



Mrs. Mizelle Pritchard Murphy

January 7, 1934 - January 21, 2016

Mizelle Pritchard Murphy
01/07/1934 – 01/21/2016

Mrs. Mizelle P. Murphy passed away peacefully surrounded by her family at 6:45P.M. on January 21, 2016 at Phoebe Putney Memorial Hospital. Funeral services will be held at 11am Monday February 1st 2016 at Porterfield Memorial United Methodist Church. Interment will follow the service at Crown Hill Cemetery. The family will receive friends at the Church one hour prior to the service.

Mizelle was born January 7, 1934 in Putney Ga. to the late James Albert and Ella Odom Pritchard. She graduated from Albany High School in 1952 and upon graduation she attended Auburn University. Mizelle married Paul Melvyn Murphy on July 7, 1957 at First Methodist Church, Albany, Ga. They moved to Atlanta, Ga. for the next 4 years while Melvyn finished dental school at Emory University School of Dentistry. After graduation in 1961 they returned to make their home in Albany.

Mizelle was Past President and Life Member of the Charity League of Albany. She was a member of Porterfield Memorial United Methodist Church and the Alpha Sunday School class.

Mizelle always had a beautiful smile on her face. She was a very loving wife, mother, and a beautiful person who always had a positive outlook on life. Family came first with Mizelle and she loved her immediate and extended family deeply. Her bright smile and infectious laughter was seen and heard by many. Her steadfast principles and warm heart was always felt by those who knew her.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by three brothers, Murray, James Albert Jr. (Sam), Franklin Lamar and two sisters Nada Nagel and Nell Bennett.

Mizelle is survived by her husband Dr. P. Melvyn Murphy and three children, Michael P. Murphy Gulf Breeze, FL, Rhonda Murphy Fox (Kenny) Baconton, Ga., and Stephen A. Murphy (Devi) New Orleans, LA. She is survived by three grandchildren Garrett Fox, Katie Fox, and Drew Murphy.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Porterfield Memorial United Methodist Church. To share your thoughts with the Murphy Family, or to sign our online guestbook visit www.kimbrellstern.com.

Cemetery Details

Crown Hill Cemetery

Albany

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 1. 10:00 AM (ET)

Porterfield United Methodist Church
2200 Dawson Rd
Albany, GA 31707

Funeral Service

FEB 1. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Albany, GA 31707

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Mizelle Pritchard Murphy*

May 22, 2023 at 10:29 AM



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May 22, 2023 at 01:29 AM



“ *Mrs. Mizelle Pritchard Murphy*

December 24, 2022 at 02:54 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs. Mizelle Pritchard Murphy .*



January 31, 2016 at 12:05 PM



“ *Aunt Sunny,Jim,Traci & family purchased the Serene Reflections Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Mizelle Pritchard Murphy .*



Aunt Sunny,Jim,Traci & family - January 28, 2016 at 07:03 PM

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“ *Mrs. Murphy was always such a sweet lady and a joy to talk to when I would go into Dr. Murphy's office. A beautiful lady indeed. My deepest sympathy to the family.*
Sincerely, Jan Weathersby



Jan Weathersby - January 27, 2016 at 09:04 AM

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“ *Ms Mizelle was the sweetest lady! I remember her beautiful smile at Dr. Murphy's office and her warm welcomes on the ride to DWS. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.*
Love - Mary Wuller Senn

Mary Wuller Senn - January 26, 2016 at 07:44 PM