

Christ Episcopal Church Cemetery Inventory

State and Water Streets, Dover DE 19903

Lot Number: 107 Space: E

Find A Grave # 130536789**

Name: **Eley, Edwin Walter**

Birth date: August 21, 1940 Death date: October 30, 1997 Burial Date: November, 1997 Age: 57
b. Salisbury, MD

Spouse: Barbara Lois *Friedrich* Eley, m. April 13, 1963

Children: Dr. Cristin Eley; David Eley

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Child of: Walter Rodger Eley (1916-1997) and Margarette J. *Hughes* Eley (1920-2008)

Siblings: Step-sister Barbara E. Magee

Residence: Newark, DE

Cause of death/Burial/Obituary: stroke; see next page

Service/occupation information: Lab technician; owner of carpet company

Officiate: Rev. Gregory Howe

Lot Owner: Mrs. Margarette Eley; S, D, E, H, I

Inscription:

Edwin W. Eley
August 21, 1940
October 30, 1997

DIMENSIONS: H 22" x W 27" x D 14"

STYLE: headstone

No repairs needed



Inventory date: May 5, 2020 Recorder: Ellen Richardson



Photo by William P. Stokes

Mrs. Edwin Walter Eley

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Barbara Lois Friederich, Edwin W. Eley Married

Miss Barbara Lois Friederich and Edwin Walter Eley were married Saturday in the Collingswood Presbyterian Church, Collingswood, N.J.

The Rev. David A. Campbell officiated at the ceremony which was followed by a reception at Kenny's Suburban House, Cherry Hill.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Joseph Friederich of 128 Burrwood Ave., Collingswood.

Mr. Eley is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Eley of Smyrna.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a silk organza over silk taffeta gown trimmed with Alen-

con lace appliques. A headpiece of lace and pearls held her veil and she carried a cascade of carnations, roses and ivy.

Mrs. John N. Fanning attended her sister as matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Jessie Anthony and Mrs. Jerry Wilson.

Carl Simpson served as best man. Ushers were John N. Fanning and Jerry Wilson.

The bride is a graduate of Delaware Hospital School of Nursing. Mr. Eley is an alumnus of St. Andrews School.

After a wedding trip to Florida, the couple will live in Wilmington.

News J. Mon. April 8, 1963

The News Journal, Sunday, November 2, 1997

EDWIN W. ELEY, 57, of Newark, formerly of Smyrna, died Thursday of a stroke at Christiana Hospital.

Mr. Eley was a lab technician at Hercules Inc., Wilmington, for more than 30 years, retiring in 1994. He also owned and operated the Ali-Baba Carpet Co. in Wilmington for many years before selling it.

Survivors: daughter, Dr. Christin Eley of St. Augustine, Fla.; son, David of Newark; mother, Margarette H. Eley of Smyrna; stepsister, Barbara E. Magee of Dover.

Service: 10 a.m. Tuesday, Matthews-Bryson Funeral Home, 123 Commerce St., Smyrna. **Visitation:** 7 to 9 p.m. Monday. **Burial:** St. Peter's Cemetery, Smyrna.

Contributions: Instead of flowers, American Heart Association.

News Journal, Sun. Nov. 2, 1997