

OBITUARY

Marcella Urban, 98, of Hackettstown, died Saturday, December 27, 2014, at House of the Good Shepherd in Hackettstown. Born in Munson, Pennsylvania, Mrs. Urban lived in Dover for most of her life, then lived in Newton for many years before moving to Hackettstown. She was a member of St. Joseph R.C. Church. An avid golfer, Mrs. Urban and her late husband were league bowlers for many years. She was a member of the Dover Columbiettes, a member of the Leisure Club in Dover and a member of the Picatinny Country Club.

The daughter of the late John and Maryann (nee Howell) McGrath, Mrs. Urban was predeceased by her husband, Edward Urban, in October of 2007; a great-granddaughter, Ava Michelle Rhodes, in April of 2014; four brothers; and three sisters. She is survived by two daughters, Patricia Olivo and husband, Joseph, of Andover Township, and Maureen Lyford and husband, John, of Corinth, New York; two grandchildren, Patrick Olivo and Dionne Rhodes and husband, Gabriel; two great-grandchildren, Adrianna and Anthony Rhodes; and a brother, Paul McGrath and wife, Roseann. She is also survived by two step-grandchildren and four step-great-grandchildren.

Prayers will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesday in the Chapel of Gate of Heaven Cemetery Mausoleum in East Hanover. Entombment will follow in Gate of Heaven Cemetery Mausoleum. Visitation will be held on Tuesday from 4 to 7 p.m. at the Smith-McCracken Funeral Home, 63 High Street, Newton. Memorial donations may be made to [St. Jude Children's Research Hospital](#), 262 Danny Thomas Place, Memphis, TN 38105 or a [charity of choice](#). Online condolences may be offered at www.smithmccrackenfuneralhome.com.

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