



Valeria " Val" Nethery

September 7, 1919 - August 25, 2014

Valeria "Val" Krantz Nethery, age 94, of Trenton, GA died at her home Monday August 25, 2014. She was a resident of Trenton for the past 62 years. Val was born in Klevenville, WI on September 7, 1919 and was raised in the Milwaukee, WI area. During WWII she worked as a civil servant for the US War Department in Washington, DC and subsequently in Anchorage, AK. While in Anchorage she met and married her husband of 66 years, Martin Allison Nethery. After returning to the 'lower 48' Val and Martin settled in Dade County where Val worked at the Bank of Dade from which she retired as Executive Vice-President in 1984. Val was an active member of the community and served with several volunteer and civic organizations. She served with the Trenton Fire Department in one of the first groups of women firefighters in the U.S. She was a Girl Scout Leader, taught swimming in Dade County for the American Red Cross, and was a volunteer for the Dade County Library and Hutcheson Hospice. Val was a founding member of St. Katharine Drexel Catholic Church. Val was preceded in death by her parents, Adolph and Catherine Krantz; husband, Martin A. Nethery; sister Dorothy Wierth, and son, Michael J. Nethery. Survivors include daughters, Patricia Nethery (Anthony) Emanuel of Trenton, GA and Dana A. Nethery of Hopkinsville, KY; son, K. Paul (Carolyn) Nethery of Trenton, GA; 11 grandchildren and 21 great grandchildren. The family request, in lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to St. Katharine Drexel Catholic Church Building Fund, PO Box 1032, Trenton, GA 30752. A funeral

Mass will be celebrated 10 AM on Friday August 29 at St. Katharine Drexel Catholic Church, 151 New England Rd., Trenton, GA with Leo Herbert, Monsignor. Family will receive friends 6 PM until 9 PM Thursday at Ryan Funeral Home, Trenton, GA.

Tribute Wall



“ *Valeria " Val" Nethery*

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“ *I knew Val through her volunteer work at the library. She was a wonderful lady and I enjoyed getting to know her. I will miss her very much. My deepest sympathies to you.*

April Tinker - August 28, 2014 at 09:36 AM



“ *Val was truly an extraordinary woman. I came to work at the Bank of Dade full time in 1974 and she became my mentor. We did quite a few trips together as we were both members of what was the National Association of Bank Women. I have many memories of those trips. One of her stories which I understand she was still telling a few months ago, was how she tricked me with the coffee at Café Du Monde in the French Market in New Orleans. We had beignets and coffee and believe me, the coffee wasn't Maxwell House. She laughed for years at my reaction. Then there was the time we were being served Vichyssoise. When I realized it was chilled, I asked her what it was. (Remember I'm a native Dade Countian) and she told me Vichyssoise. My immediate response was "It tastes like cold tater soup to me." She really had her hands full with me and I will be forever grateful for all she taught me and did for me. Her only failure was trying to teach me to swim in Mrs. Morrison's pool. She was one fine lady, and I'm honored to have known her.*

Sandy Thompson - August 28, 2014 at 09:29 AM