



Harriet L. Friedman

July 23, 1923 - April 1, 2018

Harriet Ann Levy Friedman died April 1, 2018 in Houston. She was born July 23, 1933 in Galveston to the late Harriet Leibson and the late Harry H. Levy, Jr. She graduated from Ball High in Galveston at age 15 and from Hockaday Jr. College in Dallas and attended The University of Texas, where she was a member of Alpha Epsilon Phi.

Harriet was an active volunteer in many organizations. When her children were young, much of her volunteerism focused on supporting their activities, from Girl Scouts to music lessons, but she always made time for her Wednesday bridge game with Elaine, Gloria and Joan. She later became more involved in Congregation Beth Israel as a Trustee, a long-time Sisterhood officer, chair of the Adult Education Committee and representative to Braes Interfaith Ministries Food Pantry; MD Anderson, where she volunteered 25 years; and The Women's Fund. She was a longtime season-ticket holder of Houston Ballet, Houston Symphony and Houston Rockets. For 50 years, she rarely missed her Friday afternoon hair appointment with George until he retired. She had many dear longtime friends.

Harriet was preceded in death by her stepmother, Eva Levy, brother, Harry Levy, III and stepbrothers, Thomas Watson and Stephen Watson. She is survived by her husband of 64 years, Richard Friedman, her daughters, Linda Sheff (Mike Sheff) and Nancy Friedman (Mark Taub) and Leslie Friedman.

Donations may be made to the charity of your choice.