



Elaine Marie Saba

November 2, 1913 - July 26, 2019

Elaine Marie Saba, "Teta," Arabic for grandmother, is what Elaine's loving family called her, was born in Jerusalem in 1913, when it was still part of the Ottoman Empire.

Elaine had five children, four of whom have died, predeceasing her. Her husband, Emil George Saba died nearly 40 years ago. The two originally spoke only Arabic, and while Elaine learned English, as she grew older she would sometimes switch between English and Arabic mid-sentence. They came to the United States on a boat in 1951 where they settled in Washington DC. They had also resided in McLean and Great Falls Virginia. After Emil's death she moved to Silver Spring, Maryland and then to Naples Florida with family. Still living are her 9 grandchildren, David M Snell, Darlene Saba, Laura Saba Berman, Loretta Saba, Elaine Saba, Lorraine Pendleton, George Doddridge, Jerome Doddridge, Wesley Doddridge as well as multiple great grand children.

Tribute Wall



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