



Ms. Rachel Alma Meadows

September 27, 1926 - July 21, 2018

Rachel Alma Purdy Meadows, 91, fell asleep in her earthly body on Saturday, July 21, and opened her eyes to eternal life in her Savior's presence. Rachel, daughter of Ezekiel and Margie Shay Purdy, was born on September 27, 1926, in Roanoke, Virginia. She was predeceased by her parents and brother John B Purdy, and is survived by two sons, Rev. Gerald (Debra) Meadows, Jr. of Sturgis, South Dakota, and David (Sandy) Meadows of Dothan, Alabama; two daughters, Judy (Frank) Voran and Elizabeth (Jon) Johnson, both of Tallahassee, Florida; 15 grandchildren; and 22 great-grandchildren.

Rachel graduated from Jefferson High School and married in Roanoke, then moved to Springfield, Ohio in 1956. She raised her four children as a single mom in Miami, Florida (1963), and moved to Tallahassee in 1977, working as a secretary for the State until her retirement at age 75. Rachel was a church pianist for many years. She was faithful to her Lord and her family through many difficult circumstances, and her kindness, generosity, consistent Christian character, and gentle spirit serve as a treasured legacy.

The family will gather at Abbey Funeral Home on Saturday, August 11, to share their favorite memories of their mom and grandmother. To celebrate her life and love for her grandchildren and great-grandchildren, donations to A Women's Pregnancy Center are requested in lieu of flowers. Online condolences may be expressed at www.abbeyfh.com.

Cemetery Details

Tallahassee Memory Gardens

4037 North Monroe Street
Tallahassee, FL 32303
(850) 562-1518
<https://www.abbeyfh.com/>

Tribute Wall

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“ With Love, John and Kathy Purdy purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Ms. Rachel Alma Meadows.



With Love, John and Kathy Purdy - August 10, 2018 at 07:18 AM

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“ Ralph and Cathy Nash gave a generous donation to A Women's Pregnancy Center in loving memory of Cathy's aunt.

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“ We are so sorry for your loss. What a true blessing when we know we will see them again in Heaven 🙏

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