



Drusilla Agnes Edge

March 17, 1938 - April 3, 2020

Drusilla Agnes Jones Edge passed away on April 3, 2020 in Tallahassee, Florida. She was born and raised in Jacksonville the daughter of Earl E. Jones and Florence Wolff Jones. She was in the first graduating class of St. Johns Country Day School (5 boys and 2 girls) in 1956. She attended Salem College, Winston Salem, North Carolina.

She was a member of the 1958 Jacksonville debutante coterie. She married Edward Northup Gadsby, Jr. in 1959. She and Sandy had 2 children, Edward Northup Gadsby III (married to Griselda Claire) and Angela Layton Gadsby (married to Avi Hofman). She and Sandy were eventually divorced.

She moved to Tallahassee where she met and married Loyal H. Edge. They were married until his death in 1978. She is survived by her son and daughter, her sister Angela Conway, eight grandchildren: Emilia Layton Clare, Gregory Lee, Carolina Patricia, Katherine Agnes, Julia Grace, Malakai, Samuel Wolff and Emma Rose. She is also survived by 7.8 great grandchildren: Florence Maria Juliette, Salome, Louis Alexander, Elliott Clare, Lennon Edward, Vaida Noelle, Emmeline Isabelle and soon to be born Layton Drusilla.

Drusie had an indomitable spirit despite the years of serious challenges her body manifest. She made friends wherever she went and will be remembered with fondness by many in Jacksonville and in Tallahassee. In the end she passed away peacefully. A memorial service will be held at a later date in Amelia Island. Todd Wahlquist with Bevis Funeral Home (850-385-2193, www.bevisfh.com) is assisting the family with their arrangements.

Tribute Wall

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“Dru was truly one of a kind-gracious, elegant, witty and so clever. We met at work and remained friends through the years, even though our paths diverged. She was a person who held her head high no matter what life threw at her-always self deprecating. She was so very proud of her children and spoke of them often. “Drusie” loved nice things and had quite an artistic eye. She was quite a lady, and that was nicely tempered by her wicked sense of humor. Many people loved and thought the world of her. I was sure one of those people. We will cherish her memory and friendship. Much love.

Patricia “Pete” McDonald

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