

Who was Mae?



Mae was the aunt of Marilyn Bergen, one of the co-founders of the Closet. At the age of 100, Mae received a red Rollator walker from Charlie's Closet in Guilford for the cost of a dollar! She was the last of the aunts when she died at 102, so had a special place in the life and heart of our wonderful extended family. It was important for me to keep this legacy alive, thus the energy for Mae's Closet was born! Ann joined as co-coordinator or co-conspirator to honor her dear friend, Cecilie, to help move this idea along. Five years later...IVCG took us under their banner and (501(c)(3) status) and we were

launched in May, 2019! Mae (and the aunts) would be pleased that we are helping others as she was helped for only one dollar.

We believe that Mae and Cecilie are blessing us and those who benefit from Mae's Closet!

- Marilyn J. Bergen
- Ann Levison

