



Mildred Lee Hiers Peters

October 12, 1924 - September 22, 2023

Mildred Lee Hiers Peters passed from this life to God's heaven on Friday, September 22, 2023, at Community Hospice in Fernandina Beach, Florida.

Mildred was born on October 12, 1924, in Sanford, Florida, to William and Helen Hiers. Mildred and her three siblings, Hazel, W.L., and Louise, grew up in their family home on Orange Street in Sanford and they enjoyed family times together. They attended Christ United Methodist Church where she accepted Jesus as her Savior. She attended Seminole County Schools and then worked at H&A Department Store in downtown Sanford.

Mildred had 2 children, Donna and Wayne, with their father, Ralph Peters. When her children were young, Mildred worked at Lake Mary Elementary School cafeteria, and later at JC Penney's. At the time of her retirement from JC Penney's in 1997, she was a floor supervisor and had been with them for almost 30 years.

Mildred was predeceased by her parents, William and Helen, her sisters, Hazel and Louise, her brother, W.L., their spouses, and her grandson, Robert Peters. Mildred is survived by her children, Donna (Stuart) Searles, Wayne (Shan) Peters; her granddaughter, Stacey (Rick) Lindamood; three grandsons, Alex Lindamood, Josh Lindamood, and Aaron Peters; and many nieces and nephews.

Mildred was known by many people by multiple names – Daughter, Sister, Mom, Millie, Nana, Aunt Minner, Friend – but she was known by all for her kindness, humor, and for being a faithful friend.

There will be a viewing at DeGusipe Funeral Home at 905 Laurel Avenue in Sanford, Florida, on Friday, October 13 th , from 4 – 6 pm. Her funeral service will be held at Safe Harbor Christian Church at 730 Upsala Road in Sanford, on Saturday, October 14th , from 11 am – 12 pm, and she will be laid to rest in Evergreen Cemetery (section E) after the service.

Memories may be shared on the DeGusipe website at www.degusipefuneralhome.com.

Previous Events

Public Visitation

OCT **13.** 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

DeGusipe Funeral Home & Crematory Sanford Chapel
905 Laurel Ave
Sanford, FL 32771
(407) 695-2273
todd@degusipe.com
<https://www.degusipefuneralhome.com>

Funeral

OCT **14.** 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Safeharbor Church
730 Upsala Road
Sanford, FL 32771

Burial

OCT **14.** 12:30 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Evergreen Municipal Cemetery - Sanford
1899 West 25th Street
Sanford, FL 32771

Tribute Wall

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“ Dinah L. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mildred Lee Hiers Peters.

Dinah L. - October 13, 2023 at 01:42 PM

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“ Myra E. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mildred Lee Hiers Peters.

Myra E. - October 12, 2023 at 04:00 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Mildred Lee Hiers Peters.



October 11, 2023 at 02:04 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mildred Lee Hiers Peters.



October 09, 2023 at 07:42 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mildred Lee Hiers Peters.*



October 09, 2023 at 07:20 PM



“ *I'm from Pennsylvania but was fortunate enough to meet Millie while visiting my sister while in Florida. I fell in love with her from the first visit. Millie was the sweetest, kindest, special lady I have ever met. I loved listening to her stories. I kept in touch with her through cards and a few phone calls. I will miss her so much, I loved Millie, I will see you again someday Millie. ❤️*

Jody Lookabaugh - September 27, 2023 at 05:41 PM