

## **Mrs. Ready**

Gail Ellen Ready, 55, of Franklin, died Sunday, Dec. 13, at a local hospital.

She was a native of Allegheny County, Pa., the daughter of Joseph Harry and Helen Rutter Stevenson. She had lived in Franklin since 1992, moving from Avon Park, Fla. She was a proof operator in banking and was of the Presbyterian faith.

She is survived by her husband of 22 years, Melvin Hollis Ready; two daughters, Susan Johnson of Avon Park, Fla., and Sandra Johnson of Sutton, Neb.; one brother, Joel Stevenson of Sebring, Fla.; and five

grandchildren.

Memorial services will be held Thursday, Dec. 17, at 11 a.m. in the chapel of Bryant Funeral Home, with Rev. John Raby officiating.

The family will receive friends Thursday, Dec. 17, from 10-11 a.m., one hour prior to the service at Bryant Funeral Home.

Memorials may be made to the American Diabetes Association, 3109 Poplarwood Ct., Suite 125, Raleigh, N.C. 27604-1043.

Bryant Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.