



Gwendolyn Johnson Robinson

September 29, 1940 - December 21, 2022

Our beloved, Gwendolyn J. Robinson, passed away quietly on December 21, 2022, at her home in Tallahassee, FL. She was 82 years old.

Gwen was born in Cullman, AL on September 29, 1940, to Myrtle (Edwards) Johnson and James “Jack” Johnson. She spent most of her younger years growing up in the quaint town of Hanceville, AL where she attended Hanceville High School. She excelled academically as a member of the Beta Club and voted “Most Likely to Succeed” in her senior year. After graduation, she moved to Birmingham, AL where she began her career in the banking industry. It was there that she met her soon to be husband, Herschel Rodney Robinson. After marriage, the couple moved to her husband’s hometown of Tallahassee, FL in 1965. They had two very much-loved daughters in 1967 and 1971 and enjoyed raising their family close to the Gulf Coast where they would enjoy boating, fishing, crabbing (that was her favorite), and other outdoor activities. She was often found in her yard, nurturing all of her many flower gardens. She enjoyed that most of all.

She continued her banking career for 40 years, retiring as Vice President of Wachovia Bank. Her tenacity, independent nature, and resilience were all qualities that her children adored and counted on.

Gwen is survived by her two daughters, Ginger Gould (Robert) of Tallahassee, FL, and Wendy Batts (Howell) of Crawfordville, FL. She is also survived by two brothers Ratus Johnson of Irondale, AL, Michael Johnson of Madison, AL, along with three sisters, Linda Easterling of Irondale, AL, Sandra Bavar of Moody, AL, and Donna Arnold of Leeds, AL. She has one beautiful grandchild, Helena Batts of Tallahassee, FL. Additionally survived are her many nieces and nephews that she loved dearly.

She was an amazing mother, grandmother, sister, aunt, cousin, colleague and friend. She touched the lives of so many people. She will truly be missed and will never, ever, be forgotten.

A private, family gathering will take place at a later date.

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

Tribute Wall

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“ I had the privilege of taking care of Gwen's beautiful smile for many years. I always looked forward to seeing her. We always had a great visit. She was beautiful inside and out! My deepest sympathies to Wendy and Ginger.

Phyllis McCarthy

Phyllis J McCarthy - December 29, 2022 at 11:39 AM

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“ I first got to know Gwen when I worked at Flagship Peoples Bank for four years. We lost touch after I left the bank, but I was fortunate to renew our acquaintance when her long-time friend Jovita came to work in my office. My deepest sympathies go out to Ginger, Wendy, and the rest of Gwen's family and friends on the loss of this wonderful lady.

Debra Ferstler

Debra Ferstler - December 28, 2022 at 11:54 AM

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“ I will never forget all the wonderful memories of spending my spring break every year with her and my cousins!!! It was a trip I was always extremely excited about and looked forward to. She was so sweet and always so beautiful!! She loved being pretty. Her love for me is something I will always cherish. I love you my sweet Aunt Gwen!!! Rest in Heaven 💕🥺

Jennifer Lynn Reid - December 26, 2022 at 11:46 AM