



Lanette S. Burton

June 8, 1949 - June 21, 2025

Lanette Scherdin Burton, 76, of Tallahassee, Florida, passed away peacefully on June 21st, 2025. Born on June 8th, 1949, in Tallahassee, Lanette was a proud lifelong resident of the city she loved. She is a 1967 graduate of Florida State University School (Florida High) and was married to the love of her life, Dale Jay Burton on August 31st, 1984. She was a long-time member of Saint Paul's United Methodist Church - her amazing love for the Lord surpassed most others.

A spirited and devoted FSU fan, Lanette loved getting decked out in her Seminole gear and cheering on her favorite team surrounded by friends and family. Lanette brought joy, laughter, and warmth to everyone around her at all times. She retired from Leon County Property Appraiser's Office after many dedicated years of service, and throughout her life, her greatest joy came from spending time with her family. From the yearly family vacations, holiday gatherings, and Mexico Beach trips with her grandchildren, Lanette loved nothing more than being with the ones she truly loved the most and loved her the same in return. Lanette also had an extraordinary gift for connection - as she could make a friend with anyone, anywhere, at any time. She was a jokester and a talker - her sense of humor was unmatched, and her heart, immeasurable.

Lanette is preceded in death by her beloved husband, Dale Jay Burton; her

mother, Florence McKinnon Scherdin; and her brother, Ronald H. Scherdin.

She is survived by her beloved son, Brooks Burton and wife (Tori Burton) of Tallahassee; her four cherished grandchildren, Brantley Burton, Georgia Burton, Everett Burton, and another grandbaby on the way soon to arrive; her brother Robert L. Scherdin, Jr. and wife (Beverly Scherdin) of Crossville, TN; sister-in-law, Kay Scherdin of Havana, FL; and many loving cousins, nieces, and nephews who will forever remember her warmth, wit, and generous spirit.

Lanette leaves behind a legacy of love, laughter, and loyalty - a life well lived and will be deeply cherished forever.

Special thanks to Big Bend Hospice, Tallahassee, FL for the compassionate care they provided to Lanette in her final days.

Family and friends are invited to attend a memorial service to celebrate Lanette's life, to be held on Saturday, July 12th, 2025 at 4:00 PM at the Bevis Funeral Home Chapel in Tallahassee, FL. She will be laid to rest at Oakland Cemetery in Tallahassee, Florida at a later date.

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

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

JUL 12. 4:00 PM (ET)

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

Light refreshments will immediately follow the service.

Tribute Wall

RH

“ So heartbreaking to hear such a sweet person has left us. May she rest in peace. Sending prayers to her family.

Robert and Pamela Harper - July 27, 2025 at 02:50 PM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Lanette S. Burton.



July 10, 2025 at 03:26 PM

PF

“ Rest in peace sweet lady. You will be missed. Sending prayers for the family.



Pandy Fallin - July 08, 2025 at 01:45 AM

BF

“ Good lady enjoyed getting to know her. Prayers and God's Peace to family and friends.



Beverly Ferrell - June 29, 2025 at 08:26 AM

MA

“ Mary Ashley, Jason, & Amelia planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Lanette S. Burton.

Mary Ashley, Jason, & Amelia - June 28, 2025 at 01:24 PM

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“ Mary Ashley, Jason, & Amelia purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Lanette S. Burton.



Mary Ashley, Jason, & Amelia - June 28, 2025 at 01:24 PM

LM

“ Perry Como. Song ... Because. Her favorite 100 ❤️

lauren mahon - June 27, 2025 at 10:18 PM

LM

“ Lanette loved her Son Brooks more than he will ever know. The sun rose and set upon him. The obituary is spot on except her love for Lee (husband after Brooks father) she often spoke about him and his passing truly effective her profoundly. Lanette saved every cent for her Son Brooks hoping he and his wife Tory were provided for during the present and their future endeavors. She always knew what the weather was going to bring on a daily basis. With her passing I won't know if it's going to rain or not. She knew every land mark in Tallahassee and how to get there. No need for google if Lanette was around. I recently made some decisions and her last communion was “I'm glad to hear that” she had a favorite song on the juke box and my husband danced together while it played for years. Lanette was a pool shark!!!! She gave my husband a stick that he will cherish forever. I miss my friend now and will forever. I loved her deeply

lauren mahon - June 27, 2025 at 10:12 PM

DS

“ Being first cousins we spent every birthday and Christmas celebrating together with our families. It was an ideal childhood surrounded by family we loved and who loved us. I was honored to have Lanette serve as a bridesmaid in my wedding. She will be missed .



Dianne Shannon - June 27, 2025 at 07:40 PM