



## Dorothy Chinery

January 10, 2015

Dorothy Louise Saunders Chinery age 88, of Suffolk, Virginia (formerly residing in Woodlake Village, Murrells Inlet), died Saturday, January 10, 2015 at Lake Prince Woods.

Born March 6, 1926 in Morristown, N.J. she was the daughter of the late Ida and Holloway

Saunders. Dorothy graduated from Morristown High School and in 1947 graduated from New

Jersey College for Women, Rutgers University with a Bachelors of Science Degree in Nutrition.

After graduation she was employed as a Dietician at Muhlenburg Hospital in Plainfield, New Jersey.

Dorothy married Frank Chinery in 1948 and a year later began devoting herself to raising the

first of what would become three children in Teaneck, N.J. A loving mother and wife, she was

actively involved in the local PTA, served as a Cub Scout leader, Girl Scout leader and Little

League Mother. Additionally, Dorothy was a devoted member of the First Presbyterian Church

of Teaneck and Murrells Inlet Presbyterian Church, after she and Frank moved

to South

Carolina in 1988.

In the mid-1970's Dorothy and Frank were bitten by the travel-bug becoming avid world

travelers and vacationing in 48 of the 50 states. On more than one occasion the couple would

show up at the Myrtle Beach airport with two suitcases-one filled with warm weather clothes

and the other cold weather-and decide their destination at the airport counter.

When not

traveling, Dorothy always enjoyed a fair-weather round of golf, games or bridge and lunch with

the "girls". For 17 years, she and Frank hosted annual week-long family reunions in Murrells

Inlet.

Dorothy is preceded in death by her husband, Frank, and brother Joseph.

She is survived by her son Gary and wife Linda; daughter, Victoria and husband Mark; son

Bruce and wife Cara; four grandchildren-Sandra and husband Matthew, Doug and husband

Colin, Nadia and Olivia; great-granddaughter, Violet; sister Natalie Claire and husband Dave;

and sister and brother in-laws Beverly and Wilbur Chinery.

The family will receive friends on Friday, January 16, 2015 from 10:00-noon at Goldfinch

Funeral Home, Beach Chapel.

A graveside service will be held at 1:00 PM on Friday, January 16, 2015 at Hillcrest Cemetery.

An online guestbook is available at [www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com/obituaries](http://www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com/obituaries)

Goldfinch Funeral Home, Beach Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.



# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 16. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Celebration Center  
11528 Hwy 17 Bypass  
Murrells Inlet, SC 29588  
(843) 651-3295  
info@goldfinchfuneralhome.com  
<https://www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com>

## Service

JAN 16. 1:00 PM (ET)

Hillcrest Cemetery  
1000 Hwy 544  
Conway, SC 29526  
(843) 347-4909  
<https://www.hillcrestcemetery.com/>

# Tribute Wall



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Dorothy Chinery.*



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January 15, 2015 at 07:54 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Dorothy Chinery.*



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“ *My deepest sympathy to the family. When I would visit my mother, Eloise Miller in Woodlake Village we would go to lunch with Dorothy and Frank after church and share a good time with many fond memories. When my mother was ill, Dorothy often came to the house and the church was wonderful to her in her final days. Steve Miller*

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**Steve Miller** - January 14, 2015 at 06:25 PM



“ *Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Dorothy Chinery.*



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