



Mrs. Betsey Caldwell Meyer Obituary

August 31, 1943 - October 24, 2012

Betsey Caldwell Meyer, 69, died peacefully at home on October 24, 2012 in Leesburg, GA. She was born August 31, 1943 in Miami, FL, the daughter of Thomas Palmer Caldwell and Nancy Dawes Caldwell. She was the great niece of Charles Gates Dawes, the Vice President of the United States and Calvin Collidge and a descendant of William Dawes, who warned American Troops the British were coming in his famous ride with Paul Revere in 1775.

In 1961 Betsey Graduated from Coral Gables High in Miami and immediately married Don Philip Meyer. After raising two daughters, Betsey spent numerous hours as a volunteer with Guardian Ad Litem program and was named volunteer of the year in Brooksville, FL several times. She worked tirelessly to help protect the children of Hernando County and continued to keep in touch with those whose lives she touched. She was active in many other organizations throughout her life including The Garden Club, St. Timothy's Catholic Church and The Children's Home Society of Florida.

Betsey thoroughly loved spending time helping others, especially children, as she was adopted at age 5 and knew the importance of making a difference in their lives. Family and friends were her passion. She loved the beach and mountains and spent summers as a child in North Carolina. She was an excellent cook and enjoyed spending time with friends sharing recipes at Brooksville's Rock Cannery. Betsey devoted most of her time to her family,

especially her three grandsons.

Betsey is survived by her husband of 51 years, Con Meyer, Leesburg, GA, daughters, Donna Solomon, Winter Park, FL, Nancy Wollman and husband Scott, Leesburg, GA, and her three grandsons, Michael Solomon, Matthew Solomon, both of Winter Park, FL and Grant Wollam of Leesburg, GA who were the light of her life.

There will be a private celebration of life ceremony for Betsey's family at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be sent to The Children's Home Society of Florida, 1485 S. Sermoran Blvd., Suite 1448, Winter Park, FL 32792 or online at www.chsfl.org.

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Betsey Caldwell Meyer Obituary*

May 22, 2023 at 01:29 AM



“ *Mrs. Betsey Caldwell Meyer Obituary*

December 24, 2022 at 02:54 AM



“ *We are saddened to hear of Betsey's passing. Although we have not seen her or her family for a number of years, she will remain a special part of our memories as our children were growing up in Brooksville. We extend our deepest sympathy to the family for your loss.*

Diane and Walt Riddle

Diane Riddle - Ridge Manor, FL - Friend - November 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Don,*

*We cherish all the great memories and times we shared with you both
and send our sincere love and prayers to you and your family.*

Sherrill & Elizabeth

Sherrill & Elizabeth Insco - Brooksville, FL - November 01, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ *I was saddened to read of Betsey's passing.
It's been many years since I last spoke to her. She was a nice
person and I enjoyed her company.*

I'm sorry for your loss.

Jane Rolph

Jane Rolph - Brooksville, FL - October 31, 2012 at 12:00 AM