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January 5, 2008

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GREENSBORO, Md. - Dorothy C. Shanahan of? Greensboro died Saturday, Jan. 5, 2008, at Ruxton Health of Denton in Denton, MD. She was 94.

She was born June 2, 1913, in Philadelphia, PA, to the late William J. and Anna Marie Coyle Shanahan.

Dorothy Shanahan was raised in Atlantic City, NJ. After graduating from high school, she left for New York to begin a career in the theater. For 12 years from 1931-1943, she traveled all over the country in musical productions. When Pearl Harbor was attacked, she joined the naval reserve. With the WAVES, she became a surgical scrub nurse serving the continental U.S. and Pearl Harbor in the Hospital Corps. until the end of WWII. She has been affiliated with hotel management working 12 years from 1945-1957 at a Guest House in Atlantic City and supper clubs. In Florida, she worked in hotel management. She retired after 16 years, doing telemarketing for the Miami Herald newspaper in Miami, FL. After retirement, Greensboro was her home for over 30 years between her many travels.

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Memorial graveside services will be 11:00 a.m. Thursday, January 10, 2008 at the Greensboro Cemetery in Greensboro, Maryland.

Tribute Wall



“ *Dorothy C. Shanahan*

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“ *We have many fond memories of Dorothy. Everyone always enjoyed visiting her mother Aunt Ann and Dorothy. Their home was always open and welcoming to family. Dorothy's days as a New York Rockette made young girls want to dance. Her life was full of adventures inspiring everyone to dream. She was intelligent, interesting, and wonderful to us. We are sorry to her of her passing.##imported-begin##The McFarland and McGuigan Families##imported-end##*

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