



## Gale McAllister Tidwell

December 8, 1943 - June 27, 2022

### Gale McAllister Tidwell

Gale McAllister Tidwell passed on June 27, 2022, after a long illness. She was born on December 8, 1943, in Uvalda, GA to the late Emma Lucile Adams McAllister and Robert Lee McAllister. She was predeceased by three sisters, Ann Mock, Jane Adams, and Barbara Cameron and two brothers, Dale McAllister and Robert Lee McAllister, Jr. Gale loved her home city of Savannah and was a 1962 graduate of Savannah High School. After graduation, she began her bookkeeping career at WTOC and later retired as the secretary of St. Paul's Greek Orthodox Church after many happy years with the community. Gale enjoyed worshipping and volunteering with the Wilmington Island United Methodist Church and the Agape Circle.

Gale is survived by her twin daughters and their families: Lisa (Frank) Hardymon of Atlanta and Leigh (Scott) Spooner of Suwanee. Her greatest joy was being "Nanny" to her grandchildren: Emma Hardymon, Grace Hardymon, Jackson Spooner and Rachel Spooner. A private graveside service will be held at the McAllister Family Cemetery on Saturday, July 2. A memorial service celebrating Gale's life and friendships will be held in Savannah, GA at a later date. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial donations to Wilmington Island United Methodist Church, 195 Wilmington Island Rd, Savannah, GA 31410 or Joslin Diabetes Center at [giving.joslin.org](https://giving.joslin.org).



# Previous Events

## Private Graveside Service

JUL 2.

McAllister Family Cemetery

# Tribute Wall



“ *Gale McAllister Tidwell*

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“ *Knowing that Gale has gone to be with her Heavenly Father and her siblings brings me happiness. Knowing that she's not here with us brings me sadness. What a lovely lady. Both she and Babs were such a part of our Agape Circle at WIUMC. Their care for each other and their charming personalities were great role models. They are missed!*

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**Charlotte Carpenter** - July 06, 2022 at 06:49 AM