



Joy Chadwick Lee

March 1, 1928 - September 4, 2017

Joy Chadwick Lee, born March 1, 1928 in Jacksonville, Florida, died peacefully at her St. Augustine Plantation apartment, on September 4, 2017, in Tallahassee, Florida.

Daughter, granddaughter and many dedicated staff of St. Augustine Plantation were with her.

She was a hard worker all her life as well as a lifelong learner. In 1981 she had saved enough money to move to Tallahassee to attend Florida State University, and graduated in 1983 with a degree in Home Economics.

She taught Home Economics on the high school level a number of years before retiring to Tallahassee, where she substituted in Leon County Schools for many years.

Quilting became a favorite hobby and she made numerous quilts for her home and family. She loved taking trips to out of town quilt shops including flying out of state to Paducah, Kentucky for "just the right" fabrics.

Joy believed there is always a reason for sad, difficult or hard times and that good can result from these times. She was a Christian and who faithfully took her daughters to church and they became born again believers in our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

She is survived by two daughters, Charlotte Kathleen Malone (husband, Phil), of Oxford, Mississippi and Mary Lou Heath (husband, Clayton "Sandy"), a granddaughter, Ashley Victoria Heath Lazenby (husband, Luke), and a great-granddaughter, Haylie Victoria Lazenby, all of Tallahassee, Florida. She is pre-deceased by a grandson, Ryan Phil Malone, Oxford, Mississippi.

Sincere appreciation goes to all staff at St. Augustine Plantation, Home Instead, and Big Bend Hospice. You made Mom's life safe, well cared for, comfortable, and happy. A memorial service is planned for Thursday, October 5, 4:00 pm, at Miccosukee United Methodist Church (no handicap ramp available).

Special appreciation to the Bevis Funeral Home for their love, care, and help with Mom's arrangements.

In lieu of flowers and food:

Due to Mom's love of America and our paralyzed vets:

Paralyzed Vets of America

801 Eighteenth Street, NW

Washington, DC 20006

And her love for babies and children:

Jefferson Diaper Brigade, providing diapers to low-income families in

Jefferson County,

P.O. Box 1182, Monticello, FL 32345.