



Paula Marian Anderson

February 10, 1960 - July 9, 2015

Paula Marian (Banks) Anderson, 55, of Bloomington, passed away Thursday, July 9, 2015 at her residence. She was born on February 10, 1960 in Tulsa, Oklahoma as the daughter of William Patrick and Elizabeth (Wingo) Banks.

Paula graduated valedictorian of her high school class in 1978 from Duncan High School in Duncan, Oklahoma. She was a member of Phi Beta Kappa at the University of Oklahoma where she received her Bachelor's in Business in 1985.

She then went on to receive a Master's Degree in German from the University of Oklahoma in 1993 and a Master's Degree in English from Indiana University in 1998. In both programs Paula was a graduate assistant, teaching English and German. Paula went on to work at I.U. Press as a proofreader then transferred to the marketing division. After that, she was employed by the Indiana University Kelley School of Business as an academic coach.

Paula attended First United Methodist Church and became a volunteer with the Monroe County Historical Society while pursuing a Master's Degree in Library and Information Science. She was a

devoted wife and enjoyed collecting recipes, cooking, watching PBS and CSpan and visiting architectural sites, particularly those connected with Frank Lloyd Wright.

Paula is survived by her husband, Franklin Scott Anderson, whom she married in 2001; mother, Elizabeth (Wingo) Banks of Oklahoma; brother, William Patrick Banks Jr., and wife Sharon, of Duncan, Oklahoma; nephew, Tate Banks; niece, Emma Banks; and adopted and beloved dog, Max.

She is preceded in death by her father, William Patrick Banks.

A memorial service will be held at 4 PM on Saturday, August 15 at St. Mark's United Methodist Church in Bloomington. Friends are invited to share a memory or leave a condolence at www.allenfuneralhome.org

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Monroe County Public Library in her memory. Allen Funeral Home & Crematory has been entrusted with arrangements.