



## Mr. William Bates Thomas

August 7, 1935 - July 25, 2012

William B. Thomas, 85, a retired attorney, passed away on July 25, 2012 in Tallahassee. He was preceded in death in 2008 by his wife of 55 years, Jean Thomas.

William was born in Washington D.C. and had lived in Tallahassee for the past 35 years. He worked as a hearing examiner for the Public Service Commission.

Survivors include his daughter, Laurie Barringer(Dennis) of Tallahassee; and two granddaughters, Allie and Stephe Barringer also of Tallahassee.

An inurnment is scheduled for a later date. Bevis Funeral Home(850.385.2193 or [www.bevisfh.com](http://www.bevisfh.com)) is handling arrangements.