



Doris Anderson-Johnson

March 30, 1918 - December 5, 2012

Doris Moran Anderson-Johnson 94, of Kensington, died December 5, 2012 at Aurora Senior Living of New Britain formerly Brittany Farms. She was predeceased by her husband Clarence Anderson in 1972, her husband Robert Johnson in 1994 and by her dear friend Bill Bighinatti in 2010. Born in New Britain to the late John and Christine Moran, She was a former Southington resident, living in Kensington since 1954.

Doris is survived by her two sons, Sherwood "Woody" Anderson and his wife Sharon Finn of Southington, and Mark Anderson and his wife, Carrie of Kensington. She is also survived by her grandchildren Eric Anderson, Adam Anderson, Amy Anderson, John Sullivan and his wife Marlysa, Meredith Sullivan, Julie Perry and her husband Matt, Susan Evans Jones and her husband Jim, and five great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by her husband, Clarence Anderson in 1972, and her husband Robert Johnson in 1994 and by her dear friend Bill Bighinatti in 2010.

Doris was a "Rosie the Riveter" in World War II, and also worked at Sikorsky Aircraft where she was once a passenger on a helicopter flight piloted by Igor Sikorsky. She also held several secretarial jobs, including 12 years at the New Britain YMCA. She was a member of the Kensington Congregational Church. Doris enjoyed traveling and playing cards and was known for her sense of humor and winning personality.

Her family thanks the Aurora Senior Living Staff at Station 5 for its high level care and dedication.

Funeral Services are Saturday 11 AM. at Carlson Funeral Home, 45 Franklin Square, New Britain. Calling hours are Saturday morning from 10 to 11 AM at the Funeral Home. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery. Donations in Doris' memory may be made to the CT Humane Society, Russell Road, Newington, CT 06111 or to The Alzheimer's Association, 2075 Silas Deane Highway, Suite 100, Rocky Hill, CT 06067. Please share a memory or note of sympathy by clicking on "Add Condolences" at the bottom of this page.

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“ *Our sincere Condolences. Doris is fondly remembered for her warm, happy personality. We knew her best with Bob Johnson - their lovely wedding, beach homes and the wonderful house on the hill.*

Gary & Linda Riedel - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ *Woody & Mark, I was so very sorry to read of the loss of your Mom. I certainly remember her fondly during my visits to the New Britain area. My Mom was Evelyn Scott Gentile. Your Mom & mine were together often and traveled together. One year they traveled to Ireland, another they rented a shore cottage together for a week. Again, I remember her fondly; she certainly was a great support for my Mother. I moved my Mother to Groton in 2004 to an independent senior facility. A stroke required a move later to a place giving greater care. Mom left us in 2009 at age 97. Perhaps they are in heaven together planning an activity.*

Jack Scott - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ *Dear Doris:
You were so much fun and I loved having you on Station 5! I will never forget how you would beat Woody at cards most times, you are the best! Merry Christmas in Heaven!
Love
Diane Barillaro*

Diane Barillaro - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

CJ

“ Please accept our condolences for the loss of your mother, Doris. She was a good friend to my father in his later years and I will always be grateful for the happiness she brought him. She was a wonderful woman.

Christine Bighinatti Jevons and Jeffery Jevons - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

LT

“ Sorry for the loss of your Mother. May you all never forget the great memories you had with her for 94 years. My sincere condolences are with all.

Lisa Tracy

Lisa Tracy - September 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM