



## Mary Elizabeth "Betty" Smyrl

November 2, 2019

Obituary for Mary Elizabeth Gordon Calhoun Smyrl - (Betty)

Mary Elizabeth Gordon Calhoun Smyrl (Betty), 93, of Lancaster, PA, passed away on Saturday, November 2, 2019 at Calvary Homes where she resided. She was married to the late Samuel Smyrl.

Betty Smyrl was born on November 15, 1925. She was the daughter of Francis Tease Calhoun and Robert James Calhoun. She was preceded in death by her parents, her brother, William Calhoun, and her two sisters, Jean Mack and Margaret Spare. Her husband, Samuel M. Smyrl died in 2005. Two children also preceded her in death, Susan Jane Smyrl (1950) and Stephen Robert Smyrl (2016).

Betty Smyrl is survived by three children, eight grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

Betty Smyrl was born and raised in Germantown, Philadelphia. She was a graduate of Germantown High School and the Philadelphia Bible College (evening program). As a young adult Betty attended the Church of the Open Door (Philadelphia) and was very active in Christian Endeavor.

Betty Smyrl raised her family in Bala-Cynwyd, PA. Betty and Sam were members of Grace Chapel, Havertown, PA.

Betty and Sam Smyrl retired to Calvary Homes 29 years ago. They were members of Calvary Church of Lancaster, PA.

Betty Smyrl had many interests and hobbies including: Storytelling, reading, sewing, gardening and travel.

A Memorial Service will be on Saturday, November 16, 2019 at 10:00 AM at Calvary Homes, 502 Elizabeth Drive, Lancaster, PA 17601. Private Burial will be in Hillside Cemetery in Roslyn, PA

In place of flowers, please send memorial gifts to the Calvary Homes Benevolent Fund

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

NOV **16**. 10:00 AM (ET)

Calvary Homes  
502 Elizabeth Dr  
Lancaster, PA 17601  
(717) 393-0711

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