



## Marion Osborne Dean

October 16, 1922 - July 11, 2021

Obituary was written in the words of Marion Dean, who died July 11, 2021.

I wrote my obituary a few years ago in a creative writing class:

I was born at a young age as Marion Peele Osborne to Irving H. and Frances P. Osborne in East Orange, N.J., October 16, 1922. I lived with them and my brother Edward and my sister Frances until I eloped with Allan N. Dean (1921-2000) at the beginning of WW II. Among other things, he and I shared interests in music, stained glass and boating. I have one son Allan O. Dean who with his wife Rita has two married sons, Derek (Amanda and daughters Clara, Cecily, and son Neville) and Brian (Kristy and daughters Elise and Ella). Throughout my life I have been involved as a volunteer with a number of activities concerned with personal well-being. In WW II in San Diego, I taught home health nursing courses; then in Maryland I made Braille books, and in Florida I was a Pink Lady at the hospital in Stark. After moving back to Maryland, I worked in local school health rooms, was a Cub Scout leader, and a Girl Scout leader; and then in Indiana I volunteered at a nursing home on a regular basis. After retiring to Florida, I was a First Responder with the Sun City Center Emergency Squad, until I began tutoring inmates at a local juvenile facility where I had great success helping these young people progress in reading. Since 2010, I have enjoyed my friends at Cherry Laurel and Mulligan Park. I feel the most important aspects of life are relationships characterized by truthfulness, dependability, love, and loyalty.

A memorial service will be held 3:00 p.m. Saturday, July 17, 2021 at Mulligan

Park Retirement Center. In lieu of flowers the family request that memorial contributions may be made to Big Bend Hospice 1723 Mahan Center Blvd. Tallahassee, Florida 32308 or Piedmont Park Alliance Church 3210 Thomasville Road, Tallahassee, Florida 32310. Susie Mozolic of Bevis Funeral Home is assisting the family with their arrangements. ([www.bevisfh.com](http://www.bevisfh.com) 850-385-2193)

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life

JUL 17. 3:00 PM (ET)

Mulligan Park  
1800 Hermitage Boulevard  
Tallahassee, FL 32308

# Tribute Wall

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“ We are grateful to Marion for her giving her time and energy, as well as a very talented son, Dr Allan Dean.

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“ Janice Dean Leeds, Phyllis Dean Egan, Fred Egan purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Marion Osborne Dean.



Janice Dean Leeds, Phyllis Dean Egan, Fred Egan - July 15, 2021 at 08:39 PM