



## Helen Ethel Chenoweth

April 12, 1944 - September 17, 2019

Helen Ethel Chenoweth (Chen to many), 75, daughter of the late Dorothy Maddox and Floyd Chenoweth, passed away on Tuesday, September 17, 2019, at her home, due to complications resulting from Alzheimer's Disease. Helen was born on Friday, April 12, 1944, and was raised in Chase, Maryland, where she attended Kenwood High School in Essex, Maryland. She was inducted into the Hall of Fame in 2008. She attended Frostburg State College (University) in Frostburg, Maryland, Towson State College (University) in Towson, Maryland, and Indiana University. Helen earned her Master's Degree in Health & Physical Education.

Helen loved teaching, always wanting to make a difference ... she taught in Baltimore County for 30 years. She lived her life as an educator and enjoyed volunteering. Helen was a natural athlete played softball, field hockey and basketball in school and into adulthood.

Helen had the privilege of attending the Olympic Games when they were held in Mexico City, New Mexico, in 1968. As an athlete, she metaled in the Maryland and Delaware Senior Olympics. Helen was committed to an active, healthy lifestyle - a quest she wished for everyone.

Helen retired and relocated to Georgetown, Delaware.

After retirement, an avid cyclist, she then completed the Sea Gull Century, a 100-mile bike ride, beginning and ending at Salisbury University. Helen was very creative, loved playing ..... and staying active. She loved animals, the outdoors, woodworking and music: having seen more live music performances than most.

Helen will be sorely-missed by those who survive her, wife, Robyn Kirby; one sister, Joan Chenoweth; sister-in-law, Sherry Colville and fur babies: Zoey and Lacey.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Helen's name to the Alzheimer's Association, 240 North James Street, Suite 100A, Newport, Delaware 19804 and the Delaware Senior Olympics, 1121 Forrest Avenue, Dover, Delaware 19904.

# Tribute Wall

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“Helen was a person of quiet strength and intelligence who possessed an unparalleled ability to love and accept all people. I am proud to have called her friend. I will miss her dry wit and her beautiful smile. Chris Jordan

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**Chris** - October 10, 2019 at 05:52 PM

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“Helen was a beautiful person through and through. She had a great sense of humor, was a talented woodworker, and would help anyone do anything. She was a perfect sister-in-law and I will miss her forever.

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**Sherry Colville** - October 06, 2019 at 11:52 AM

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“Robyn, So sorry to read of Helen's passing. She will fondly be remembered as a kind and caring person and an excellent athlete. I still have the card and note she wrote to me after Barry's passing and all the trials and tribulations that followed. Take good care, Charlene Hubert.

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**Charlene Hubert** - October 04, 2019 at 05:13 PM