



Nancy Ann Perrin

April 28, 1946 - December 16, 2015

Nancy Ann Perrin, age 69, entered into rest December 16, 2015. She was preceded in death by her parents, Margery Mae Perrin and Arthur Raymond Perrin, Jr. Nancy grew up in Kansas City, Missouri, attending Milton Moore Elementary School and East High School there. After earning a bachelor's degree in biology from Wheaton College, she taught 8th and 9th grade science for two years. Realizing her real love was geology, she returned to Wheaton to pursue a Bachelor of Science in geology. She then went on to earn a Master of Science in geology at University of Kansas. Upon graduation, she worked as a geologist for Conoco in Oklahoma City for three years before returning to college once more to complete a Ph.D. in geology at the University of North Dakota. Nancy taught at Calvin College in Michigan and then Chapman University in California for several years prior to coming to Tallahassee to teach at Tallahassee Community College (TCC). While at Calvin and at TCC, Nancy especially enjoyed taking potential geology majors on field trips to introduce them to the stories geology revealed in the rocks. She visited many national parks throughout her life and loved bringing back pictures, rock and fossils to share with her friends. Because of her passion for the parks, Nancy developed a new course at TCC, the Geology of National Parks, which she promoted and taught until she retired in 2009. In addition to geology, Nancy had many hobbies – reading, painting, stained glass, and taking care of her beloved cats. Nancy will be missed greatly by the many friends and colleagues she leaves behind. A Celebration of Life service to

honor Nancy will be held on Friday, January 29, 2016, from 1:00 p.m. until 3:00 p.m. at Tallahassee Community College, Science and Mathematics Building, Room 262. In lieu of flowers, please consider a memorial donation to Big Bend Hospice in her honor. Susie Mozolic of Bevis Funeral Home is assisting with the arrangements. (www.bevisfh.com 850-385-2193.)

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“ This is a shock! Nancy and I were grad students at University of North Dakota together and she was a regular at the Grad Student Bible Study Group she helped start. She led a couple of the studies too. Her commitment to the Lord was strong and she was a friend and encouragement in the Lord to everyone in the group. I lost track of her after college, so i'm glad to see she led a happy and productive life and helped many people appreciate God's world and take up careers in science. I thought to look her up just a little too late! I'm sorry for that; but I will see her in heaven, assuming I remain a follower of the Lord myself until the day I pass over to the other side. God bless her memory and comfort the family and friends she leaves behind.

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