



Mrs. Mary Ellen Pitts Bacon

January 31, 1936 - May 4, 2015

Mary Ellen Pitts Bacon died Monday, May 4, 2015 at Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital.

Her funeral Mass will be at 11AM on Thursday, May 7, 2015 at St. Teresa's Catholic Church with burial of her cremated remains to follow at Crown Hill Cemetery. The Rev. Paulinus Okpala will officiate. The family will receive friends at St. Teresa's Catholic Church on Thursday from 10 AM till 11 AM.

Mrs. Bacon was born in Fayetteville, NC. She was the daughter of John and Vera Pitts. She attended Fordham University in New York City at age 19. Mrs. Bacon came to Albany in 1954 to live with her family, and she graduated from Georgia Southwestern College. She married Dr. William H. Bacon in 1956. Mrs. Bacon was a well-known portrait artist, musician, and writer. She authored *Albany on the Flint*, a history of Albany, GA. Mrs. Bacon was a member of St. Teresa's Catholic Church, and was a former member of the Junior League of Albany and the Southwest Georgia Artist Guild.

Mrs. Bacon is survived by her husband of 58 years: Dr. William H. Bacon, Albany; son: Bryan Bacon and his wife Leslie, Lake Blackshear; daughter: Kathy Bacon, Charlotte, NC; 4 grandchildren; sister: Doris Purnell and her husband Clem, Jacksonville, FL.

Those desiring may send memorials to St. Teresa's School, 417 Edgewood Ln., Albany, GA 31707.

You may sign the online guestbook and share your memories with the family of Mary Ellen Pitts Bacon by visiting Kimbrell-Stern's website at www.kimbrellstern.com

Cemetery Details

Crown Hill Cemetery

1907 Dawson Rd
Albany, GA 31707
(229) 883-6600
<https://www.kimbrellstern.com/>

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 7. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Teresa's Catholic Church
421 Edgewood Lane
Albany, GA 31707

Funeral Mass

MAY 7. 11:00 AM (ET)

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421 Edgewood Lane
Albany, GA 31707

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Mary Ellen Pitts Bacon*

May 22, 2023 at 10:29 AM



“ *Mrs. Mary Ellen Pitts Bacon*

December 24, 2022 at 02:54 AM



“ *I am very sorry for your loss the Bible gives us hope that one day soon we will see our love one's again John 3:16 gives us hope Isaiah 25:8 says that one day soon death will be no more tears no more .death*

Sarah Lewis - May 19, 2015 at 01:08 PM



“ *Bryan, I am so sorry to hear about your Mom. My deepest sympathy. Please know that you are in my prayers. Frank S*

frank - May 05, 2015 at 07:56 PM



“ *I have such beautiful memories of Mary Ellenher sweet smile. Her beautiful arts works and just knowing her was a privage. Love Lou Johnson Lee*

Lou Lee - May 05, 2015 at 12:21 PM

DE

“ Bryan, So sorry to hear about your mother. Please know that you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers! Debbie Sutton

Debbie - May 05, 2015 at 09:55 AM

PM

“ Oh, I am so sad to learn of Mary Ellen's death. She was a special lady, loaded with talent....I will never forget the plays she wrote for the Junior League....such a gift to our elementary students....beautiful artist, sweet friend. We will all miss her very much.

Patsy Martin - May 05, 2015 at 08:00 AM

DP

“ Our condolences to the family. Mary Ellen died too young and will be missed by all.

I recall the last time I saw my cousin Mary Ellen -- probably 1961 in Albany when my dad (MJ "Jack" Pitts) was assigned to the Naval Air Station there. I remember her as being gracious and nice. Of course, I was a kid, eleven years her younger, but she was kind to me. I was around Uncle Bud and Aunt Vera more because they lived just down the street from us.

May the Lord be with you all in this time of sorrow. -- Duane Pitts, Moses Lake, WA

Duane Pitts - May 04, 2015 at 10:29 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* was purchased for the family of Mrs. Mary Ellen Pitts Bacon.



May 04, 2015 at 05:42 PM