



Sheila Thompson Hughes

May 4, 1935 - January 10, 2018

Hampton Falls – Sheila Thompson Hughes, 82, of Hampton Falls, died peacefully on Wednesday, January 10, 2018 at Exeter Hospital.

She was born in Portland, ME on May 4, 1935 a daughter of the late Alfred Swinburne Sr. and Charlotte (Googins) Swinburne.

Raised in Scarborough, ME, she graduated from Scarborough High School with the Class of 1953 and went on to attend and graduate from Boston University in 1956. Living with her daughter Jill, she called Hampton Falls home for the past 20 years.

Sheila first worked as a bookkeeper before transitioning into the banking industry, ultimately discovering her true passion as an antique dealer. She started her own antique business selling at various locations throughout the seacoast, most recently at Antiques of Edgerly Farms in Hampton Falls.

She was an avid reader who enjoyed gardening and playing the piano, but her greatest joy was spending time with family. She will be remembered for her keen sense of humor, even up to her final days and will truly be missed by all who knew her.

Family members include her children, Mark Thompson and his wife Traci of

Hampton Falls, Brian Thompson and his wife Leslie of Amherst, ME and Jill Thompson-Stetz and her husband Barry Stetz of Hampton Falls; grandchildren, Matthew, Megan, Andrew, Carolyn, James, Janet, Sheila, Hunter, Cameron and Madison; 3 great-grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, she was predeceased by her siblings, Alfred Swinburne Jr. and Eva Leona Larrabee.

Visiting hours will be held from 4-7 PM on Monday, January 15, 2018 in the Remick & Gendron Funeral Home-Crematory, 811 Lafayette Road, Hampton. Services will be held at 10 AM on Tuesday, January 16, 2018 in the First Congregational Church of Hampton, 127 Winnacunnet Road, Hampton. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited. Burial will be private. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Veterans organizations of your choice or the New Hampshire SPCA, PO Box 196, Stratham, NH 03885.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **15**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Remick & Gendron Funeral Home - Crematory
811 Lafayette Road ·
Hampton, NH 03842
(603) 926-6500
info@remickgendron.com
<https://www.RemickGendron.com/>

Service

JAN **16**. 10:00 AM (ET)

First Congregational Church
127 Winnacunnet Road
Hampton, NH 03842

Tribute Wall



“ *Sheila Thompson Hughes*

September 18, 2022 at 12:49 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Sheila Thompson Hughes.*



January 14, 2018 at 02:36 PM



“ *From Lisa and Rob Poznar purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Sheila Thompson Hughes.*



From Lisa and Rob Poznar - January 13, 2018 at 06:03 PM



“ *To Sheila's Family,
I am very sad to hear of Sheila's passing. She was a super, fun loving woman who would brighten any room she walked into. I only knew Sheila for a little over a year at Edgerley Farms but she made you feel like she knew you for years. She always had a smile and happy to see you. I and everyone who knew her will certainly miss her.
Rest In Peace Sheila.
Betty Gervais*

Betty Gervais - January 12, 2018 at 10:53 PM

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“ I remember, Shelia, when she worked at the Hampton Falls Antique shop and would come into my store at the Village Market which was next door. My thoughts go out to Barry and Jill. Love George and Paula Prive.

George Prive - January 12, 2018 at 06:40 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Sheila Thompson Hughes.



January 12, 2018 at 04:30 PM