

Ray, Susan Gail (Rader) | 1955-2018

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Susan Gail Ray

Susan Gail Ray, 63, of Runaway Bay, died Monday, Aug. 27, 2018, in Dallas.

Memorial service is 1:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 15, at Hawkins Funeral Home in Bridgeport with the Rev. Olan Collins and Todd Buckner officiating.

Honorary pallbearers are John Rader, John Bass, JJ Bass, Danny Bass, Ryan Bass, Darryl Ray, Shane Earwood, Todd Buckner and Doyle Bradley.

Susan was born April 5, 1955, in Jacksonville, Fla., to Roscoe and Frances Joyce (McHenry) Rader Jr. She was a graduate of Wills High School in Smyrna, Ga., where she was recognized and received Governor's Honors. During that time, she was also a Worthy Advisor for the Smyrna Masonic International Order of the Rainbow for Girls. Susan had attended Georgia Institute of Technology in Atlanta and later went on to become a certified club manager with CCMA.

She married Roland Roger Ray Aug. 16, 1996, in Waxahachie. Susan was a member of the Bay Community Church and active member of the Ladies Golf Association in Runaway Bay.

She was preceded in death by her mother.

She is survived by her husband; daughters Michelle Earwood and husband, William, of Temple, Ga., and Holly Buckner and husband, Todd, of Chico; son Major Darryl Ray (Air Force) of Edmond, Okla.; seven grandchildren; her father; sister Cathy Bass; brother John Rader; and sister-in-law and brother-in-law, Myra and Doyle Bradley.