



Gail A Havens

November 4, 2013

Wantage -Gail A. Havens, age 76, passed away on Monday, November 4, 2013 at her residence. Born in Ridgefield Park, New Jersey to the late George and Irene Shirer, Mrs. Havens had married Richard on August 31, 1957 and lived in Sussex County for most of her life. She had been a teacher for the Sussex-Wantage Board of Education for 34 years ago and had retired in 1997. She was a member of the Sussex Womans Club, the High Point Garden Club, and the Sussex County Retired Educators Association. Mrs. Havens also had an interest in antiques. She is survived by her husband, Richard Havens, Sr.; her two son, Richard Havens, Jr. and his wife Shelley of Wantage and Glen Havens of California; three grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Memorial services will be held at 12:30 p.m. on Saturday, November 9, 2013 at the Pinkel Funeral Home, 31 Bank Street (Route 23), Sussex. Friends may pay their respects to the family prior to the service from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on Saturday at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorial donations may be made to the Wantage Township First Aid Squad, P.O. Box 721, Wantage, NJ 07461. Online condolences may be offered to the family at www.pinkelfuneralhome.com

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“ *My deepest condolences to the family. Mrs. Havens was my beloved first grade teacher. I remember her so very fondly after all these years. She was a great teacher and I looked forward to each school day as a young child. My parents, who were also antique dealers, used to stop in to her shop. I used to tag along, too. You are in my prayers.*

Georgiana Van Syckle - March 19, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ *I send my sympathy to Richard and the Havens family.*

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“ *My sympathy to the family of Mrs. Havens. I was in grade school with Glen and I can still remember his mom bringing in treats for holiday parties. My heart goes out to you all.*

Robin Hough McCourt - November 06, 2013 at 12:00 AM