Christine Culpepper McGoogan - Obituary

Date: July 30, 2013

Christine Culpepper McGoogan passed away on Sunday, July 28, in Brunswick, Ga.

She was married on July 8, 1961, to Joseph T. McGoogan, who survives her. She was born on April 15, 1939, in Brunswick, Ga., to the late Emmett and Bernice Brim Culpepper. She was a graduate of Glynn Academy, class of 1957. She received a degree in education from Georgia State College for Women, class of 1961, where she was active in both the college choir and in student government, holding many offices and serving as president of the College Government Association her senior year. She has been a member of the Presbyterian Church, USA in three different Presbyteries, where she has served in many leadership and teaching capacities.

For nearly 50 years, she lived in Pocomoke City, Md., on the Eastern Shore of Maryland, while her husband was employed by the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. They returned to Brunswick in 2007. She was a Plus Volunteer at Peninsula Regional Medical Center in Salisbury, Md., and was involved with numerous school, church, sports and civic activities of her children when the family lived in Maryland.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by her sons, Joseph Thomas McGoogan Jr. (Sharon) of University Place, Wash., Gregory Kent McGoogan (Michele) of Salisbury, Md., Bruce Brim McGoogan (Jennifer) of Maple Grove, Minn.; and by her daughter, Karen Anne McGoogan King (Robert) of Wichita, Kan. Her grandsons are Jacob, Clark, Evan and Aidan McGoogan, Charles King and Jacob Harbinson. Her granddaughters are Jenna McGoogan, Katharine King and Jenna and Jamison Harbinson. Carmelita Culpepper, a sister, and Anthony Culpepper, a nephew, also survive.

In addition to her parents, she was predeceased by her brother, Dennis Kent Culpepper.

The family expresses sincere appreciation to Dr. Abraham Cheong and to Dr. Bruce Tripp and their nurses and staff, to the nurses in the Cancer Care Center and to the nurses and staff of Hospice of the Golden Isles.

A memorial service will be held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 10, at the First Presbyterian Church of Brunswick.

Donations in her memory can be made to the First Presbyterian Church, 1105 Union St., Brunswick, GA 31520 or to Hospice of the Golden Isles, 1692 Glynco Parkway, Brunswick, GA 31525.

Edo Miller and Sons Funeral Home is in charge of all arrangements.