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## *In Memory: Sarah Devine* *by Mame Dennis*

Sarah DeVine (Gerald D. Cohen) died of a heart attack on Tuesday, December 30, 2008 at his home in Silver Spring, MD. He was 63.

Sarah was a member of Beekman Place as Mame Dennis' daughter. She appeared in the 1972 Beekman Place production of "Cabaret". She served Beekman Place as its Best Actress of 1983 and Miss Beekman Place in 1984, sharing both titles with her partner, Ray (Halston) Stevens.

Sarah was on Academy Protocol in 1984 as the Queen of Hearts with Ray as her King of Hearts. Representing Israel, she was Miss Gaye Universe (DC) of 1988. She was the Best Actress of the Academy in 1991 with Gene Dandridge as her Best Actor. Her color was yellow and her understudy was Bette Midler (now known as Krayola Blue).

Graveside services were held on Friday, January 2, 2009 at the King David Memorial Garden in Falls Church, VA.



*Best Actress, Sarah DeVine (right) with her Best Actor, Gene Dandridge.*

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