

Martha McLaurin

Leaves a Legacy of Giving and Compassion at Glenaire

Former resident, Martha McLaurin, supported Glenaire in many ways. She was an avid volunteer within the community, giving generously of both her time and her resources.

Martha McLaurin was born in Raleigh, NC and graduated from Broughton High School. She and William (Bill) McLaurin were married in 1946 and worked together to build McLaurin Parking Company in Raleigh. While growing the family business, Martha and Bill were very involved in the lives of their six children and participated in both family and community activities. She was supportive of her church, White Memorial Presbyterian, and assisted in many endeavors within the church, including the founding of Step-Up Ministries as well as Cornerstone Presbyterian Church in Cary.

Mrs. McLaurin moved to Glenaire in 2000. She quickly immersed herself in the life of the community, serving in a variety of ways, including as President of the Residents' Association. She valued her time with friends and family and is survived by six children and eighteen grandchildren. She was a loyal donor to The Presbyterian Homes Foundation, Inc., supporting the work of the Foundation with annual gifts. She was also a member of the Glenaire Society, which recognizes individuals who have included the Foundation in their estate planning. Her generous gift of \$10,000 will help to bolster the Micou Browne Endowment, which provides for residents who have exhausted their personal financial resources and are in need of resident financial assistance.



Martha McLaurin will be remembered as a devoted wife and mother who showed compassion to others and realized great satisfaction in helping those who were in need. Paul Gregg, Executive Director, remembers her by stating, "Mrs. McLaurin was a vibrant member of our Glenaire community. She always had a friendly smile and will be remembered for her heartfelt desire to help others and willingness to provide leadership within our community. We appreciate her generosity and the strong relationship Glenaire continues to have with the McLaurin family."

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