



Audrey Lewis Short

February 1, 1922 - December 7, 2013

SHORT, Audrey Lewis,
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Born and raised in the Philadelphia suburbs, Audrey resided in Montecito for 24 years and died peacefully in her sleep. She is survived by her husband of 53 years, Robertson H. (Bob) Short, son Richard Price of Philadelphia, PA, daughters Barbara Short of Somes Bar, CA and Elizabeth Ellsworth of New Canaan, CT, sister Elizabeth (Betty) Pennington of Media, PA, eight grandchildren and numerous other relatives and loved ones.

In Montecito, Audrey was active in the Assistance League of Santa Barbara, the Montecito Hope Ranch Republican Women's Club and All Saints Church. She was a member of Birnam Wood Golf Club and most recently resided at Casa Dorinda.

Audrey was one of five siblings. She was an accomplished pianist and fine artist who left behind many beautiful oil paintings and watercolors. She enjoyed playing bridge and golf and traveled the world extensively with her husband Bob. Audrey was proud of her career at Sun Oil, where she met her husband. They raised their daughters in Winnetka, IL, where Audrey was active at Christ Church and Skokie Country Club, and later in Hillsborough, CA and Highland Park (Dallas), TX. Everywhere she lived, Audrey was active in her church, her community and in the lives of her beloved children. She was a loving and devoted mother and wife as well as a life-long learner and friend.

A family memorial service will be held at All Saints-by-the-Sea Episcopal Church.

Those who wish to honor her memory may make a donation to the Santa Barbara Foundation, Attn. Casa Dorinda Employees Scholarship Fund, 1111Chapala Street, Santa Barbara, CA 93101.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Caring love to Audrey's wonderful family from Lynn and therapy dog Audrey. WE enjoyed our weekly visits with Audrey. She would pet dog Audrey, and or delight us with her special humor and fun expressions. She was sleeping peaceful when visited last Thursday, lovely music softly playing and surrounded by photos of her beloved family. I treasure this memory, and wish to share it with you each of you, Lynn and Audrey*

Lynn Shfer - December 11, 2013 at 02:30 PM

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*Our deep sympathy to Audrey Short's husband Bob and to her Children and Grandchildren.
Bea and Glenn Scheel*

Bea & Glenn Scheel - December 12, 2013 at 08:37 AM