

## **Barbara Jean Mitchell**

Barbara Jean Mitchell, 56, of Beacon Hill Road, Franklin, died Sunday, May 2, 2004, at local hospital. She was born in Ohio County, W.Va., the daughter of Melvin Earl and Dorothy R. Nell Seabright Steele of Orlando, Fla. She was an office manager and bookkeeper for Macon County Tax Office and a member of Bethel United Methodist Church. She was past president of the Academic Foundation for Macon County and a member of the Ruby Beshears Circle at the First United Methodist Church.

In addition to her parents, she is survived by her husband of 37 years, Anthony Joseph Mitchell Jr.; two sons, Matthew Mitchell of Altamonte Springs, Fla., and Scott Mitchell of Franklin; one sister, Debbie Beatty of West Jefferson.

Memorial services will be held Saturday, May 8 at 2 p.m. in the chapel of Bryant Funeral Home with Rev. Al Beck officiating. The family will receive friends from 1 to 2 p.m., Saturday, one hour prior to the service at Bryant Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to the National Cancer Foundation or to the Lewis Rathburn Home, 395 Grace Circle, Highlands, NC 28741.

Bryant Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

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