



Page Weatherly Jones Harris

May 18, 1940 - September 10, 2024

Page Weatherly Jones Harris passed away peacefully at home on Tuesday, September 10, 2024.

Page was born in Laurel on May 18, 1940, and was the only child of Mr. and Mrs. James William Jones (Lillian).

She was the wife of the late Thomas Henry Harris, Jr.,

Page graduated from the University of Southern Mississippi with a degree in, and a lifetime infatuation for, drama and acting.

Her early career was as a teacher at St. John's Episcopal School and later in life she co-owned Laurel Travel Consultants for many years, which allowed her to travel often and extensively. She was one of the early passengers on the Orient Express, going from Vienna to Istanbul, but Paris, France may have been her favorite place.

Page was among the founders of the Laurel Little Theatre, Laurel Arts League and a supporter of the Lauren Rogers Museum of Art, St John's Episcopal Church, where she was an active member, and the Animal Rescue League of Laurel, supporting all with her time and gifts.

For many years she and Tommy maintained a home in New Orleans in the French Quarter where they made many local friends as well as hosting their Laurel visitors. They had season tickets to the Saints and Page never failed to costume for Mardi Gras.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband Thomas Henry Harris, Jr., her sister-in-law Hallie Harris Box (Neal) and her nephew David Box.

She is survived by her sister-in-law Elizabeth Harris Box (Ben), her nephews Benjamin Box, Jr., Bobby Box and her nieces Elizabeth Box and Beth Box Holland, as well as her cousin Dr. George M. Harris, Jr., his daughters, Hallie Reid Harris and Page's godchild, Spencer Page and Olivia Harris.

The family would like to thank Page's caregivers for their loyalty and excellent care; Kathy Langley, Kim Chancellor and JoAnn Settle. Also, Mr. Billy Washington for his support of both Tommy and Page over many years.

Page's car of choice was always a convertible, her fingernails and lipstick red, her jewelry gold and she loved anything animal print.

Page was one of the kindest people you could encounter in this life.

A graveside service will be held on Wednesday, September 25 at 11:00 AM at Lake Park Cemetery. In the event of inclement weather, the service will be held at St. John's Episcopal Chapel. A reception will follow at the Laurel Country Club.

Donations may be made in Page's name to the charity of your choice.

To sign the online guest book, visit www.memorychapellaurel.com.

Cemetery Details

Lake Park Cemetery

1303 Old Bay Springs Rd
Laurel, MS 39440

Previous Events

Graveside Service

SEP **25**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

DR

“ I was Ms Page's Hospice Nurse for 2 years, my memories were only of a woman in poor health, but there was no doubt she was a precious lady. Even though she could not speak her expressive eyes spoke volumes. I wish I had known her earlier in our lives!

Dotty Smith RN - September 25, 2024 at 09:51 AM

HH

I am so very sorry that she has passed. I knew both Page and Tommy for many years. They always asked me to visit during Mardi Gras. I enjoyed their hospitality many times. God Bless them both.

Hal Hazen - December 31, 2025 at 11:10 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Page Weatherly Jones Harris.



September 24, 2024 at 12:09 PM

MH

“ I vividly remember the beauty of Page's inner strength and physical strength when we were in the theatre dept. together at USM back in the early 1960s.

Mike Hancock - September 19, 2024 at 06:54 PM

SC

“ I lived next door to the Jones growing up. Paige would take me to PDI to get a dipped ice cream cone. I felt so big and important getting to ride in the back of the convertible ,of course, with the top down. Paige was as sweet and special as her parents. Suzell Sanders Cain

suzell sanders cain - September 17, 2024 at 06:33 PM