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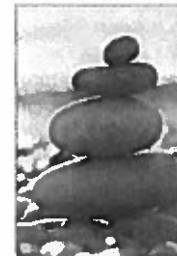
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Cheryl Echols Schymik

May 24, 1938 - February 25, 2015
Resided in Hilton Head Island, SC

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Obituary

Cheryl Echols Schymik, 76, died peacefully on Wednesday Feb. 25, 2015 at St. Joseph's Hospital in Savannah, after a brief battle with cancer.

Cheryl was born in Lamesa, TX to her beloved father Boyd, and mother Josephine. In high school, she was a cheerleader, beauty queen, and very popular — voted "most wittiest".

She graduated from Stephens College in Columbia, Missouri, and studied art history at the Nelson Gallery of Art in Kansas City.

She married Jerry Moyer of Kansas City and had two children, Valerie and Jerry. The young family settled first in Kansas City, then migrated to northern New Jersey. She began her professional interior design practice while a stay-home mom, earning her ASID (American Society of Interior Design) credentials from the New York School of Interior Design.

In the 1970's, the family moved to Harbor Town on Hilton Head Island, where she employed her artistic talents as an interior designer, and later bought Hilton Head Interiors as principal owner. She grew the style and reputation of the firm, and her interiors were featured in Architectural Digest Magazine. She expanded the business to imports, travelling extensively on buying trips to Hong Kong and other countries.

She was blessed with five grandchildren: Amella and Anna from daughter Valerie Moyer Zuver in Atlanta, GA; and Andrew, Allison, and Meagan from son Jerry Moyer in Arlington, VA.

She remarried Ken Dillman, now deceased, and then relocated to Long Cove until 2013. In retirement, she was a regular volunteer with the Bargain Box, Arts Center of Coastal Carolina, and Hilton Head Symphony Orchestra, and was active in the Junior League. She was a founding member of the Heritage Library of Hilton Head, and helped start the DAR Chapter on Hilton Head.

More recently, she met and married Walt Schymik, a resident of Hilton Head Plantation since 1990. They moved to TidePointe where she

continued her active volunteering and social life.

Memorial services will be held on Saturday March 7, 2015 at First Presbyterian Church of Hilton Head at 3:00 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations to the First Presbyterian Church, or the Heritage Library, 852 William Hilton Parkway, Hilton Head, SC 29928.
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 **Mary McKenzie** · 15 hours ago
To the Schymik Family:
My sincere condolences to you all. May the God of tender mercy be with you." We have the hope of everlasting life that God who can not lie, promised long ago " Titus 1:2 MM. Columbia

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Memorial Service

First Presbyterian Church
540 Wm. Hilton Pkwy.
Hilton Head Island, SC USA 29928

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 **Saturday, March 7, 2015**
3:00 PM

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