



Ann Frazier

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Ann Frazier died peacefully in her Silver Spring home on April 25 at 100 years old. Born Harriet Ann Ross in Florence, South Carolina, she was the only child of Thomas Moore Ross and Annie Gladys McCown Ross. Ann moved with her family to Washington, DC, where she grew up and attended George Washington University. There

she met her future husband, Pascal Bailey Frazier, with whom she had three children, Thomas, Carol and Douglas.

Widowed at 43, Ann followed her dream of going to the Southwest, moving to Sedona, Arizona, where she lived happily for 30 years. She soon found Wayside Chapel, which she attended during her years there, joined camera and hiking clubs, and pursued painting in oils. She especially enjoyed exploring the southwest in her 4-wheel drive, both solo and with family and friends. In 2012, Ann returned to the DC area, moving into Leisure World Retirement Community. In her final few years, her daughter Carol stayed with her as caregiver.

Ann will be remembered for her amazing positive attitude, sense of fun and adventure, her great hospitality and generosity, and deep faith, all of which were of profound influence on everyone who knew her. Even in her final days, visitors to her bedside saw the sparkle in her eyes. She was confident of her destination and fully trusted that 'absent from the body' meant 'present with the Lord.'

Ann was always generous spirited throughout her life, from giving to mission work in Turkey to supporting two young boys into their adulthood through African Children's Choir. Her final gift was to the Anatomical Donor Program at Uniformed Services University to benefit students training as future military medical professionals.

She leaves behind her three adult children, grandchildren Jessica, Shevaun, and Michael, his wife Penelope and two sons Connor and Benjamin. Ann's life was celebrated at a private gathering at her home.