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Shirley Lavonne Johnston, 85, of Pawleys Island, SC went to be with her Heavenly Father on Thursday, February 16, 2012.

Born in Pittsburgh, Pa, she was the daughter of the late Frank E. Bell and Leoda (Deener) Bell. In addition to her parents, she was predeceased by her husband and love of her life of 64 years, A. William "Bill" Johnston and her brother, Frank M. "Skip" Bell. Mrs. Johnston was a loving mother who will be greatly missed by her daughters Cheryl "Sherry" Mitchell (husband-Wayne) of Avon, IN and Marilyn Agnew of Murrells Inlet and sons William "Biff" Johnston (wife-Gay) of Murrells Inlet and David M. Johnston of Hixson, TN. In addition, she is survived by eight grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren. After her children were grown, she volunteered in several hospitals including the Myrtle Beach Veteran's Clinic, was active in the reading program at the local elementary school and served on several committees at the St. Paul's Waccamaw United Methodist Church. She was a member of the Eastern Star and Associate member of the Marine Corps League in Myrtle Beach.

A Memorial Service will be held at the St. Paul's Waccamaw United Methodist Church, 180 St. Paul's Place, Pawleys Island, SC at 11:00 A.M. Saturday, February 25, 2012.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the South Strand Gideons, PO Box 14098 Surfside Beach, SC 29587.

An online guestbook is available at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com/obituaries
Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.

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“ *Sorry to hear about Shirley's death. She was a good friend and neighbor. She will be greatly missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.*

Love, Frank, Dolly & Cheryl

Cheryl Kemple - February 23, 2012 at 03:04 PM

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“ *We are sorry to learn of Shirley's death.*

She was a lovely lady, and the relationship between her and Bill was an example for all!

Mildred and Dick Hasselman

Dick Hasselman - February 21, 2012 at 06:53 PM