Marilyn was born on July 31, 1950, in Dallas, Texas, to Bobbie Jean and William Charles Buchanan.

he was preceded in death by her parents; her sister, Nancy Reiff; and her brother-in-law, Mark Brink. She is survived by her husband, Wayne, of Bedford, Texas; and son, Danny, of Austin, Texas; as well as many relatives, dear friends and business associates.

Marilyn attended Thomas Jefferson High School in Dallas, where she was the Captain of the High School Drill Team. Her family moved to Oklahoma City in 1966 and she graduated from Putnum City High School in 1668. She attended Oklahoma State University and graduated in 1972 with a degree in Business Administration. She married Wayne on July 26, 1975. They moved to Bedford, Texas, in 1979.

Marilyn worked for TCB (Texas Commerce Bank) until 1989 when Danny was born. She then became a stay-at-home mom. In 2001, she became Janine Turner's personal assistant and



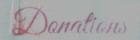
began helping her with her business and acting career. In 2007, Janine moved to New York City to pursue her career. Before she left, she introduced Marilyn to Mr. Pat Summerall and his wife, Cheri.

Marilyn became Pat's personal assistant and worked for him and Cheri until Pat's untimely death in 2013. Afterwards, Marilyn continued to help Cheri. In 2012, she began to help Janine, her daughter, Juliette, and Cathy Gillespie with their nonprofit organization "Constituting America," whose mission is to educate and inform America's adults and primarily high school students about the importance of the U.S. Constitution and the foundation it sets forth regarding our freedoms and rights.

Marilyn officially retired in 2015 from any full-time work and enjoyed a more relaxed pace. She was happy and caring, always putting others before herself. She had a wonderful laugh and a passion for enjoying life, and she will be dearly missed.



Do not stand at my grave and weep;
I am not there, I do not sleep.
I am a thousand winds that blow;
I am the diamond glints on snow.
I am the sunlight on ripened grain;
I am the gentle autumn's rain.
When you awaken in the morning's hush;
I am the swift, uplifting rush.
I am the swift, uplifting rush.
I am the soft star that shines at night.
Do not stand at my grave and cry;
I am not there, I did not die.



In lieu of flowers, the family is requesting that memorials be made in her name to:

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Haltom City, Texas 76117



People keep asking us if there is anything they can do? The answer is "Yes." We challenge everyone to learn CPR and then teach it to a family member or one other person. The procedure has changed in recent years but, with the internet, the information is literally at your fingertips. Go to www.youtube.com, then select CPR Training, click the one that says "BEST CPR Video Ever Made," and in 4 minutes and 45 seconds you will be trained. We thank you in advance.

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Dr. Johnnie Wallace - Officiant