



## Tish Cox

June 7, 2013

Letitia (Knox) Cox, 94, of West Hartford, wife of the late Rear Admiral William R. Cox, died Friday, June 7, 2013, at her home with her family by her side. Born in Washington, DC, the daughter of the late Forney and Lucy (Briscoe) Knox, she attended Beauvoir Elementary School, the National Cathedral School, St. Mary's College in Raleigh, NC, and received her degree in teaching from Wilson's Teachers College. She taught kindergarten in the Washington area before her marriage to her husband Bill in 1949. Upon his retirement from the Navy, they moved to New Hartford, NY in 1960 where she remained until 1996 when she moved to West Hartford. Tish was a member of the Town and County Club, the Washington Branch of the Colonial Dames of America, and was a devoted member of St. James's Episcopal Church in West Hartford. She truly treasured her friendships from the "Women of St James's". Tish was very proud of her family and loved sharing in all of their accomplishments. Above all, family, friends and faith were her guiding principles. She is survived by her two children, Tudy Hill and her husband Dr. David Hill of Hamden, Bud Cox, Head of the Upper School, Poly Prep Country Day in Brooklyn, NY and his wife Jo-Ann Menchetti ; grandchildren, Emily Steadman, Ian Hill, Sarah Hill, Nicole Romano, Gina Artaz, Mark Camarota, and six great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by her sisters Katharine and Lucy Lee Knox. Tish was grateful for the care and concern that she received from the doctors and staff of the UConn Health Center. Her funeral will be celebrated on Wednesday, June 12 at 11:00 a.m. at St. James's

Episcopal Church, West Hartford. Tish will be buried with her husband at Arlington National Cemetery at a later date. In lieu of flowers, donations in her memory may be made to St. James's Episcopal Church, 19 Walden St., West Hartford, CT 06107.

God be my guide and my strength as I move through life. Amen.

# Cemetery Details

## Arlington National Cemetery

Memorial Dr.  
Arlington, VA

# Previous Events

## Service

JUN 12. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. James's Episcopal Church  
Farmington Ave. and Walden St.  
West Hartford, CT

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Truely a graceful woman. I will miss her.*

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**Dlahann Wilcox** - June 12, 2013 at 11:22 AM

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“ *Tudy, it was always a delight to be with your parents. Your mother was such a wonderful and gracious lady. She was kind and caring, and I remember her delightful sense of humor. She loved you absolutely and made all your friends feel special. My deepest sympathy to you and all your family. Marilyn Linhart Moses*

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**Marilyn Moses** - June 10, 2013 at 09:46 PM

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“ *Tish was such a bright light at St. James's always remembering everyone's name and having the kindest remark for one and all. She was so proud of her family and her extended family always interested in what each and everyone was doing and she seemed to remember it all. So many fond memories. My sympathies to Tudi and the whole family....Rosemary Cleaves*

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**Rosemary Cleaves** - June 09, 2013 at 04:39 PM