



Patricia Fesperman Howell

December 18, 1933 - September 25, 2020

Patricia Fesperman Howell, beloved wife and mother, passed away peacefully in her home on Friday, September 25, 2020.

Patricia was born in Salisbury, N.C., the only daughter of Walter Rowe Fesperman and Margaret Dedmon Fesperman. She was predeceased by her parents and brother, Walter Rowe Fesperman. She moved to Asheville at an early age, attended public schools and graduated from Lee Edwards High School where she met the love of her life, Hugh Byron Howell. They were together for 71 years, married for the last 64. Pat graduated from Queens College in Charlotte with a diploma in one hand and a marriage license in the other. She had two children, Margaret Lynne Howell of Knoxville, TN, and Walter Gash Howell of Greensboro. There are five grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Pat was active in the Civic Club, president of the Vetust Club, on the Board of Directors for Caring for Children and the Symphony Guild and was a lifetime member of First Presbyterian Church of Asheville. She loved to travel and did so extensively. She loved spending time with her family above all else, especially at Thanksgiving. She will be sorely missed.

Services for Pat will be private at this time.

Memorials can be sent to First Presbyterian Asheville, 40 Church Street, Asheville, NC 28801.

Morris Funeral and Cremation Care is serving the family and condolences may be sent to them through our website at www.morrisfamilycare.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Patricia Fesperman Howell*

October 07, 2023 at 11:15 AM



“ *Pat was one of the best. Knowing her as a fellow Christian was a great joy. We conducted years of touring together, when Pat wasn't sailing with her mother on the Holland-American Lines. She shared her love of our city with the many tour bus arrivals as she revealed delightful stories to our guests.*

We already missed Pat when she retired from touring, but always thrilled with her devotion to her family and to her church and her many intellectual pursuits in community events.

*Our love to the family,
Irene and Ken (Dillingham) Richards*

Ken and Irene (Dillingham) Richards - October 01, 2020 at 01:53 PM



Thank you so much for your comments. ❤️

Lynne Howell - October 01, 2020 at 02:48 PM



“ *Thinking of you Lynne and family. Sorry for your loss.*

Andrea McNeil - October 01, 2020 at 01:41 PM



Thank you Andrea. ❤️

Lynne Howell - October 01, 2020 at 01:46 PM

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“ *My prayers & sympathy go to the loving family of Patricia .*

*Neil Thagard
Neil K's Hairstyling
Asheville*

Neil Thagard - September 30, 2020 at 06:45 PM

MM

“ *To the Howell Family:*

May God give you at this hour His peace that surpasses all understanding. John 11:25-26.

Mark Mathews (Christ Covenant Church, Farragut)

Mark Mathews - September 30, 2020 at 11:28 AM

LH

Thank you, Mark. Blessings, Lynne

Lynne Howell - September 30, 2020 at 08:04 PM

JS

“ *Hugh and Family,*

The class of 1952, Lee H. Edwards High School, wishes to extend our sympathy to each of you in our remembering of our dear Classmate, Pat. She was always happy, fun to be with and had a great smile. We shared many clubs and events with her and enjoyed them all., Hugh, also as one of our dear classmates we want to share this time with you and share with you in remembering Pat. We are thinking of you!

*Jim Shepard
Class of 1952*

Jim Shepard - September 28, 2020 at 07:51 AM

LH

Thank you Lee H. Edwards High School. We appreciate your thoughts.

Lynne Howell - September 30, 2020 at 08:06 PM

HH

“ *Uncle Hugh, Lynne and Walter,*

*Our hearts are broken and are keeping all of you in our thoughts and prayers. Hope you can have some peace and comfort knowing your mom is with the LORD and also with Boggie, and Bud and Anne. Aunt Pat was a very special woman and deeply loved by all. With our love and deepest sympathy,
Bob, Hunter, Tyler, Austin and Lance*

hunter hannig - September 26, 2020 at 02:30 PM

LH

Thank you Hunter, Bob, Tyler, Austin, and Lance. Much love ~

Lynne Howell - September 30, 2020 at 08:06 PM



“ Hunter Hannig lit a candle in memory of
Patricia Fesperman Howell



hunter hannig - September 26, 2020 at 02:27 PM