



Jan Marie Blanks

December 1, 2020

Jan Marie Blanks, 75, of Helena drew her last breath on earth on Tuesday, December 1. Instantaneously she was looking into the radiant face of her Savior and Lord, Jesus Christ as He said, “Well done, my good and faithful servant.”

Jan was born in Birmingham and raised in Ensley. She attended Charles A. Brown Elementary School and Ensley High School. Many of her schoolmates were dear lifelong friends. She was a loyal Auburn fan (War Eagle!) and attended AU for two years. She was a graduate of the Raymond J. Horn School of Drafting. In 1973, Jan began a 30-year career with the U.S. Treasury’s Financial Management Service. Some of her closest and most cherished friends for the rest of her life had worked with her there. She had many close friends who were fellow members of Central Park Methodist, Ensley Baptist, St. Peter’s Catholic Church. Jan was preceded in death by her parents, Lois and George W. Blanks, Sr. and nephew, Paul Blanks. She is survived by her brother George, Jr. (Karen); nephews Matt Blanks and Andy (Brendt) Blanks; and numerous cousins in Alabama, Florida, North Carolina, and Texas. The true loves of her life were her grandnieces and grandnephew: Sara Frances (17), Abby (15), Caroline (12), and Paul (7) Blanks.

Jan’s primary charity was The Foundry Ministries. In lieu of flowers, Jan requested that family and friends make a donation to the charity of their

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“ *Eternal rest grant unto her, O Lord,\r\nand let perpetual light shine upon her.\r\nMay Jan rest in peace*

Carol Thompson - September 17, 2021 at 10:46 AM

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“ *Sympathy and prayers to the Blanks family from the family of Catherine Sullivan*

Tim Sullivan - September 17, 2021 at 10:46 AM