



Mrs. Dorothy "Dot" Jefcoat Lawson

November 4, 2019

Mrs. Dorothy Jefcoat "Dot" Lawson, 81, a resident of Memphis, TN passed away on Monday, November 4, 2019. Dot is preceded in death by her parents, Rea Dolen & Ruby Elizabeth Jefcoat of Laurel, MS, her husband of 40 years, Earl Ray Lawson, Sr., and her siblings Ray, Bobby, Helen, Lari, and Mitchell Jefcoat. She is survived by her loving family: sisters Sue Jones (Pete), Diane Ratliff (Willie) & Sherlie Jefcoat; daughters Debbie Campbell Warren (Jerry), Pam Lawson Bowick (Buddy), & Shellie Lawson Johnson (Charles); sons Doug Campbell (Rhonda) & Mike Lawson (Reneé); 8 grandchildren, Heather, Holly, Missy, Brandon, Lawson, Blake, Mary Katherine and Jack; 6 great-grandchildren, as well as her loving and best friend, Mr. Eddie Von Boeckman of Cordova, Tennessee. She will be sorely missed by her family and friends. She was known to all for her giving nature, quick wit and making all feel included. She was an avid tennis player and a wonderful scratch cook. As a younger mother, she was very active in her children's school, serving as PTA president, fundraising including implementing the local Right to Read program at Horn Lake Elementary School in DeSoto County, MS. As the children grew she returned to work at Sears retiring there as their Human Resources manager. In her later years, she resided at the wonderful Mary Galloway Home at Trezevant Terrace in Memphis where she made many new friends and enjoyed shopping at Dottie's Digs, playing bingo with Beth and the MG ladies, listening to live music and afternoon cards with her most special friend, Mr. Eddie Von Boeckman. The family would like to thank Ms. Calotta Edsell,

Beth Carson, the Mary Galloway Foundation, the Trezevant Terrace staff and the Allen Morgan staff for their contributions to mom's last years. A celebration of life reception will be held in her memory at St John Orthodox Church, Memphis, TN in the parish's St. Raphael Hall on Friday, November 15th from 12pm to 2 pm, followed by a private graveside service at West Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery which will occur at a later date.

Previous Events

Service

NOV 15. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

St. John Orthodox Church
1663 Tutwiler Ave.
Memphis, TN 38107
(901) 274-4119

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Dorothy "Dot" Jefcoat Lawson*

October 09, 2023 at 12:36 PM



“ *Mrs. Dorothy "Dot" Jefcoat Lawson*

October 07, 2023 at 11:21 AM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss. I am praying for you Pam and your family, I know you will miss her terribly.*
Sincerely
Laurie Young

laurie young - November 16, 2019 at 07:34 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mrs. Dorothy "Dot" Jefcoat Lawson.*



November 14, 2019 at 04:58 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mrs. Dorothy "Dot" Jefcoat Lawson.*



November 14, 2019 at 04:15 PM

SM

“ Pam I am so sorry about your sweet Mom. I have great memories of being at your house and your Mom and Dad were always so awesome and fun to be around. Please let me know if you need anything. I love you and I will never forget all of our high school memories. Call me sometime. Love you.
Sonya (Crowder) Moore 423-963-4413



Sonya Moore - November 14, 2019 at 10:38 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mrs. Dorothy "Dot" Jefcoat Lawson.



November 11, 2019 at 02:11 PM

JM

“ So sorry I love you're mom like my own she was the sweetest woman and love by every one she be truly miss heaven has received a great angel



Jimmy Maupin - November 08, 2019 at 04:23 PM