



## Donna May Crowder

November 15, 1931 - September 2, 2023

Donna May Crowder, age 91, of New Castle, DE, daughter of the late Kathryn and Raymond Hedderick, passed away Saturday, September 2, 2023. Donna was a loving, selfless woman who always put others before herself. She loved to sit and talk with people. When able, she would walk with friends along the river at Battery Park. Donna was an active member of both Asbury United Methodist Church and the New Castle Senior Center. She was an avid jigsaw puzzler and big Philadelphia Eagles and Phillies fan. Donna will be dearly missed.

Donna is survived by her nephew, James S. Crowder III; and nieces: Trice Colin, Beckie Wells, Carol Mattox, and Robin Kettering. Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband William Crowder.

A memorial celebration of Donna's life will be held Thursday, September 14, 2023, at 11 AM at Asbury Methodist Church, 300 E. Basin Rd, New Castle, DE 19720. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Donna's memory to Delaware Hospice <https://www.delawarehospice.org>. For directions, or to send an online condolence, visit [www.stranofeeley.com](http://www.stranofeeley.com)

# Cemetery Details

**Private**

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

SEP **14**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Asbury United Methodist Church  
300 East Basin Road  
New Castle, DE

# Tribute Wall

MS

“ Donna has been a close friend of mine playing tennis together for many years. I kept in touch with her through phone calls, I am saddened to learn of her passing. May she rest in peace. Mae Stewart

Mae Stewart - September 11, 2023 at 04:12 PM

RD

“ Our family will never forget Mrs and Mr Crowder. Donna was a wonderful friend to our mother, Eleanor Pirhalla, and our family. They would vacation with us when we were young and participated in many a family gathering. We will never forget her laughter, kindness and generosity towards our family. May her memory be a blessing to all. May her family find peace, hope and strength in her memory.

ruth davis - September 11, 2023 at 11:39 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donna May Crowder.



September 11, 2023 at 11:34 AM

JJ

“ Donna was a dear friend and an active member of our Prime Timers group at Asbury. She always looked forward to the crafts we were making, and was a very kind, sweet person who was always a lot of fun to be with. We will all miss her!!!

Janet Jackson

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**Janet Jackson** - September 11, 2023 at 09:49 AM

KA

“ Donna was always fixing the puzzles and books at the New Castle Senior Center. She would always talk to you when you came into the Center. She was a very Beautiful soul.

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**Kathy** - September 10, 2023 at 04:38 PM

NK

“ Donna was a fixture at the New Castle Senior Center. Sorting through puzzles, attending exercise classes, craft classes, movies, etc. She will be greatly missed by all of us here.

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**Natalie Kaplan** - September 08, 2023 at 10:31 AM