



## Doris J. Sampsel

October 23, 1933 - June 30, 2024

Doris J. (Miller) Sampsel, 90, of Annville, went to her eternal home on Sunday, June 30th, 2024, at the Lebanon Valley Home. She was preceded in death by her loving husband, Leroy H. Sampsel, Jr.

Born in Dauphin County on October 23rd, 1933, she was the daughter of the late Alton C. and Romaine (Cover) Miller. Doris was a 1951 graduate of York Springs High School. She worked at Penn State University in State College and later retired from the Reese Candy Company.

Doris loved to cook and bake. In high school she was awarded the Cherry Pie Champion. She believed that her Fruit Cake was the best. She was not blessed to be a mother, but she was a mother figure to her younger siblings. She LOVED to travel so her suitcase was always packed and ready to go with her camera inside. She took many pictures of every place she visited.

Surviving are seven siblings, Richard M. Miller of Gardners, David L. Miller, (Sandy) of Gardners, Kenneth Miller (Bonnie) of Gardners, Donald E. Miller, (Terri) of Gardners, Barry Lee Miller (Grace) of Carlisle, Margaret Shaffer (Rodney) of Biglerville, Evelyn Criswell of Biglerville, and many nieces and nephews. In addition to her husband, Doris was preceded in death by four siblings, Earl F. Miller, Alton C. Miller, Jr., Thelma Arlene Staub, and Alma Bistline.

Services will be held at the convenience of the family. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Lebanon Valley Home, 550 E. Main St., Annville, PA 17003, or to Masonic Village Hospice, 98 Masonic Dr., Suite 101

Elizabethtown, PA 17022, in her memory. Kreamer Funeral Home and  
Crematory, Annville is handling arrangements.

# Tribute Wall

MS

“ There are so many wonderful memories of my sister (Doll) that I would not attempt to count them all. We shared a bedroom growing up, loved going to the beach even if only for one night, attended church together as teenagers and shared an apartment in Paxtang when working for Nationwide Insurance. To my knowledge, we never had a quarrel. After marrying and going in different directions, we always kept in touch regularly. She was my best friend and shared her 4-years-older-than-me wisdom, even if it wasn't needed. She loved coming to our mountain home to see the wildlife and always had her camera ready. Her suffering for 3 1/2 years was so very difficult for me to endure; however, she was still ready with a smile or a joke. I will miss her so very much but I'm so thankful that her long suffering has ended, and we will see each other again where suffering is no more.

Sister Peg

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**Margaret Shaffer** - July 04, 2024 at 05:27 PM

EW

“ Doris was a best friend for well over 50 years. From 1993 and later we traveled together with Doris and Lee on many different occasions. Around the lower 48 and even to Alaska. Calling Doris a best friend will never be enough to cover our relationship. Earl & Marina will miss her as long as we are here on earth.

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**earl r warne** - July 04, 2024 at 01:00 PM

DS

“ I remember Aunt Doll as this "tiny lady with a whole lot of spunk" who pursued her ambitions with vigor. She portrayed, I think, a woman who was quite comfortable in her own skin. I remember, as her niece 10 years younger than her, when she got what, I believe, was her first car, a 50's black Ford. I don't know why, but this made quite an impression on me. I truly loved Aunt Doll and will miss her but how good it will be to see her in Glory! Niece, Dottie Seitz

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**Dorothy Seitz** - July 03, 2024 at 11:46 AM