## Barbara B. Thomas

AIKEN - Barbara "Buffie" Thomas, 73, of Aiken, formerly of Hilton Head Island, died Tuesday, May 10, 2005, at her home.

Mrs. Thomas was born in San Francisco, daughter of the late Albert C. and Mary Jane Cornelisor Buffum. Before moving to Aiker in 2002, she had lived in Hiltor Head for 14 years. Before that, she had lived in Weston, Conn., for 20 years.

She was a member of the Hilton Head Plantation Women's Club. the Country Club of Hilton Head, the Hilton Head Yacht Club and the Green Thumbers. She was a member of Delta Gamma Sorority of Ohio Wesleyan College and was fond of needlework, sewing and

quilting. She is survived by her husband

of 50 years, David H. Thomas of Aiken; a son and daughter-in-law, David B. and Becky Thomas of Troy, Mich.; a daughter and son-in-law, Kerrie T, and Michael VanDalsum of Bedford, N.H.; a sister, Jeanne

Collins of South Bend, Ind.; and

seven grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held at 2:30 p.m. Monday at St. Thaddeus Episcopal Church, Pendleton Street, Aiken. The family will receive friends immediately after the service in the Stevenson-McClelland Building adjacent to the church. A memorial service and interment will take place