



Elizabeth Cassidy Price

Age: Timeless

Media; Executive Director of the Delaware County Bar Association

Elizabeth Cassidy Price, died June 23, 2010 with her family at her side.

Elizabeth Cassidy Price was born to William and Emily Cassidy, in Boothwyn, Pennsylvania. She married William Price III, her husband now of 54 years, who together, last resided in Wallingford, Pennsylvania. Elizabeth and William raised their two children; a daughter Tracy, and son Mark, in Media, Delaware County, and spent many summers and weekends, together, at their vacation home in Barnegat Light, New Jersey.

It is difficult to summarize the accomplishments of such a remarkable woman, one who achieved such great success in all aspects of life: an exceptional career as the Executive Director of the Delaware County Bar Association for 36 years; a self-taught and accomplished artist who has had her work displayed in galleries throughout the United States and Europe, and in the institutions and private homes of many who appreciated her great gift from God, the ability of expression through the arts. Elizabeth, a woman ahead of her time, made great strides as well as a community leader; professional model; interior designer; radio commentator; newspaper editor; and accomplished author. She has been the recipient of awards, too numerous to list, epitomizing the standards by which she set in the highest traditions of personal and professional excellence.

Elizabeth was an eclectic woman. She had a deep affection for Paris, "The City of Light." And like this city of light, and that which radiated from her aura and presence, is first famed as a center of education and ideas during an Age of Enlightenment. We, her friends and family, have all been blessed to have been the beneficiary of her sage insight and wise counsel throughout the years, her demonstrated special grace and soft charm.

Elizabeth was appreciative of nature and the environment surrounding her. She possessed a fascinating appreciation for trees, the subject of many of her paintings; and rocks, supported by an extensive collection of which she was so proud. Much of her collection, bestowed upon her by friends through their travels, included rocks from around the world - Princess Diana's garden, the Berlin Wall, the Vatican. She too had a passion for history, words, and trivia; she was an avid reader; a serious shopper; world traveler; and fashion icon; a heroine in every sense of the word.

Survivors: Her loving husband, William Price III; her daughter, Tracy Elizabeth; and her son, Mark William (Christine) Price; her grandchildren, who lovingly referred to her as "Mimmers", grandsons Angelo Adrian Lochetto, Jr., and William Price Lochetto; her granddaughters, Samantha Christine Price and Meghan Cassidy Price; and her devoted friends, all of whom were touched by her love, strength, compassion and zest for life and for whom she will remain a source of comfort and live fondly in our hearts forever. Elizabeth is also survived by the thousands of members of the legal community, past and present, in Delaware and surrounding counties, in the state of Pennsylvania, and those nationally, who she mentored, served and collaborated with, who loved her deeply and will miss her immeasurably.

Service: Family and intimate friends are invited to a service on Thursday, July 8, 2010 at 3:30 p.m. at the Media Presbyterian Church, 30 East Baltimore Avenue, in Media. Friends and colleagues will also have the opportunity to inspire fond and pleasant recollections, in celebration of Elizabeth's life, at a Memorial Service sponsored by the Delaware County Bar Association, planned for the Fall, 2010. Details will be communicated as confirmed.

Contributions: The Elizabeth C. Price Scholarship Fund, care of the Delaware County Bar Association, 335 West Front Street, Media, PA 19063.

"You can shed tears that she is gone, or you can smile because she has lived. You can close your eyes and pray that she'll come back, or you can open your eyes and see all she's left. Your heart can be empty because you can't see her, or you can be full of the love you shared. You can turn your back on tomorrow and live yesterday, or you can be happy for tomorrow because of yesterday. You can remember her only that she is gone, or you can cherish her memory and let it live on. You can cry and close your mind, be empty and turn your back. Or you can do what she often told you to do . . . "move onward and upward!"