

Winifred "Winn" (King) Marsh 1927-2021

Winn Marsh, also affectionally known as Winnie and Nanny, passed away on Friday, February 26, 2021 at her home in Panama City.

She was born to Thomas and Maude (White) King on June 1, 1927 in Birkenhead, England. Winn immigrated to the United States in December 1949, became a Naturalized Citizen in 1953 and loved being an American. Winn worked at Tyndall Air Force Base as a civilian administrator when she met and married Chief Master Sergeant Harry Marsh Sr. Upon his retirement from the Air Force in 1963 they settled in Panama City. Harry Jr. was born in 1964 and Winn returned to England to introduce him to her father, Tom, in 1967. Melodee was born in 1968. The family moved to Wewahitchka in 1969 where Winn and Harry raised their family and resided until 2000 when they moved to Panama City.

After Harry Sr.'s death in 2004, Winn lived with Melodee, Jim and family until, post Hurricane Michael, she moved to Mathison Retirement Center in April of 2019. She spent her time with friends, old and new, enjoying activities including Bingo, chair aerobics, Wii Bowling, dominos, cribbage, and of course, her unending correspondence (written and electronic) with friends and family.

Over the years, Winn participated in numerous civic organizations including March of Dimes, Guardian ad Litem, Hospice, Women's Club, Garden Club and her beloved UMW. Many will remember her as a legal secretary for Robert "Bob" Moore in Port St. Joe until her retirement in 1995. She loved being a United Methodist and spent many happy years serving God, the Church and her community.

Winn traveled extensively and

always enjoyed whatever circumstances presented themselves. Blue Lake was a frequent destination where she renewed her spirit and grew in Christ. At 89, she made her last trip of many to England, visiting with her brother George, his lovely three girls and their families but continued to spend time in St. Petersburg, Florida with family and friends until December of 2019. Many describe Winn as "always a Good Sport". Baseball, Nascar, Uno, Movies, Singing, Dancing, Cruising, Bahamas trips Nanny found something to love in everything. She provided her family an example of goodness with love, support, doses of reality, great perspective and a firm grounding of faith, upon which they often relied.

Winn is predeceased by husband, Harry W. Marsh, Sr., her parents, and her loving brother Thomas George King. She is survived by her children, Harry W. Marsh Jr. and fiancé Lisa Snell, Melodee Weber and husband Jim; Grandchildren James Weber, III, Daniel Weber and wife Briana, Halley Marsh Harper and husband Chance; Great-Grandchildren Emmalee Winn and Thomas Weber (Daniel) and was anticipating the arrival of the newest little - Graysynn Harper (Halley).

A Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, March 13 at 10:00 a.m. CST at St. Andrew United Methodist Church, 2001 West 11th St., Panama City, Florida with the Reverend John C. Blount and Dr. Jeremy K. Pridgeon officiating. The family will receive visitors following the Service at g. Foley's restaurant.

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to the St. Andrew United Methodist Church Building Fund, 2001 West 11th Street, Panama City, Florida 32405 and note In Memory of Winn Marsh.

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