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*Obituary Announcement*

*The passing of*

*Past MPMA National Ladies Auxiliary President*

*Mrs. Sylvia Saxton*



It is with the heaviest of hearts that I report to you the passing of one of The Montford Point Marine Association's greatest leaders, Mrs. Sylvia Saxton passed on Sunday 9 January. Mrs. Saxton was the first National President of the Ladies Auxiliary and served as the President Emeritus for the past decade. Mrs. Saxton was a motivating organizer and wise council to many National Presidents to include her husband, PNP Sam Saxton and myself. Mrs. Saxton was one of the three ladies I called my "Montford Point Mother". Now she is resting along with Mrs. Beulah M. Huff and Mrs. Famie Roundtree. Funeral services will be Saturday 15 January at Jenkins Funeral Home <http://www.funeralhomesguide.com/Maryland/Landover/BJJenkinsFuneralHome.html> in Landover Maryland at hwy 202 and 75th Avenue with a viewing at 9:00AM and the service will begin at 11:00AM followed by interment in Brook, Virginia (about 10 miles south of Quantico).

Notes of condolence may be sent to the family at;  
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Mitchellville, MD 20721

Please contact me if there are any questions at 610-495-3619 or via email. There are many members who do not have email. Please reach out to them with this information.

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