

## OBITUARY

### Martha Kirsten

Services were held for Martha Kirsten, 93, of Hackettstown, who died Feb. 21 after a long illness.

She was born in Jersey City and lived there most of her life, moving to Hackettstown in 1968.

She worked in a bookstore in New York City for many years and was a skilled bookbonder and tooler and was an out-of-print book dealer by mail in the bookstore and later in her home. She retired many years ago.

She was a 1921 graduate of Smith College.

She was a member of Gethsemane Lutheran Church of Hackettstown; the Hackettstown branch of the American Association of University Women; and the Hackettstown Historical Society.

She traveled extensively in recent years by boat through Europe and Canada. Her hobby of bird-watching took her throughout the east coast of the United States.

She is survived by one sister,

Frances Kirsten of Easton, Pa.

Interment was in Union Cemetery, Hackettstown. The Cochran Funeral Home of Hackettstown was in charge of arrangements.

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