guidelines on Saturday, January 30, 2021 at 11:00 am with Rev. Todd Millsaps presiding.

The family wishes to express their heartfelt appreciation to the staff, nurses, and administration of Warm Hearth, Kroontje Center in Blacksburg, Virginia for the kind and loving care provided to Evelyn and our family for the past six years of her life and especially during the recent health crisis. In lieu of flowers, expressions of sympathy may be sent to: the Warm Hearth Foundation, 2603 Warm Hearth Drive, Blacksburg, Virginia 24060. <https://retire.org/>

McCoy Funeral Home in Blacksburg, Virginia is caring for the Richardson family.

Cemetery Details

Roselawn Memorial Gardens

2880 N. Franklin Street
Christiansburg, VA

Previous Events

Graveside Service

JAN 30. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Christiansburg, VA

Tribute Wall



“ *Praying for the family while they celebrate a wonderful lady.*
Stuart and Debbie Cochran

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