



Shelby Jean Campbell

May 15, 1938 ~ March 29, 2023 (age 84)

Shelby Boggs was born in Briceville, TN and grew up and graduated high school in Lake City. She met “the love of her life”, Bill Campbell, while he was attached to the U. S. Air Base Communications and Surveillance Station in Briceville. They married in 1961 and Shelby became a Air Force spouse.

Shelby was a homemaker and mother of two children who grew up on military bases. Shelby loved to entertain and learned the social skills required of a military wife of the era. Shelby learned how to make beautiful table decorations and floral arrangements. She learned to paint in watercolors and oils and became very accomplished. She preferred to paint still life and landscapes.

Shelby and Bill moved back to her hometown after Bill retired. Now they could get involved in Democratic politics. Shelby joined the Anderson County Democratic Women’s Club where she became a board member and shared her knowledge and experience to help the Club be successful. Shelby served on the Hospitality Committee for many years as a member and Chair. She made sure all dinner meetings had proper table decorations!

Shelby and Bill were active with the Anderson County Democratic Party, worked at headquarters, and helped Democratic candidates with their campaigns.