



Rita P. Hollars

February 8, 1947 - September 6, 2024

Rita Prestwood Hollars died peacefully at her home the morning of September 6, 2024. She was born to Alec and Marguerite Prestwood in Atmore, Alabama on February 8, 1947.

Rita always had a kind and quiet way about her. After surviving experimental open heart surgery at 8 years old, Rita was a true survivor as she went on to live a full and happy life. After moving from Atmore to Asheville in 1966, Rita began her 32-year career at Wachovia Bank. She married her husband Mark in 1971 and they enjoyed 53 years of marriage.

Decorating and gardening were true passions of hers, along with traveling to Litchfield Beach with family and friends. She delighted in spending time with her beloved Bichon Frise', Brodie. The family would like to thank Dr. Thomas Rennard and the staff at Biltmore Medical Associates for all their care. She is survived by her husband Mark, daughter, Amanda, grandson, Reece Monroe, and nephew, Chad Askew.

No services are planned at this time. A private service will be held at a later date at Riverside Cemetery.

Tribute Wall

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“ Rita was my best friend. For many years we spoke almost daily, sharing our lives. We spent many vacations in Litchfield with their family, and traveled to other places as well. Whenever either of us had a problem we turned to the other, either for advice or sympathy. It's hard to lose your best friend but she suffered a lot in the past few years and now we know she's at peace, reunited with her family who went before. Praying for Mark, Amanda, Reese and Chad, may they find comfort as they go through this difficult time. Love you all.



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“ Rita was a good friend for many years & well respected while working together at Wachovia. We kept the friendship going afterwards until 2023 as 4 of us girls met quarterly for lunch many years. I'll be praying for the family. Rest in peace, Sharon Brown

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