



Betty Schaen Cazer

September 2, 1946 - August 20, 2022

Betty Louise Joy Cazer (Betty Schaen-Cazer), 75, of Baltimore, MD died peacefully on Saturday, August 20th, 2022, after a long battle with cancer. Betty was born on September 2nd, 1946 in Annapolis, Md and was the daughter of Dorothy E. Hughes (Samuel) and the late William G. Schaen (Olga).

Betty was a lifelong scholar studying at both Morgan State University and Johns Hopkins University. During her life, she successfully completed two Masters Degree's as well as additional certificates and passion projects. Betty dedicated her time to Interior Design and Fashion which she later went on to teach at local colleges. In addition to this, Betty also fiercely participated in mental health advocacy.

Betty was preceded in death by her Father, William Schaen; Step Father, Samuel Hughes; Brother, Bill Schaen; and Son, James (Jamie) Cazer.

Betty leaves behind her Mother, Dorothy Hughes; Step Mother, Olga Schaen; Daughter, Erin Cazer-Gilliland (Bill); Sisters, Donna Clark and Susan Lorenzo (Paul); Brothers, Brian Schaen (Melissa), Eric Schaen (Regan), and Randall Schaen (Doreen); Grand children, Amber Cazer- Green, Tyler Cazer (Jessie), Kendall Corrothers (Zachary), Michaiiah (Cai) Cazer, Jessica Cazer, and Zachary Parisi; Great- grand children, Amiyah Cazer, Amari Cazer, Kingston

Cazer, Kashton Cazer, Skye Cazer, Hollie Cazer, and JJ Cazer; Special Friends, Allyn Harris and Elmont Drayton; as well as numerous other friends and family.

A celebration of life will be held at a later date.

Tribute Wall

AC

“ Hi Grum-z. I love you, and I feel you with me. Thank you for protecting me and guiding me. Every time I see 11:11, I'll remember you're near. Your name and your love will live on through me, and one day my grandchildren will call me Grum-z too. That's how I'll keep you alive forever.

amber cazer - September 26, 2025 at 11:42 PM

AC

“ I miss you and love you so much Grum-z. You are the most loving kind hearted person I ever knew. Thank you for loving me and my children 💔😭 This was the last picture we took together

amber cazer - July 29, 2023 at 07:45 PM

KM

“ It was an honor to know BJ, one of the most patient, generous women I have met. Rest in God's peace, BJ.

Kathy Murphy - September 10, 2022 at 08:11 PM

EB

“ BJ was a bright, loving, strong, and courageous woman. I so enjoyed talking with her. May her memory always be for a blessing.

Ezra Buchdahl - September 05, 2022 at 08:02 AM

ER

“ It’s been such a long 2 weeks since we said see you later. So much has happened! I daily wish that I could pick up the phone to call you and then remember you wont answer. I miss you more than I thought I could. I pray you are frolicking with Samantha and our other much loved animals. I pray you are having long talks with Jamie, playing heavenly slots with Pop-pop, going on heavenly adventures with poppy, and are wrapped warmly in nana’s loving arms. ❤️ Most of all I’m glad your not suffering any longer. Don’t worry about things here, I am holding down the fort. I love you mom!
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Erin - September 04, 2022 at 12:10 PM

OS

“ I will miss hearing from you. Thank you for being my friend, for sharing your thoughts and dreams with me. Thank you for instilling respect in your children, in acceptance. I pray for peace now and release from pain for you, I will remember you in my prayers, knowing we will be together again. Sending love and sympathy to those you left behind. God Bless us all.

Olga M Schaen - August 25, 2022 at 06:01 PM

SD

“ My deepest sympathy to the family on the passing of BJ, former colleague, during our time at Baltimore City Community College (BCCC), Fashion Design and Merchandising Program. BJ was a talented lady and gifted educator. Her dedication and efforts in the classroom were admired by the faculty and the numerous students that she inspired. May BJ Rest In Peace! Sally Di Marco Retired Fashion Design and Merchandising Program Coordinator, BCCC

Sally DiMarco - August 24, 2022 at 09:48 AM

EH

“ *Betty Schaen Cazer*

Edward Harris - August 24, 2022 at 09:16 AM

KY

“ *Erin , sorry to hear of the loss of your mom please know the Schaens in Newark are thinking of you and send their love to you and your family , and please let Dot and aunt your aunt Donna know mom & dad are thinking of them too .. I know my mom would really love to see Dot sometime . My Moms contact is still 302-731-5519 if you'd pass it along to Dot . kyle schaen & family Newark De.*

kyle - August 23, 2022 at 02:32 PM

AC

“ *We are deeply sorry for your loss ~ Simplicity Cremation & Funeral Services*

A Memorial Tree was planted for Betty Schaen Cazer - August 21, 2022 at 11:27 AM