



Betty Kornegay Atkinson

July 5, 1944 - September 23, 2023

Betty Kornegay Atkinson, of Crawfordville, Florida (formerly Jacksonville, Florida), died on Saturday, September 23, 2023, after a lengthy illness. She was a graduate of Robert E Lee High School, 1962, in Jacksonville, Florida, where she was the state champion in the shorthand competition. She was an active member of The Oyster Bay Church of Christ in Crawfordville, Florida. She and her husband, William D.M.(Bill) Atkinson, Jr. were owners of Atkinson's Supply Company in Jacksonville Florida until 2005. Betty was employed by Fiorini Chiropractic Center, Tallahassee Florida. She celebrated motherhood and was active in PTA and LACE when her children were in school; she was a board member at Murray Hill Athletic Association; she played active leadership roles in both Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts.

Betty was a devoted church member. She was also an incredible businesswoman with a lifelong, impeccable attention to detail. Though Betty held leadership roles in the community and in business, her most cherished roles were those of mother, grandmother, aunt, and great-grandmother. "Grandmommy," as she was affectionately called, believed God had blessed each of her family members with talents and abilities, and she was always there to support and encourage. If you knew her, surely you heard about her family!

She was preceded in death by her father, Bob I Kornegay; her mother, Murrel Kornegay; Her husband William D.M. (Bill) Atkinson; and her son-in-law, Fritz Quinn Parman, III. She is survived by her brother and sister-in-law, Robert Wayne Kornegay and Stacie Kornegay, of Tallahassee; her daughter, Vicki Atkinson Parman of Jacksonville; Her son, Dr. William D.M. (Mike) Atkinson, III (Donna Atkinson), of Crawfordville; and her daughter, Dr. Kimberly Atkinson Fiorini (Dr. Dennis Fiorini), of Tallahassee; her grandchildren, Katelyn Fiorini, Chase Fiorini, and Emily Fiorini, of Tallahassee; Quinn Parman (Rachelle Parman), Reed Parman (Joy Parman), Kelsey Parman Roth (Jeremy Roth) of Jacksonville; Mitchell Atkinson, and Dr. Cora Atkinson Ayers (Hayden Ayers), of Crawfordville; her nephews and niece, Rob Kornegay (Jackie), Brian Kornegay (Shauna), and Lea Richardson; her great-grandchildren, Audrey-Kate, Sydney, Fritz, Kennedy, Mary Karis, Maxwell, and Juniper; and six great-nieces and nephews, Noah, Bryant, Grayson, Monroe, Mason, and Charlotte.

The funeral service will be at 2:00PM on Saturday, September 30, 2023, at Oyster Bay Church of Christ, 1044 Shadeville Road in Crawfordville. Betty will be laid to rest at the Oyster Bay Church of Christ Cemetery.

Kelly Barber of Bevis Funeral Home (850-385-2193 or www.bevisfh.com) is assisting the Atkinson family with their arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Oyster Bay Church of Christ Cemetery

1044 Shadeville Road
Crawfordville, FL 32327

Previous Events

Funeral Service

SEP **30**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Oyster Bay Church of Christ
1044 Shadeville Road
Crawfordville, FL 32327

Tribute Wall



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Betty Kornegay Atkinson.*



September 29, 2023 at 05:39 PM



“ *Heavenly Grace Spray was purchased for the family of Betty Kornegay Atkinson.*



September 29, 2023 at 02:38 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Betty Kornegay Atkinson.*



September 29, 2023 at 11:40 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Betty Kornegay Atkinson.*



September 29, 2023 at 11:19 AM

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“ I remember Ms Betty's smile . 😊 She is always positive never negative . Three Amazing things Stand out to me

1) Her undeniable LOVE for her FAMILY . The way she was a best friend and mentor to my Nieces Katie, Emily and her Daughter (my SISTER In LOVE 'law')Kim . They were inseparable and made Beautiful memories.

2) When we lost our Father she took the time to support me , and I'm sure my entire Family .

I had not spent much time with her but I knew she was special. A short time after she wrote a note in a card, sent it to me in Michigan ,she wrote how she was close to her Dad and she knew what I was going through . It meant the World to me 🙏❤️

3) We went on a cruise with the Family . I got to know her even more then, she said we were a lot alike . I was honestly honored to hear her say that . I don't know where it came from .

One evening we realized we had brought the exact same Dress with us !!! And she said ' see we are alike 🙏😊❤️❤️❤️❤️

I will remember these things always . They hold a special place in my heart.

Thank you Betty for raising Kim to be Perfect for my Brother. Thank You for your dedication to your Family . Thank You for your Faith and Strength to go through whatever challenges you faced ,with a smile .

You have touched my Heart and You live on in your FAMILY . Rest in Jesus, you have earned it 🙏🙏🙏❤️ You will be missed 😭🙏
I was Blessed to know you.

Susie (Fiorini) Zvara - September 28, 2023 at 11:38 PM

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How can I forget How much you Loved CHASE . How he would make you laugh. You couldn't believe He wanted PIZZA for his meals on that cruise 😊

*Thank you 🙏 for Loving my Brother(Dennis) as your own.
THANK You for being GRANDMOMMY to them all.*

Susie (Fiorini) Zvara - September 28, 2023 at 11:53 PM

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“ *Jenkinsburg, Georgia Church of Christ purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Betty Kornegay Atkinson.*



Jenkinsburg, Georgia Church of Christ - September 28, 2023
at 11:10 PM