

*Christ Episcopal Church Cemetery Inventory*

State and Water Streets, Dover DE 19903

Lot Number: 31 Space: J

Find A Grave # 132285196

Name: **Layton, Linnea Stille Farquhar**

Birth date: January 22, 1925 Death date: November 15, 2008 Burial Date: May 17, 2009 Age: 83  
b. Huntington, NY

Spouse: Alfred Wolcott Gibbs Layton; m. May 22, 1925 in Dover DE

Children:

Parents: Edward Yorke Farquhar (1891-1965) and Linnea Elizabeth *Johnson* Farquhar (1894-1925) b. Sweden

Siblings:

Residence: Acton, MA

Cause of death/Burial/Obituary: Cremains

Service/occupation information:

Officiate: Celeste O. Cox

Lot Owner: Mrs. Sophie C. Jester

Inscription:

Linnea Farquhar Layton  
Jan. 22, 1925 – Nov. 15, 2008  
"Sweet Thames run softly"

DIMENSIONS: H 0" x W 16" x D 10" STYLE: flat plaque

Repairs needed: angle corrected summer 2021, stone lifted slightly



Inventory date: July 9, 2020 Recorder: Nancy Quinn

Simmons College Yearbook, 1946, Boston, MA



**LINNEA FARQUHAR**  
 80 North St., Ludlow, Mass. English. Honor Board 2; Fire Captain 3, 4; *News*, Technical Staff 2, Asst. Tech. Ed. 3, Tech. Ed. 4, Tea Chairman 3; Senior Faculty Supper Waitress 2; Commencement Usher 2.  
*Demure but dynamic... likes people, New England, the out-doors... Interested in English china and football games... diminutive herself, tall people amaze her, but more than holds her own in any gathering... English and the arts her love... hopes for something interesting and challenging... first hours her Waterloo.*  
 Simmons College Yearbook, Boston, Massachusetts 1946

The Morning News, Wilmington, DE, Monday, May 24, 1954

**MISS LINNEA S. FARQUHAR  
 MR. ALFRED W. G. LAYTON**

The marriage of Miss Linnea Stille Farquhar, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wallace Peach of Montpelier, Vt., and Mr. Alfred Wolcott Gibbs Layton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Landreth Lee Layton, Jr., 200 North State Street, Dover, took place Saturday at 4 p. m. in Christ Episcopal Church, Dover. The Rev. Paul A. Kellogg, rector, officiated.

Mr. Peach gave his niece in marriage. She was attended by the bridegroom's sister, Mrs. William R. Fox III of Dover.

Mr. C. Rodney Layton, cousin of the bridegroom, was best man. Ushers were Mr. Walker L. Mifflin, Jr., of Dover and Mr. Eric Finsen of Yardley, Pa.

The bride's gown of ivory taffeta featured a fitted bodice, long sleeves ending in points over her hands, and a bouffant skirt ending in a chapel train. She wore a fingertip veil of Carrick-Macross lace and carried a small bouquet of white roses and lily of the valley on a prayer book which belonged to her great-grandmother.

The ceremony was followed by a reception in the parish house. After a wedding trip the couple will reside in Wilmington.

The bride is a graduate of Simmons College, Boston, Mass. The bridegroom is a graduate of St. James School, Hagerstown, Md.

Morning News, Mon., May 24, 1954

**CERTIFICATE OF MARRIAGE** FILE NO. 832  
 STATE OF DELAWARE  
 BOARD OF HEALTH REGISTERED No. K-16

1. PLACE OF MARRIAGE: (A) COUNTY Kent (B) CITY OR TOWN Dover

2. DATE OF MARRIAGE 22 May 1954 (C) HOURS E. Dover

3. FULL NAME Alfred Wolcott Gibbs Layton

4. RESIDENCE: STATE Delaware COUNTY Kent CITY OR TOWN Dover

5. COLOR OR RACE white

6. AGE LAST BIRTHDAY 27 (Year) DATE 6-17-26

7. PREVIOUS MARITAL STATUS single (Single, widowed, or divorced)

8. NUMBER OF THIS MARRIAGE first (No. 2d, 3d, etc.)

9. BIRTHPLACE Philadelphia, Pa. (State or country)

10. USUAL OCCUPATION U. S. Marine Corps

11. INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS

12. FULL NAME Linnea Stille Farquhar

13. RESIDENCE: STATE Delaware COUNTY New Castle CITY OR TOWN Wilmington

14. COLOR OR RACE white

15. AGE LAST BIRTHDAY 29 (Year) DATE 1-22-25

16. PREVIOUS MARITAL STATUS single (Single, widowed, or divorced)

17. NUMBER OF THIS MARRIAGE first (No. 2d, 3d, etc.)

18. BIRTHPLACE Huntington, New York (State or country)

19. USUAL OCCUPATION Secretary

20. INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS DePont Company

21. (A) NAME Landreth Lee Layton, Jr. (B) NAME Edward Yale Farquhar  
 (A) NATIVITY Delaware (B) NATIVITY New York  
 (C) NAME Marianne Sholton Gibbs (D) NAME Linnea Elisabeth Johnson  
 (C) NATIVITY Richmond, Virginia (D) NATIVITY Stockholm, Sweden

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE ANSWERS WERE GIVEN TO ME PERSONALLY, AND ARE TRUE TO MY BEST KNOWLEDGE.  
 (Person performing ceremony) Paul Kellogg M. Clergyman (Title)

23. RESIDENCE: City, Town or Hamlet Dover County Kent State Delaware

24. WITNESSES (NOT MORE THAN THREE): NAME C. Rodney Layton RESIDENCE Wilmington, Del.  
Penelope E. L. Fox Dover, Del.

FILED May 24 1954 C. P. Tucker VA DPT. NO 2 Kent

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING  
 Write Plainly with Unfading Ink.—This is a Permanent Record  
 N. B.—Every item of information must be carefully supplied. Exact statements must be given.