

*A service of worship to the glory of God
in celebration and memory of*



Dorothy "Peggy" Johnson Farrant Van Winkle

March 27, 1929 – March 12, 2024

First United Methodist Church of Gainesville

The Rev. Beth Snarr
Officiating Pastor

April 13, 2024

*Please join the family after the service for a reception
in the Fellowship Hall.*

Order of Worship

PRELUDE Seoyeon (Sunny) Baik

GATHERING The Rev. Beth Snarr

THE WORD OF GRACE AND PRAYER

*HYMN "How Great Thou Art" #77
vs. 1, 2 and 3

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON Isaiah 40:28-31

NEW TESTAMENT LESSONS Selections from John 14
Revelation 21:1-7

HYMN "In The Garden" #314

WITNESS TO THE RESURRECTION The Rev. Beth Snarr

PERSONAL REMEMBRANCES

THE PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING/THE LORD'S PRAYER

*HYMN "Hymn of Promise" #707

*BENEDICTION

*If you are able, please stand in praise to God.

*Memorial gifts may be made to
First United Methodist Church of Gainesville Music Ministry.*

Dorothy "Peggy" Johnson Farrant Van Winkle age 94, died March 12, 2024 at Haven Hospice in Gainesville, Florida.

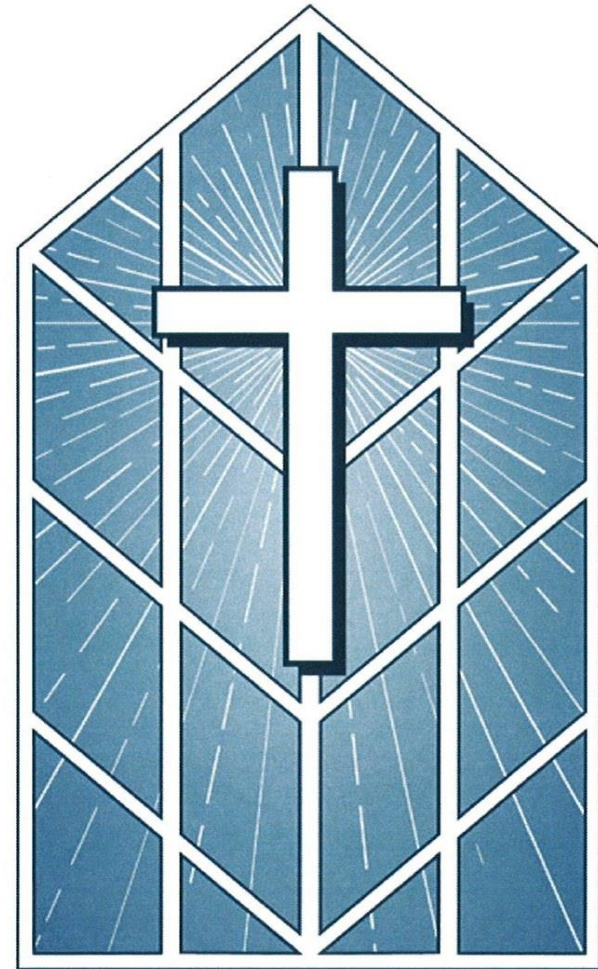
Born in New Smyrna Beach, Florida. She was the first daughter of Herman and Doris Johnson. Peggy graduated from New Smyrna Beach high school in 1947 and married Arnold Farrant in October of 1947. They had one son Glenn who was born in 1953. As a family they moved to Gainesville in March 1964, and she began a 30-year career at the University of Florida in 1965. She received many awards at the University of Florida as head of the payroll department, most notable as University of Florida State employee of the year by her peers.

In 1999 she married Wilbur Van Winkle and acquired an interest in gemstones while going with Wilbur to meetings and on trips to rock shops in North Carolina. After retirement she began a longtime love of travel, visiting all 50 states and about 30 foreign countries. Other loves were being with her family, watching NASCAR and Gator football. Her many interests included photography, computers and crossword puzzles.

Volunteering was a great part of her life including First United Methodist Church, Veterans' Hospital, Alachua General Hospital, Shands Hospital and great grandson's preschool and elementary school.

Survivors include one son, Glenn Stephen Farrant, grandson Kevin Farrant, granddaughter Lindsey Mitrook, great grandsons David Glenn Farrant and William Everett Farrant, Matthew Mitrook and Emery Ann Mitrook. One sister Patricia Ann Svoboda. Stepchildren Joan Van Winkle, Bette Van Winkle, Herb Van Winkle. Step grandchildren and great grandchildren Lisa and John Zunkel, Carson, Jackson and Harrison Zunkel. Beth and Steve Hartt children Sam and Leah, Amy Robinson, John Van Winkle, Robert Van Winkle and son Deagan, Brian Freeland (Mavity) and many loving nieces, nephews and friends.

She was preceded in death by husbands Arnold Stephen Farrant and Wilbur Lee Van Winkle. Brothers James Johnson and Ronald Johnson, stepson Robert Lee Van Winkle. Burial will be in New Smyrna Beach, Florida



*"Well done my good
and faithful servant."*

Matthew 25:21