



Barbara Lee Thompson

October 26, 1943 - November 13, 2024

Barbara Gray Thompson passed from this life to her home in Heaven on November 13, 2024.

Barbara was born on October 26, 1943, to Lewis Gray and Durlie Richards Gray.

Barbara is survived by her husband of 62 years, Tommie Melvin Thompson, son Raymond Darrell, daughter Wendy Dion, granddaughter Jordan Thompson, and great granddaughter Evalynn Dant.

She was pre-deceased by her parents, daughter, Pamela Kaye Thompson, sisters Iris Gray Worrell and Patsy Gray Melvin, brothers Walton Gray and Lewis Elton Gray, and grandson Tyler Dant.

Barbara was a talented singer and pianist, serving as pianist in any church she attended. She had a unique ability to not only read music, but to hear a song once, then play it, with no music. From 1966-1976 and many dates after that, Barbara traveled with her family group, The Happy Christian Singers, at many churches and other venues within several states. She often commented that those were very special times for her.

Visitation will be at Bevis Funeral Home, 200 John Knox Rd, Tallahassee, FL at 10:00 am, Tuesday, November 19. A celebration of her life will follow at 11:00 am. Burial will be at Tallahassee National Cemetery, 5015 Apalachee Parkway, Tallahassee, FL at 1:00 pm.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made to Lighthouse Children's Home, 7771 Mahan Dr, Tallahassee, FL 32309, or to a charity of

your choice. Todd Wahlquist is assisting the family with their arrangements (850-385-2193, www.bevisfh.com).

Cemetery Details

Tallahassee National Cemetery

5015 Apalachee Parkway
Tallahassee, FL 32311

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 19. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Bevis Funeral Home & Crematory
200 John Knox Rd
Tallahassee, FL 32303
(850) 385-2193

Funeral Service

NOV 19. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Bevis Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Barbara Lee Thompson*



Bevis Funeral Home - November 19, 2024 at 01:22 PM



“ *I worked with Barbara many, many years ago at PAC, my first real job. I can say without a doubt that she was one of the most caring, sweetest and genuine ladies I have ever met or worked for. My Condolences to the family.*

Pam Brett - November 22, 2024 at 10:37 AM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Barbara Lee Thompson.*



November 17, 2024 at 09:37 PM



“ *Had the pleasure of working with Mrs. Barbara for many years. What a special, sweet person she was. A mentor and dear friend to me. Prayers for her sweet family.*

Dianne (Welch) Tucker - November 15, 2024 at 08:05 AM

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“ *My condolences to all the family. Barbara and I worked together 22 years at Premium Assignment Corp and although we saw each other only infrequently in more recent years our association a big part of my life. This announcement came as a shock when I chanced on it while looking for one for my sister-in-law.*

Susan Philbrick - November 14, 2024 at 08:25 AM

LC

Big hearts and Hugs to the Thompsons as they navigate the loss of this shining light from all our lives.

Larry Crombie - November 14, 2024 at 05:08 PM

MP

Sincere condolences to Barbara's family. I have enjoyed her fb posts over the years, and I remember her as a fine person.

Mary Ann Plant - November 15, 2024 at 04:09 PM