



Peggy Joann Schwan Mayfield

June 7, 1933 - June 27, 2023

Funeral services for Peggy Joann Schwan Mayfield, 90, of Laurel, MS will be held Saturday, July 8, 2023, at 11:00 a.m. at Memory Chapel Funeral Home, 3100 Audubon Drive Laurel, MS 39440. Graveside services will follow at Hickory Grove Cemetery. The visitation will be held at Memory Chapel on July 8, 2023, at 9:00 a.m. for the family and 9:30 a.m. for members of the public.

Tuesday, June 27, 2023, Peggy Joann Schwan Mayfield, 90, of Laurel MS, passed away at home with her son (George) and daughter-in-law (Andrea) at her side.

She was born June 7, 1933 in Laurel, MS. Peggy married her one love, George Udell Mayfield, Jr. on December 25, 1951. She earned a Bachelor of Science from LSU in New Orleans LA. Peggy was a chemist at Masonite and a lifelong science educator and club sponsor at Andrew Jackson High School in Chalmette, LA until retirement. Peggy led a life of service, and her leadership was recognized. As committee chairman for Volunteers of America Ladies' Auxiliary, she led numerous initiatives providing services to those in need. As Lake Vista Garden Club president, Peggy's leadership and civic contributions were recognized by the New Orleans City Park Board of Commissioners, YWCA Home for the Elderly, Home School for Girls, and Alton Ochsner Medical Foundation. Peggy was recognized as Woman of the Year for multiple years for her leadership and service in Louisiana. A talented

artist, Peggy's designs and artistic works earned her multiple awards. She was an active member of the Red Hat Society, an international organization focused on engaging older women in society and shaping the way modern women are viewed and valued in today's culture. Peggy enjoyed her time after retirement traveling the country with her husband (George), and friends as a member of the Central Alabama Travelers Association.

Survivors include her son, George Udell Mayfield III (Dr. Andrea) of Livingston, AL; 3 grandchildren, Alex Mayfield (Addie); Michael Mayfield (Lizzie); Kelly Russell (John); six great grandchildren; and sister; Billie Ruth Schwan Hinton.

She was preceded in death by her parents, W.G Schwan and Nellie Rogers Schwan; and husband, George Udell Mayfield, Jr.

Pallbearers are Michael Mayfield; Alex Mayfield; John Russell, Donald Rogers; and Craig Winship.

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

Cemetery Details

Hickory Grove Cemetery

Corner of Old Bay Springs Rd and 15th Street
Laurel, MS 39440

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 8. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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3100 Audubon Drive
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Tribute Wall



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Peggy Joann Schwan Mayfield.



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“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Peggy Joann Schwan Mayfield.

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“ Our sincere condolences
Brian and Vicki Schwan

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Our prayers & sympathy to George, Andrea & family. Mrs. Peggy was a gracious hostess, loved her grands & made the cutest items for them for holidays along with Big George. May she rest in peace.
Epsie & David Drewry

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Peggy was like a grandmother that I never had, a lifelong best friend to my mother Billie who was her sister. Her memory will never be forgotten. All the times she would make the holidays so special for everyone. We are so sorry for this loss George and the family.

Barry and Billie

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