

Mrs. Mary Jane Millan

Mrs. Mary Jane Millan, 87, of Walkersville, died Thursday, Feb. 4, 2010, at Kline Hospice House, in Mount Airy. Mary Jane was born Jan. 29, 1923, in Lorley. She was the daughter of the late Harold and Agnes (Hartman) McVay of Norfolk, Va.

Mary Jane grew up primarily in Norfolk, but during her lifetime she lived with her family in Florida, Texas, Colorado, Georgia, Oklahoma, Japan and Puerto Rico. She lived the past 20 years in Norfolk and moved to Walkersville last spring to be closer to her grown children and grandchildren. She was active in the China-Burma-India Hump Pilot Association and attended the annual reunions until its dissolution, working in the PX. She spent many years volunteering for the Children's Hospital of the King's Daughters and the Chrysler Museum, both in Norfolk.

She will be missed by the many friends she made in her travels and while living in Norfolk. In her short time living in Walkersville she made many friends who will also miss her.

She is survived by a son, Carter Millan and wife, Kitti, of Woodbridge, Va.; and a daughter, Donna Dinkel, of Middletown; as well as her grandchildren, Claire Dinkel and Clay Dinkel, of Lewis and Milton, Del. She is also survived by Robert Stakes, her daughter's special person, as well as her nieces, nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews.



Mary Jane is predeceased by her parents; two brothers, Harold and Carter McVay; and three sisters, Olney Face, Nancy Brannock and Anne McVay.

A graveside service will be held on March 13 at the Forest Lawn Cemetery in Norfolk, where Mary Jane will be inurned with her sister, Anne McVay.

The family requests that memorials be made in memory of Mary Jane Millan to Kline Hospice House, 7000 Kimmel Road, Mount Airy, MD 21771.

Arrangements are by Keeney and Basford, P.A., Funeral Home, Frederick.