

VIVIAN ANN SWANSON



Vivian Ann Swanson, 82, of Hilliard, passed away October 30, 2024, at Community Hospice Douglas Care Center, with her loving family by her side. Ann was born March 31, 1942 in Nashville, Georgia to the late Wilbur Bush and Dorothy Barber Bush. She was raised in Nashville, and graduated from Berrien High School in 1960. Shortly after school, Ann met her best friend and forever companion, James “Pete” Swanson. They were happily married on April 10, 1964, and spent the first few years of their marriage in Jacksonville and Macon, Georgia, before settling in Hilliard. Ann was a devoted wife, loving mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, sister and aunt. She loved being a homemaker, tending to her family and raising her children. Later in life, grandchildren brought her much joy and happiness.

Ann was known for her love of shopping and could always find the best bargains. She would shop anywhere at any time. Ann also enjoyed attending River Road Baptist Church where she was a longtime member. More than anything, Ann cherished precious time with those she loved, and she will be greatly missed by all who knew her. She was preceded in death by her parents; loving husband James “Pete” Swanson; in-laws James Robert and Mildred Keefe Swanson; brothers-in-law Phil Carlson and Robert Swanson; sisters-in-law Pat Bush and Ina Ruth Swanson.

Ann is survived by her loving children, Donald (Tamala) Swanson of Norman Park, GA, Steve (Trudy) Swanson, Julie (David) Smith and Susan Swanson, all of Hilliard; brother Williams Bush; sisters Joyce Carlson and Grace Chapman; grandchildren Jared (Amber) Peek, Ashley Mitchell, Paige (Neal) Grandas, Jared (Jana) Swanson, Brooke (John) Kasper, Kristin (Scotty) Reid and Anthony Smith; great-grandchildren Eisley Grandas, Willow Grandas, Jake Swanson, Ezra Reid, Raiden Reid, Payton Jones, Natalie Peek, Austin Peek and Makenna Mitchell; and several nephews and nieces.

A celebration of Ann’s life was held Wednesday, November 6 at River Road Baptist Church with Pastor Rusty Bryan officiating. The family received friends prior to the service. Interment followed at Riverside Cemetery in Nashville, Georgia.

Arrangements under the direction of Nassau Funeral Home, 541720 US-1, Callahan, 904-879-1770.

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