



Jo Therese Smith

June 25, 2013

Sussex - Jo Therese Smith, age 84, passed away on Tuesday, June 25, 2013 at Andover Subacute and Rehabilitation Center. Born in El Paso, Texas to the late Thomas Hugh Smith and Josephine (Keating) Smith, Jo Therese had received advanced degrees from the University of Texas and the University of Chicago. She had been a research chemist in her early career and retired from Witco Chemical in Oakland to sell real estate. She had been employed by Weichert Realtors in Hamburg before she retired six years ago. Jo Therese was a former member of St. Monica R.C. Church in Sussex and had also belonged to their Rosary Society. She currently had been a member of St. Jude The Apostle Church in Hamburg and was a Rosary Society member. She was actively involved in real estate and The Friends of Lake Neepaulin. Jo Therese was predeceased by her brother, John N. Smith. She is survived by her two nephews, Mark Thomas Smith of Oklahoma and Wayne Cooper Smith of California. Mass of Christian Burial and interment was privately held at the St. Benedict Abbey in Harvard, Massachusetts on Saturday, July 6, 2013. A Memorial Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. on Friday, July 12, 2013 at St. Jude The Apostle Church, Beaver Run Road, Hamburg. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the Pinkel Funeral Home, 31 Bank Street (Route 23), Sussex. Online condolences may be offered to the family on www.pinkelfuneralhome.com