



Camilla Peterson (Booth)

November 7, 1933 - April 22, 2020

Camilla Booth Peterson, the oldest daughter of Annis and Collett Booth was born into a very loving, Christian family on November 7, 1933 in Baltimore, Maryland. She has one younger sister named Carletta Booth-Briscoe (George).

Camilla attended public school in Baltimore and graduated from Dunbar High School. She went on to Morgan State University for her undergraduate degree and then to Columbia University, in New York, to complete her Masters with honors.

During her time in New York, in 1958, Camilla met a handsome young Marine named Ronald Peterson. She and Ron were married on August 13th 1960 in New Jersey. Camilla moved to Peekskill, New York, for a teaching job, then bought a house in Yorktown, New York in 1965. She worked as a dedicated teacher, loved her job for the next 30 years in Yorktown, New York.

Camilla's mother moved in with them and Camilla took care of her in their home. After Camilla retired, she and Ron moved to Maryland to be close to her mother, continued to take excellent care of her mother during her long illness.

Camilla was a member of Faith Baptist Church, AKA and the Links. She loved

museums, tennis, reading and shopping. She was an avid traveler and went to Europe, Asia and USA.

Camilla donated her time at soup kitchens, and many other charitable events. She always showed care and compassion to others.

Camilla, you will be missed by of your friends and family, especially Ron, who you were very happily married to for over 60 years. We will cherish the beautiful memories we have had, you will always be with us spiritually and remain in our hearts forever as the beautiful and elegant lady that you were.

Tribute Wall

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“ Mrs. Peterson was my eighth-grade English teacher at Copper Beech Middle School. She was a wonderful teacher who treated every student with respect and kindness. I am an avid reader as a result of the appreciation of literature that I acquired in her class. She was the quintessential lady, and I consider myself lucky to have been her student. My condolences to her family. - Debra Annacone Merola

Debra Merola - July 16, 2020 at 10:55 AM

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“ Sending heartfelt condolences to Ron, Carletta and family. Grateful for so many warm memories of Camilla to cherish. Love, Noel (Cousins) Willis-Cassidy and Deidra Willis Bishop

Deidra Bishop - May 01, 2020 at 11:06 AM

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“ Our deepest condolences to you Ron. Michael and Linda Smith.

Michael smith - April 27, 2020 at 06:54 PM