



## Kitty B. Velkley

May 26, 1940 - April 11, 2019

Kitty B. Velkley, affectionately known as Aunt Keke, 78, died Thursday, April 11, 2019 at the Harrisburg Hospital. She was the wife of Dr. Donald E. Velkley, sharing 52 years in marriage.

Born in Frankfort, KY on May 26, 1940, she was the daughter of the late William Beck and Kitty Wooten Smither. She graduated from Frankfort High School and attended Transylvania College in Lexington, KY. Kitty was an Interior Designer, and volunteered her time as a counselor at the Lebanon Pregnancy Center. She was a member of Christ Community Church, where she was a graduate of the school of ministry, a past member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and enjoyed cooking and gardening. Most of all, Kitty loved the Lord with all her heart, helping to guide many in their faith.

Surviving in addition to her husband is a brother Fantley Smither (Elizabeth), a sister Jane James (Bill); nieces Katherine Kirkpatrick (Aaron), Caroline James, Amanda Binkholder (Kenton), nephews Evan James, Clay Smither (Katie), and Matthew Smither (Rebekah); 13 great nieces and nephews; and dear friends whom Kitty treated like family.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, April 17, 2019 at 1 p.m. at Christ Community Church, 1201 Slate Hill Road, Camp Hill, PA 17011. Viewing will be held one hour prior to the service. A graveside service will be held that

evening at 5 p.m. at Mt. Annville Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Kitty's church in her memory.

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

APR 17. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Christ Community Church  
1201 Slate Hill Road  
Camp Hill, PA 17011

## Funeral Service

APR 17. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ During the summer in our neighborhood Kitty and Don hosted a Pit party at their home. We all brought food and sat around the fire sharing the latest news and stories about our lives. This happened over many years and was a sweet time that leaves happy memories. We'll all be missing Kitty a lot but look forward to seeing her again at Heaven's Gates.

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**susan Aungst** - April 17, 2019 at 08:40 AM

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“ Thirty years ago Kitty picked out of a group of women and made me her friend. She was like an older sister. She was loyal, loving, interesting and fun. She and Don were like family. My sons called her AUNT KITTY. She will be missed.

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**Connie Shea** - April 15, 2019 at 10:19 AM