



Marjorie Jean Beckham

October 5, 1937 - April 5, 2025

Marjorie Jean Beckham, beloved wife, mother, sister, grandmother, aunt and friend passed away peacefully at home surrounded by her loving family on Saturday, April 5, 2025, following a brief illness.

Jean was born in Miami, Florida on October 5, 1937, to Sanford Wesley Wicks and Marjorie Bess Wicks. She graduated from Edison High School in 1955 where she proudly marched in the Cadet Corps. She attended the Florida State University School of Music, studying piano and organ prior to marrying the love of her life, Paul Woods Beckham.

She and Paul settled in Tallahassee where they raised their three children. Jean enjoyed her career as church organist, piano teacher and homemaker. She was also an avid tennis player for many years and loved competing with her tennis friends. She had an amazing green thumb and her yard was always filled with beautiful flowers. She was a great hostess and was always warm and welcoming to all.

She is survived by her husband of 67 years, and their children, Jennifer (John) Harvey, Alexandria, VA, Molly (Burton) Williams, Tallahassee, FL, and Joe (Meredith) Beckham, Tallahassee, FL; grandchildren Tucker (Summer) Williams, Maddie Williams, Jackson Harvey, Alec Harvey, Sophie Beckham, Paul Beckham and Ava Beckham; her brother-in-law, Dan Davidson, as well

as many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, sisters Nancy (Howard) Garner, Kathy Davidson and brother Sandy.

A celebration of Jean's life will be held at Faith Presbyterian Church, 2200 North Meridian Road, Tallahassee, FL on Friday, April 11, 2025, at 11:00am EST. Reception to follow in the fellowship hall. The family is grateful to Big Bend Hospice for their care. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made in her honor to Faith Presbyterian Church, Tallahassee, Florida.

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

Previous Events

Memorial Service

APR 11. 11:00 AM (ET)

Faith Presbyterian Church
2200 North Meridian Rd.
Tallahassee, FL 32303

Tribute Wall



“ *Pink Potpourri Bouquet was purchased for the family of Marjorie Jean Beckham.*



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“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Marjorie Jean Beckham.

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“ *Joyful Memory was purchased for the family of Marjorie Jean Beckham.*



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