



Martha Ann Habecker

February 20, 2023

Martha Ann “Marty” Habecker, 89, passed away on Monday, February 20, 2023 at Moravian Manor in Lititz, PA. Born in Lancaster, PA, Marty was the daughter of the late Elmer Kreider and Martha Snavelly Cope. Marty was preceded in death by her husband, James Habecker who passed away in April 2008.

Marty graduated from Hempfield High School and the Women’s College of the University of North Carolina. Marty taught second grade at Westtown School for 20 years. Always an avid reader, Marty volunteered at the Landsdowne, PA Public Library and at the Lititz Public Library for over 20 years, serving as a Trustee from 2002 through 2004.

In addition to reading, Marty enjoyed gardening and traveling with her family to Stone Harbor, NJ, Folly Beach, SC, Oxford, MD, the Caribbean, Carmel, CA, Aspen, CO, and a group trip to Russia and Poland in 1977.

Marty is survived by her son, Kent Habecker and his wife, Liz of Lancaster, her daughter, Jamie Habecker, of Richmond, VA, her granddaughters, Sara Habecker, married to Tim Asselin of Boston, MA, Annie Habecker and Laura Habecker both of New York City and her brother, John Cope and his wife, Helen of Mechanicsburg, PA. Marty's brother, Samuel Cope formerly of Fort Smith, AR passed away in 2019.

Interment will be private at the convenience of the family.

Memorial contributions in Marty's name may be made to Moravian Manor, 300 W. Lemon Street, Lititz, PA 17543. <https://www.moravianmanorcommunities.org/tribute-gifts/>

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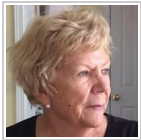
“ *Martha Ann Habecker*

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“ *We send our sympathies to the Habecker families. I joined the Westtown School faculty as a young first grade teacher. Marty taught second grade. I was the only male on the Lower School faculty. Even today I reflect on the wisdom of experienced teachers like Marty. Hearing them talk in the faculty room about children, how best to meet their needs, about their creativity in building their curriculum, suffice to say they taught me a lot. Marty would talk about growing up in Lancaster County, as a young child storing tobacco leaves up in the barn and making corn pudding made from dried corn. Sending our best wishes to all the Habeckers! Peter Vermilye and Lois Miller*

Peter Vermilye - March 17, 2023 at 05:56 AM



“ *My deepest sympathy to the Habecker Family. Marty was a dear friend who I met through her Cousin Francie Hershey Jacoby. We would visit when Marty was in Richmond, Va. or I was in Lancaster. Frequent phone calls kept us in touch too. We shared an interest in books and politics and family. Marty will be missed. May she Rest In Peace. Fondly, Pat Byars Coble*

Pat Coble - February 27, 2023 at 04:04 PM