



## Mrs. Jean Shiver Woolard

September 19, 1929 - September 18, 2017

Mrs. Jean Shiver Woolard, 87, of St. Simons Island, and formerly of Sylvester, GA, passed away Monday, September 18, 2017 after a long illness.

The funeral service will be held at 11:00 AM on Thursday, September 21, 2017 at Pinson Memorial United Methodist Church in Sylvester with interment to follow in the Hillcrest Cemetery. The Rev. Marcia Cochran, of St. Simons Island United Methodist Church, will officiate.

Mrs. Woolard was born on September 19, 1929 in the Red Rock Community to the late Erman C. and Lois Kemp Shiver. She had lived on St. Simons Island since 2003, moving there from Sylvester where she had lived most of her life. Mrs. Woolard graduated from Sylvester High School and the University of Georgia. She married her beloved husband, W. H. (Bill) Woolard, on August 20, 1950 and enjoyed 63 years of marriage before his death in 2013. Mrs. Woolard was a devoted military wife who took her family to various military posts including Clark Airbase, (Philippines), Florida, Georgia, California, and Texas. She retired after many years of teaching in the Worth County School System. Mrs. Woolard enjoyed travelling with close friends when Bill retired from the military and playing golf.

Survivors include her children, Nancy Rentz (John) of St. Simons Island, John Shiver Woolard (Nina) of Boerne, TX, Beth Fennell (Chip) of St. Simons Island and Mary Jean Alford (Randy) of Albany; grandchildren, Ryan Rentz (Pauline) of St. Simons Island, Claire Rentz of Atlanta, Meredith Woolard Clark (Christian) of San Antonio, TX, Megan Woolard Arrendondo (Richard) of San

Antonio, TX, Patrick Kemp Woolard (Kayleigh) of Boerne, TX, Libby Fennell of Los Angeles, CA, Jacob Fennell (Hilaree) of Los Angeles, CA, Kristen Courson (Clint) of Macon, Matt Alford (Amber) of Fayetteville and Laura Medlin (Tyler) of Perry; great-grandchildren, Mae Rentz, Holly Arredondo, Cora Woolard, Theo Woolard, Luke Courson, Grant Courson, Addie Alford, Aubrey Alford and Bryson Medlin; and a brother, Joe Kemp Shiver of Sylvester.

In addition to her parents, Mrs. Woolard was preceded in death by her loving husband of 63 years, William H. "Bill" Woolard on July 9, 2013 and her brother, E. C. (Josh) Shiver.

The family will receive friends on Thursday from 10:00 AM until the Service Hour at Pinson Memorial United Methodist Church.

For those desiring, memorials may be made in her honor to Hospice of the Golden Isles, 1692 Glynco Parkway, Brunswick, GA, 31525 or St. Simons United Methodist Church, 624 Ocean Blvd., St. Simons Island, GA, 31522. Please sign our online guest registry at [www.banksfh.com](http://www.banksfh.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Jean Shiver Woolard*

January 28, 2023 at 12:53 PM



“ *We have fond memories of our "pew mates", Mr. Bill and Mrs. Jean, at St. Simons United Methodist Church. Always loved seeing what Mrs. Jean was wearing. She was such a fashion plate. She was also a sweet, sweet lady. Prayers to all the family.*

**Dwight and Jan Payne** - May 14, 2018 at 02:21 PM



“ *Beth, Lanny & I have you and your family in our hearts and in our prayers. There are so few words that I can think of that help to comfort one at the loss of a precious Mother except that we, as believers, know that now she walks in His presence. Imagine the joy she is experiencing! Sometimes, just doing that can help to get you through the roughest times. Please know that I am here if you need to talk or just need anything. We Love you.*

**Clara Grammer** - May 14, 2018 at 02:21 PM



“ *So sorry. She was a sweet lady.*

**Sara Lanier** - May 14, 2018 at 02:21 PM



“ *Nancy, Caroline Powell Stevens here. So sorry about your mother. She was always so full of life and fun. It is so hard to lose your Mom. Our thoughts are with you.*

**Caroline Stevens** - May 14, 2018 at 02:21 PM

JW

“ So sorry about your Mom, Beth

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**Joyce White** - May 14, 2018 at 02:21 PM

AV

“ I'm so sorry for your loss! Sending love and prayers to you all. ?

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**Angie Votsis** - May 14, 2018 at 02:21 PM

SG

“ Beth I am so sorry for the loss of your mother. I list mine 2 years ago and it leaves a big hole in your heart. Blessings and peace for your family.

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**Sherrie Gunn** - May 14, 2018 at 02:21 PM

TB

“ John, So sorry to hear of your mother's passing. I have walked that road and I know the hurt. I will pray for you and your family in the days to come. May God richly bless you and comfort you as only He can my friend.

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**Tom Bagwell** - May 14, 2018 at 02:21 PM

MA

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

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**Mary Arredondo** - May 14, 2018 at 02:21 PM

JM

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

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**Jamice and Paul Meschke** - May 14, 2018 at 02:21 PM