



Ann Brady Knight Morgan

February 14, 1937 - April 1, 2016

ANN BRADY KNIGHT MORGAN

Ann Brady Knight Morgan passed away in the early hours of April 1, 2016, at her home. Daughter of the late Hal Brady, Jr., and Elizabeth Lasseter Brady of LaGrange, Georgia, she lost her mother at a young age and was blessed to have Mrs. Charlie Jo Brady as her step-mother. Ann was a Southern lady, born of the traditions of West Georgia, and engaged in the social and political life of her community and state. A long-time resident of Newnan, Ann will be sorely missed by her family and friends.

Ann was an Educator – in the home, in the school, and in her church. She was born and raised in LaGrange where she attended the LaGrange public schools. Her mom taught her to read at the age of four, and this started a life-long love of education that Ann transmitted to all who came into contact with her. She attended St. Mary's College in Raleigh, North Carolina, and graduated from the University of Georgia with a degree in business education. Ann was a member of the Chi Omega sorority where she was elected Vice-President, served as President of the University of Georgia Panhellenic Council and was selected to the Mortar Board National Honor Society. At various times during her professional life she taught school in the Oconee and Coweta County School Systems.

Her life was all about family. She met her husband-to-be, Nathan Knight, in grade school in LaGrange and they married in 1959 while Nathan was in law school. Following a stint for the US Army in Columbia, South Carolina, they

settled in Newnan in 1960, where Nathan set out to practice law. Ann was Nathan's partner in life and business and supported him throughout his professional and political career. She and Nathan raised three children and saw them all graduate from University, marry, and start their own families. With her children, there was hardly a tennis court or ball field in Georgia that Ann did not visit as an avid cheerleader. More recently, she was a doting grandmother taking great pride in her grandchildren's growth and achievements.

She had many interests in her life which were shared with a large network of friends. For 40 years, she enjoyed her bridge club and played duplicate and tournament bridge. Ann loved antiques and co-founded the Jefferson House Antique shop in Newnan, which she operated with friends for many years. She was a sustaining member of the Newnan Junior Service League and served the community as local Executive Director of the United Way. A voracious reader, Ann could always be found in her living room late into the evening reading business and health journals. She also loved to travel and made many visits to Europe with friends and trips to see her grandchildren in Belgium and France.

Ann was an active member of Newnan's First United Methodist Church her whole adult life and served in many capacities. For over 20 years, she was the Church's wedding coordinator; she loved to comment about how many church members she "married", and she never forgot a wedding. She shared her faith teaching adult Sunday School classes and in later years taught bible study for seniors at Wesley Woods retirement home.

When Nathan's health failed Ann learned to become a great care-giver. Not one to complain or question life's challenges, she leaned on her faith and studied all she could about Alzheimer's disease. For 11 years prior to Nathan's passing, Ann took full responsibility for his care, for many years at home and afterwards at Heritage Hills in Columbus, Georgia.

Ann is survived by her three children and their spouses and six grandchildren: Nathan and Marie-Adine Knight and their children, Coralie, John Henry, and

Colin of Brussels, Belgium; Bill and Amy Knight of Great Falls, Virginia, and their children, Allison and Cami; and Ansley and Brad Campbell and their son, Brodie, of Newnan. Ann is also survived by her brother, Dr. Hal Brady, III, and his wife, Myron, of Atlanta; a sister, Gail, and her husband Dr. Pat Hunnicutt of LaGrange; and a sister-in-law, Lillian Knight of Newnan. Ann also leaves Will Morgan of Birmingham, Alabama, a life-long friend whom she married in 2011 and gave her great happiness in her final years.

The family would like to acknowledge and especially thank Mrs. Ann's wonderful care-givers that read to her, sang to her, and laughed with her: Marcie Owens, Judy Norton, Melody Helfin, Natalie Keller, Janet Potts, and the late Carolyn Wright.

Condolences can be expressed online at www.mckoon.com

Visitation will be held at the McKoon Funeral Home on Sunday, April 3 from 6-8:00 pm. The Service will take place at Newnan First United Methodist Church on Monday, April 4, 2016 at 11:00 am.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations be made in Ann's name to the First United Methodist Church, 33 Greenville Street, Newnan, 30263 or a local charity of your choice.

McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory (770) 253-4580

Cemetery Details

Oak Hill Cemetery

96 Jefferson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
(770) 253-3744

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 3. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

McKoon Funeral Home
38 Jackson Street
Newnan, GA 30263
(770) 253-4580
care@mckoon.com

Service

APR 4. 11:00 AM (ET)

Newnan First United Methodist Church
33 Greenville Street
Newnan, GA 30263

Tribute Wall



“ *McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory created a Tribute Video in memory of Ann Brady Knight Morgan*



McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory - April 03, 2016 at 11:17 AM

GW

“ *I am so sorry to hear of Ann's passing. She was a kind, friendly Southern lady with whom I had many happy conversations. She will truly be missed by the many friends she made over the years. Prayers of comfort for the family.*
Geraldine Welch

Geraldine Welch - April 07, 2016 at 11:25 AM

DJ

“ *Dear Nathan, Bill, Ansley and Family,*
We were so sorry to hear of Ann's death. We have known the Knight Family for many years. Your Daddy drew up our first will. Don graded for their home. Ann helped with one of our Children's wedding. They were what we call Good People.
May the good Lord give you peace, love and understanding during this very difficult time.
God loves you and we do too,
Don and Mildred Jones

Don and Mildred Jones - April 04, 2016 at 12:08 PM

FF

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with all the family. May you find peace in the thought that Miss Ann's suffering is over but her eternal life has just begun. Please let us know if you need anything. Frank and Melody Farmer

FRANK AND MELODY FARMER - April 04, 2016 at 10:20 AM

RM

“ Robin Barron Mann lit a candle in memory of Ann Brady Knight Morgan



Robin Barron Mann - April 04, 2016 at 08:43 AM

RM

I'm so sorry for the loss of Miss Ann. She was such a lovely smart and kind lady. I will never forget her! Thoughts and prayers are being sent to all of you. Love Robin

Robin Barron Mann - April 04, 2016 at 08:44 AM

PS

“ Nath and Bill and Ansley. I am thinking of each of you and your families during this time. Your mom was a courageous lady. I will never forget how she cared for your dad and how much she loved all of you. God Bless you all. Philip Swords

Philip Swords - April 03, 2016 at 08:08 PM

CH

“ Ansley, Nath and Bill. I was so very sorry to learn of your mom's death.
Our mothers were sisters and I have many fond memories, especially of being in Ann and Nathan's wedding. My husband Harv and I send prayers of comfort and peace to you and your families.

Much love,
Connie Boyd Hegarty

Connie Hegarty - April 03, 2016 at 03:09 PM



“ Ansley, Bill and Nath - Please know how very sorry I am of your Mother's death. She was a wonderful lady and I pray that all of the wonderful memories that each of you have will bring you comfort and peace now and for many years to come. I am thinking of each of you.

Fondly,
Owen Dykes IV

Owen Dykes - April 03, 2016 at 01:16 PM

GP

“ Ansley, Nathan, and Bill, so sorry to hear of the loss of your mom. I have fond memories of her when you all were very young and in kindergarten. I know she will be missed by you and other family members. May God grant you peace and give you comfort at this time.

Love and prayers,
Gerrie Petty

Gerrie Petty - April 03, 2016 at 12:56 PM



“ 172 files added to the album LifeTributes



McKoon Funeral Home & Crematory - April 03, 2016 at 10:07 AM



“ To the Knight Family !!!
I loved your mom !! What a class act !!
I was so fortunate to have her in MY life!!
Prayers are with you as we celebrate her
life !!
Always --
Alice Ramsey

Alice Ramsey - April 03, 2016 at 09:11 AM



“ Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the
family of Ann Brady Knight Morgan.



April 02, 2016 at 03:06 PM

DN

“ *Ansley, Nathan, and Bill,*

I am so sorry to hear about Ms. Ann. She was a wonderful woman and one of Mama's dearest friends. Take this time to enjoy the wonderful memories of your wonderful Mother, for she is now in a better place. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Denise Norred

Denise Norred - April 02, 2016 at 12:05 PM