



Margaret "Peggy" Heard

January 4, 1936 - January 17, 2023

Coleman Funeral Home of Southaven

Margaret "Peggy" Heard, 87, passed away January 17, 2023, in Southaven, MS. Coleman Funeral Home of Southaven is in charge of arrangements.

Peggy was born January 4, 1936, in Ackerman, MS. She is remembered for her strong-willed and hard-working spirit. In 1954, she graduated from Millington Central High School and was voted Most Beautiful her Senior year. At 34 years old, she lost her beloved husband, John, and was left to raise their two daughters on her own. She worked hard every day to provide for her children and to give them the best life possible. Her determination also carried her through her breast cancer diagnosis, and she became a breast cancer survivor. Peggy liked to cook for her family and was known for her love of snacks. One of her grandchildren's favorite memories of Peggy is lying in bed with their grandmother eating snacks and enjoying time with her. She also enjoyed reading and always looked forward to her favorite season, Fall. Peggy's determination and love was the bedrock of her family, and she will be deeply missed by all who loved her.

Margaret "Peggy" Heard is survived by her daughters, Terri Rogers (Jack) of Nesbit, MS and Vicki Sanders of Millington, TN; her granddaughters, Amber Moberly (Bradley) of Hernando, MS, Melissa Yount (Sean) of Munford, TN,

and Leslie Houston (Jeff) of Oxford, MS; her great-grandsons, Braden Moberly of Hernando, Griffin Houston of Oxford, and Dillon Yount of Hernando; and her great-granddaughters, Mallory Moberly of Hernando, Lillian Houston of Oxford, Preslee Yount of Munford, and Amanda Yount of Munford.

Peggy was preceded in death by her husband, John W. Heard; her father, William Travis Power; her mother, Adele Power; her granddaughter, Ashley Rogers; and her sister, Billie McCarter.

Contributions and donations in honor of Margaret "Peggy" Heard may be made to American Cancer Society (www.cancer.org) and to the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention (<https://supporting.afsp.org/>).

Online condolences may be left on her Tribute Wall at www.colemanfuneralhome.com.

Tribute Wall

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“ I’m so sorry to hear of your loss. I remember Peggy from our high school days. Peggy was beautiful in many ways. She was soft spoken, friendly and kind in all ways. I am so glad that I had the privilege of knowing her and enjoying our high school days together...

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My prayers, thoughts and love for Terri & Vicki and all the beautiful family of my beautiful friend. We were almost life long friends, having started in Grammar School together. We shared many happy times together. I will remember Peggy as a dear friend.

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