Ann G. Smyth

May 24, 1936 - March 12, 2015

A memorial service for Ann Gillespie Smyth, 78, of Tyler, will be held on Wednesday March 18, 2015 at 11:30 AM, at Christ Episcopal Church. Rector David Luckenbach, Rev. Matt Boulter and Rev. Keith Pozzuto will officiate under the direction of Stewart Family Funeral Home. A reception will be held at the church following the service.

Mrs. Smyth passed away Thursday, March 12, 2015, in Owentown.

She was born May 24, 1936 in Gadsden, Alabama to Dr. J. P. and Dorothy Perkins Gillespie.

Ann received her general degree in Virginia and earned her accounting degree from the University of Texas at Dallas in 1980. That same year, she met and married her husband, Shelly. In 1983, Shelly retired from the United States Navy, and they moved to Tyler where she worked in the accounting business until her retirement in 2004.

Ann was a member of Christ Episcopal Church, where she taught the children's Sunday school class for many years. She was also a member of the Alter Guild, the Paper Guild, Daughters of the King and Episcopal Church Women. She enjoyed RV'ing with her husband and traveled through most of the United States.

Ann was preceded in death by her parents.

She is survived by her loving family including husband of 34 years, Shelly Smyth of Tyler; daughter Dr. Cynthia L. McManis and husband Scott of The Woodlands; son John Patrick Medlock III, and wife Genice of Canton,

Georgia; 3 grandchildren; 2 great-grandchildren; and two sisters Jerri Daniel and Jean Gray, both of Alabama.

If desired, in lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Endowment Fund, Christ Episcopal Church, 118 S. Bois D Arc Ave., Tyler, TX 75702 or the charity of your choice.

Previous Events

Mem. Service

MAR **18**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Christ Episcopal Church
118 South Bois d' Arc
Tyler, TX 75702

Tribute Wall

BT

This is a wonderful picture of Ann. For Rich and me -- it speaks volumes. Both Shelly and Ann were such a large part of my life during all their years since coming to Tyler and New Harmony. The years we spent in a weekly small group, being involved through our "work in progress" love of our Lord, breaking bread together, laughing until our sides hurt...well, the memories are too many for this space. She was a lady in all ways.

Thank you Shelly -- you were the light behind her eyes and earthly anchor in any storm.

We are remembering you and all of the family in our prayers and love.

Brenda Thomsen-Schwartz
and Rich Schwartz

Brenda Thomsen-Schwartz - March 18, 2015 at 08:22 AM

LJ

Ann was a very special lady. I will miss her very much. No matter what happened, she always had that beautiful smile. Much love to Shelly and family. Linda Johnson

Linda Johnson - March 18, 2015 at 04:23 AM

JM

Ann always found the JOY and shared it with everyone. A pot of beans
could be a party. She was a special Gift.

Janie Malone - March 16, 2015 at 03:36 PM

LA

Such a great friend of my parents (Lloyd & Joyce Land). They all shared many hours of fun, friendship, & fellowship with each other. Shelly- you are in our prayers! A special lady!

LaQuita Land Graham

LaQuita - March 16, 2015 at 08:20 AM

GG

The Gardner and Mayo Families of Wilmington, NC wish to extend our deepest sympathies to husband Shelly and to the family of Ann Smyth. We have fond memories of our times together.

George W. Gardner - March 15, 2015 at 10:43 AM

JA

John and Annah Wright extend our deepest sympathies and sincerest condolences to Shelly and to Ann's family.

john and Annah - March 13, 2015 at 10:38 PM

Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ann G. Smyth.

March 12, 2015 at 06:28 PM