

# Dr. Nancy (Lee) Paxton

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*Class of 1954*



As dean of students and vice president for student affairs at Grove City College, Nancy Paxton had the task of “parenting” more than 2,000 collegians each year: coordinating student housing, organizing special events, supervising student counseling and managing a wide range of campus activities for the student body. She devoted herself to the students of the College and to helping them develop not only academically, but also as men and women of character and integrity.

Paxton is a long-time resident of Grove City. She was the director of Christian education and youth activities at East Main Presbyterian Church for more than 22 years before joining the Grove City College staff in 1976 as dean of women and director of housing. As adviser to campus organizations from PanHellenic Council, Mortar Board, and Crown and Sceptre to the Student Government Association, she has been an influential leader of those groups and their community service projects. She received

the Florence E. MacKenzie Campus-Community Award in 1989. She retired from the College in 2004.

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