



## Mrs. Ann Camp Wilkerson

April 27, 1932 - July 14, 2017

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Mrs. Ann Camp Wilkerson, 85, of Sylvester, GA died on July 14, 2017 at Willson Hospice House, Albany, GA. Services will be held on Monday, July 17, at Pinson Memorial United Methodist Church in Sylvester with visitation at 10:00 a.m. and the funeral at 11:00. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Pinson Memorial United Methodist Church or the charity of your choice.

Mrs. Wilkerson was born April 27, 1932, in Albany to the late Evelyn Warren and Walker Rush Camp. Her entire life, except for three years when her husband was in the Air Force, was spent in Sylvester. Before marriage she attended Valdosta State College and later graduated from San Jose State University in San Jose, CA while her husband was serving there with the Air Force.

Upon their return to Sylvester, Mrs. Wilkerson and her husband opened Mileage Oil Company which they owned and operated for 25 years. After years of buying and selling pecans, they built a mechanized pecan shelling plant which became Wilkerson Pecans. They continued the plant operation until their retirement.

Mrs. Wilkerson's greatest joys were her family and living and working in her hometown. She was a lifelong member of Pinson Memorial United Methodist Church and served her church in numerous roles. She served on the

administrative board, taught Sunday school, and served in various capacities with the United Methodist Women, both locally and at the district level. She had a special calling serving shut-ins through visits, sending cards, and assisting in serving communion in their homes.

Mrs. Wilkerson was a loving and supportive wife and mother. In 1987 she was honored by the Sylvester Junior Woman's Club as "Mother of the Year." In addition to being an equal partner with her husband in their businesses she supported him during his tenure as mayor of Sylvester.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilkerson loved planning trips and enjoyed seeing many parts of the world during their travels. The family's annual trip to Amelia Island, FL, where she was surrounded by family and friends, was the highlight of the year.

Mrs. Wilkerson is survived by daughters, Claudia Wilkerson Parker and her husband, Tommy, of Tifton; Kathryn Wilkerson Wooten and her husband, Laney, of Albany; son, John Lundy Wilkerson and his wife, Cindy, of Flat Rock, NC; grandchildren, Sally Parker McLean and her husband, Alex, St. Simons Island; Cliff Parker, Tifton; Kate Wooten Wilson and her husband, Brock, Commerce; Maggie Wooten, Commerce; great-grandchildren, Parker McLean and Dulaney and Ridley Wilson. Other survivors include her brother, Warren L. Camp of Titusville, FL and brother-in-law, Robert P. Wilkerson of Columbus.

Banks Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Ann Camp Wilkerson*

January 28, 2023 at 12:53 PM



“ *Not only a friend, a life long friend. Our Mothers were best of friends and even though I didn't live on Isabella Street, I was one of the "gang". This week I remembered Ann, Patsy and I on our bikes going to pick & eat plumbs up the dirt part of Isabella St. So many good memories of the Camp family and the Wilkerson family. Our husbands became friends, our children played together and swam together and I always dropped by to see Ann when I was in town. So full of great memories and sorrow.*

**Betty Gibson** - May 14, 2018 at 02:26 PM



“ *Ann was one of the finest people I knew. She and Leroy were longtime friends of mine.*

**Clark Landrum** - May 14, 2018 at 02:26 PM



“ *Our prayers are with the Wooten family and with their extended family. We pray the Lord will comfort all of you and will carry you in his hands. May God Bless You All. Jan And Jim Rusin*

**Jan Rusin** - May 14, 2018 at 02:26 PM

TB

“ Claudia, I am so sorry to learn of the passing of your mother. I pray God will draw near and comfort you this day and the days to come. Blessings, Tommy

Tom Bagwell - May 14, 2018 at 02:26 PM

KC

“ I am so very sorry to hear of the passing of your mother/grandmother. I remember before moving to Albany. Mrs Ann always spoke to us with a smile. She has always been such a dear lady!!

Kate Cox - May 14, 2018 at 02:26 PM

DK

“ Ann was a lovely person. We enjoyed her friendship for many years. She will be missed! Please know our thoughts and prayers are with all of you during this time. Cherish your beautiful memories. Donna and Davis King

Donna King - May 14, 2018 at 02:26 PM

DB

“ Prayers for all of you. Mrs. Ann was a special lady and she was very supportive of Mr. Leroy when he was Mayor. They both loved their community and will be missed. Aleisha's first job was working at Wilkerson Pecans when she was 15 and she learned a lot from both of them. Love Debbie Bridges

Debbie Bridges - May 14, 2018 at 02:26 PM

ED

“ I send my deepest sympathy and love to all of you. Ann was truly a Southern Lady who knew how to make everyone around her feel at home. I always enjoyed the cousin's reunions, especially the one at her lovely home in Sylvester. It is sad that we are losing many of this special generation. I am sorry that I did not know about this until the service was over. Please know that I am praying for all of you.

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**Elayne Denham** - May 14, 2018 at 02:26 PM

DS

“ Just found out yesterday and I am so so sorry Claudia!!!

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**Debbie Paulk Sumner** - May 14, 2018 at 02:26 PM

JH

“ CJ and Barbara Hobby were very good friends with Ann and my brother and I became close with the Wilkerson kids. Ann was a very good person with a huge heart...may she Rest In Peace.

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**Jeff Hobby** - May 14, 2018 at 02:26 PM