



Edeltraude Hahn Chesney

February 23, 2022

Edeltraude (Edith) Hahn Chesney, 91, passed away on February 23, 2022 at her home at the Willow Valley Community, Willow Street, PA.

Born in Philadelphia, PA, she was the widow of O. Duane Chesney and together they celebrated their 59th wedding anniversary on June 20, 2012. She was the daughter of the late Carl and Paula Kaupp Hahn.

Edith studied teaching at Drexel University. She worked at Pottstown High School, Pottstown, PA.

Edith was a member of Ascension Lutheran Church in Willow Street, PA. She was a 50-year member of the Eastern Star, a member of the National Constitution Center, and the Gettysburg Foundation. She enjoyed being a member of the Pinochle Club and the Rummikub group at Willow Valley.

Edith and her late husband, Duane, established the Willow Valley Team Member Education Fund Scholarship Committee, Willow Street, PA, allowing team members at Willow Valley Communities to further their education.

Edith will be lovingly remembered by her daughters, Edith Sielsch, widow of Kenneth, York, PA, Judy Unger, wife of Thomas, Boyertown, PA, Donna Young, widow of Jesse, York, PA; two grandchildren, Bradley, husband of Kate Unger, Hermosa Beach, CA, Jamie, wife of Warren Major, Berwyn, PA, and great granddaughter, Avery Major. She was preceded in death by her siblings, Carl Hahn, husband of Carol Ann, Pauline Kehler, wife of Waldemar, and Freda Costigan.

Private interment will be held at the convenience of the family. If desired

memorial contributions may be sent to Ascension Lutheran Church, 600 E. Penn Grant Road, Willow Street, PA 17584 or to the Team Member Education Fund Scholarship Committee, 100 Willow Valley Lakes Drive, Willow Street, PA 17584 in her memory.

Tribute Wall



“ *Edeltraude Hahn Chesney*

October 22, 2023 at 11:34 PM



“ *Many years ago Aunt Edith „managed” the official Christmas cards to the relatives here in Germany. That was the starting point of our little penpal across the ocean. It always was a pleasure to keep in touch with your Mom and we really enjoyed it. She helped us to complete the family tree and an absolute highlight was her phone call last year – such a nice surprise! We will keep your Mom in good memory!*

*With heartfelt condolences and best regards from Germany,
Achim. Ira, Julia and Lara*

Ira Boll - March 23, 2022 at 05:38 PM



“ *My sympathies to Edie, Donna and Judy and your families, at your Mom's death. I remember all the wonderful work she and Duane did to help build Redeemer Lutheran Church and Congregation in Jamison, in the late 1950's and early 1960's. I have valued their friendship for all of the ensuing years.*

*Most sincerely,
John W. Hendler*

John W. Hendler - March 02, 2022 at 05:09 PM

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“ Thank you, Edith and Duane Chesney, for the wonderful, lasting legacy you created in the Team Member Education Fund Scholarship Committee. Since its inception in 2008, the Fund has allowed hundreds of grateful Willow Valley Communities Team Members to attend post-secondary accredited institutions.

Nancy K. Loane, Chair of the Team Member Education Fund Scholarship Committee.

Nancy K. Loane - March 01, 2022 at 08:20 PM

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my name is elke konhäuser.my grandmother was a sister to ediths mother.paula hahn and carl hahn from mössingen. we are the kaupp family. I met edith also when I was visiting my relatives in philadelphia. and every christmas or sometimes to her birthday I wrote her. I did'nt know that she died. my christmas card for edith was sent back by post after 7 weeks.my be someone can help me to find out the adress from her family. thank you

elke konhaeuser - February 02, 2023 at 03:14 AM