



Peggy Ann Gardner

March 14, 1931 - April 23, 2019

Peggy Ann Pickett Gardner, 88, of Haymarket, Virginia passed away peacefully in her home, surrounded by her family and beloved dog, Zippy, on the 23rd of April, 2019. Born and raised in Waterfall, Virginia, Peggy grew up surrounded by a loving family in a place of tranquility and joy.

Her lifelong commitment to church began and ends with Antioch Baptist Church, All Day Meetings, church picnics, Sunday School, weddings, funerals...these events created the fabric that has comforted and guided Peggy through the years. And as recent as three weeks ago, Peggy could be seen sitting in the same pew in the church that was her life.

A graduate of Osbourn High School, Peggy and Charles Gardner were married at Antioch Baptist Church on June 3, 1950, raised four children and ran a business in Gainesville. During those years, Peggy was active in various community organizations such as the Gainesville Serendipity Club, the Junior Women's Club, and the Eastern Star.

Preceded in death by husband, Charles Virgil Gardner, Peggy is survived by her four children, Bonnie Mackenzie (John), Anne Pace (Michael), Patricia Gardner, and Michael Gardner (Katie); Brother-in-law Carl Mason (Mickey) Gardner; ten grandchildren, Heather Gardner, Duncan Pace, Jennifer Hatton, Ben Pace, Michael Gardner II (Kelly); Michelle, Kaylee and Jackson Gardner,

Bode and Gia Gardner, and four great-grandchildren, Noah and Peggy Prior, Michael Gardner III, and Henry Gardner.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Antioch Baptist Church, 16513 Waterfall Road, Haymarket, VA 20169.

The family will receive visitors at Antioch Baptist Church Thursday, April 25 at 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM, followed by a service at 12:00 PM and graveside internment at Antioch Baptist Church Cemetery in Waterfall, Virginia following the service.

Cemetery Details

Antioch Baptist Church Cemetery

16509 Waterfall Road
Haymarket, VA 20169

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 25. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Service

APR 25. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JG

“ In 1950, when I was 7 years old, Peggy and Charles visited Grandma Pickett's in Seat Pleasant Md. sometime after their wedding.

I can sill remember how beautiful she was walking though the door ,and what a truly nice person see was after meeting her for the first time. Through all the years I have known Peggy , she has remained a beautiful and gracious lady, and will be missed!

Jack Gilbreath (cousin)

jack gilbreath - April 23, 2019 at 08:40 PM

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“ Peggy was a member of our family and a dedicated member of Antioch Church. She was always smiling and speaking to everyone when we came each year for the Homecoming. She will be missed in the Antioch community. Our sympathy goes out to all the children and grandchildren and her extended family.

Randall and Linda Barnes

Randall Barnes - April 23, 2019 at 07:18 PM

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“ We, at Olive Branch Baptist Church, were blessed by the presence and generous by Mr. and Mrs. Gardner during their life time. The family has our deepest sympathy.

Esther J. Washington

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generous donations (please excuse the incorrection).

ESTHER WASHINGTON - April 23, 2019 at 05:15 PM