



Norma P. Schweitzer

December 18, 2024

Norma P. Schweitzer passed away on December 18, 2024, at the age of 89. The daughter of John M. Palmer Sr. and Beulah M. Palmer, she was raised in Lutz, FL, and remained in the Tampa area until late in life. After graduating from Hillsborough High School, Norma attended Florida State University.

An accomplished pianist, Norma owned and operated a music and dance studio until starting a family. She served as a church organist and pianist at various times throughout her life. Norma had a lifelong love of music, a deep fondness for animals, and a passion for creativity. She cared for a wide variety of pets over the years, including cats, dogs, peacocks, rabbits, and guinea pigs.

As a young woman, Norma raised bees and assisted her father in cross-grafting and experimenting with citrus fruit varieties as part of the family business. Despite her many talents and interests, she never obtained a driver's license, despite various efforts to learn.

Norma was preceded in death by her husband, William H. Schweitzer, and her brother, Charles W. Palmer Sr. She is survived by her children, Maelanie Fetner and William (Bill) Schweitzer, their spouses, her sister Elizabeth Anderson, her brother John Palmer Jr., seven grandchildren, a niece and a nephew, and other extended family members.

A remembrance service will be held at Apex Baptist Church in Apex, NC, on December 30, 2024, at 1:30 PM. The family will receive friends beginning at 1:00 pm. A graveside service at the Lutz, FL, cemetery will follow at a later date. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to your local Humane Society.

Previous Events

Receive Friends

DEC 30. 1:00 PM (ET)

Apex Baptist Church
110 S. Salem St
Apex, NC 27502

Celebration of Life

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