



## Martha Joan Henson Bateman

March 27, 1935 - March 31, 2017

Marcy Bateman (nee Martha Joan Hansen) died peacefully in the company of her family on Friday, March 31, 2017 at the University Medical Center in Lubbock, following a stroke.

Marcy is predeceased by her first husband Hal Bateman, and is survived by her second husband David Hester.

She is survived by three sons and six grandchildren: John and his daughter Ann Bateman; Jim and Nicole Bateman and their sons Travis, Lawson, and Bennett; and Ben and Tiffany Bateman and their children Wendy and her husband Jennady Stolyarov, and David.

She is also survived by her brother Roger Hansen and his daughters Alice Hansen and Lorene Wojciechowski, her sister Sally Hansen, her stepdaughters Karen Hester, Tina Hester and her son Wyatt Garrett, and is predeceased by her stepson Melvin Laman.

Marcy was born in 1935 and grew up in Dallas, Texas. She graduated from the University of Oklahoma in 1956, majoring in English, and married Hal Bateman in 1959.

Marcy lived in Lubbock since 1970 where Hal taught at the Texas Tech School

of Law. Marcy earned a master's degree in computer science at Texas Tech University.

Marcy was physically active all her life. She loved hiking, swimming and playing tennis. She jogged until she was 80. She loved to dance.

Marcy used her boundless energy to teach english, both at South Plains College and at Literacy Lubbock, where she befriended scores of students from other cultures.

Marcy was active in a wide range of clubs and activities. She sang with the Sweet Adelines, learned history with the Westerners Club, gardened as a member of the Master Gardeners, presented at the planetarium, and enjoyed her book clubs and bridge clubs.

A memorial service for Marcy will be held at the Covenant Presbyterian Church at 1:00pm on Wednesday, April 5th. In lieu of flowers please send memorial donations to Literacy Lubbock and Covenant Presbyterian Church.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

APR 5. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM.

Covenant Presbyterian