## **OBITUARY**

Constance B. Lucas (nee Sharpe), 92, resident of Heath Village Retirement Community, Hackettstown, NJ, passed away on February 26, 2016. A native of Pittsburgh, PA, she worked as a secretary during the war years and married Robert A. Lucas in 1948. In 1951 Connie and Bob moved to Morristown and in 1954 to Mendham, NJ, where they lived for 54 years.

While staying home to raise her family, Connie was very active in the community (president of the Mendham Woman's Club, Voter Service Chair of the Chesters/Mendhams League of Women Voters, president of the American Field Service, and a Girl Scout leader). Later on Connie went back to work, serving as secretary to the Superintendent of Schools in Mendham Borough from 1969-1985.

In retirement, Connie was very active at St. Peter's Episcopal Church, Morristown. She served as an elected member of the Vestry, as Chair of the Inreach Committee, as an elected member of the Wilks Committee (which oversaw dispersal of grants to worthy causes in the community), and more. Connie and Bob also served as election officials in Mendham for many years and enjoyed world travel.

Connie was predeceased by husband Robert A. Lucas in 2011. She is survived by her 3 children, Constance S. Halliwell (Thomas), Robert A. Lucas, Jr. (Diane), and Christopher S. Lucas; 2 grandchildren, Carolyn Fair (Drew) and Matthew Lucas; niece Sally Tirado (Mike); and nephew Rick Sharpe.

A memorial service will take place at 11:00 am on June 4 at St. Peter's Church, Morristown, corner of South St. & Miller Rd., followed by interment of ashes in the St. Peter's Memorial Garden. Repast to follow in the Parish Hall.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to St. Peter's Church (Mailing address: 70 Maple Ave., Morristown, NJ 07960).

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