



Dorothy "Dottie" Butler

May 7, 1932 - September 15, 2020

Dorothy "Dottie" Butler age 88, passed away Tuesday, September 15, 2020 at her residence.

Born in Gastonia, NC, she was a daughter of the late Henry and Bertha McDaniel. Dorothy and her late husband Jimmy founded and owned the Mini Shop and Twin Pines restaurant in Moncks Corner, South Carolina. In the mid 80's Dorothy began working as a full-time associate for the Charleston Store at Manhattan Industries/Salant Corporation. She worked under Bill Warner who promoted her to assistant manager after quickly recognizing her cheerful disposition and work ethic. Dorothy's input was greatly valued, and her opinion was often sought out in company business matters leading to her promotion to manager and eventual relocation to Myrtle Beach where she operated one of the top ten volume stores of the company. She ended her career as a group manager with the responsibility to oversee all personnel and operations related to four stores. Bill stated, "Although our working relationship ended in the mid 90's, we had a bond that I will never forget and have been blessed by knowing such a wonderful woman, my wife Bridget and I love her from the bottom of our hearts." Dorothy began working at JC Penney in Murrells Inlet, SC in 1990 as a salesclerk and eventually worked her way to merchandise assistant. She worked at Hammock Shop general store in Pawleys Island, SC as a sales associate. She always had a passion to help others and give back to her community. She became a member of Garden City Baptist Church on June 20, 1995. Dorothy was a member of the

Hospitality committee, in addition to delivering meals to church members who were confined to their homes. She was a member of the charity Sunday school class and Joy Fellowship. She was previously a member of Berkely Baptist Church in Moncks Corner, SC. Dorothy had a loving spirit to care for children and could often be found sitting on the floor with a bright smile helping with the church nursery. She was preceded in death by her husband, Jimmy A. Butler and a daughter, Judy Ann Butler.

Survivors include her children, Patty Welch (Ronnie) of Moncks Corner, SC, Lynn Gregory (Bobby) of Pinopolis, SC, Jemmy Lea McSwain (Chris) of Surfside Beach, SC and Nancy Tuttle (Larry) of Surfside Beach, SC; grandchildren, Jamie (Sean), Robby (Kerstin), Grant, Alec; great-grandchildren, Gunner, Dixie and Landyn. A special thank you to her caregiver, Pamela Williams.

The family will receive friends from 5:00-7:00 PM Thursday, September 17, 2020 at Garden City Baptist Church. A funeral service will be held at 10:30 AM Friday, September 18, 2020 at the church.

Memorial contributions may be made to: Garden City Baptist Church Building-Grounds 501 Pine Ave. Murrells Inlet, SC 29576 or to the Agape Hospice-Conway 3009 Church St. C Myrtle Beach, SC 29577.

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

Previous Events

Funeral Service

SEP **18**. 10:30 AM (ET)

Garden City Baptist Church
501 Pine Avenue
Murrells Inlet, SC 29576-8431

Tribute Wall

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“ Aunt Dottie Butler - my sweet mentor, confidant, encourager, and wonderful example of what a Christ following woman is supposed to be - entered Heaven just over 48 hours ago. I am sure she made a grand entrance and kicked things up a notch as soon as she saw Jesus face to face! I am sure that was followed by an explosion of joy as she held her first daughter, Judy Ann, who made the trip to heaven when she was only 6 weeks old. Following her, she jumped into her daddys arms, (my hero grandfather) kissed her mama's cheek and created her own fireworks racing to her husband Jimmy. Then my daddy and mama, and many family members joined the party.

But then the parade really began with person after person whose life she touched in great ways and small ways...always loving, always giving, always lifting up Jesus. I never once heard her speak a negative or discouraging word. What a blessing you are - no matter where you make your home. I love you and my heart aches without you. But run Dottie run! Play with Jesus, Have a blast! You deserve it!

Brenda Lancaster - September 17, 2020 at 09:57 PM

DM

“ Mrs. Dottie was a very sweet lady. I know you all will miss her. But she is now at rest dwelling in perfect peace. I pray God will comfort you all in your time of grief.

Dale Mitchum - September 17, 2020 at 09:28 PM

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“ Oh such a loss. I'm so sorry. Dottie was one of my mother's good friends. Mom and Dottie were very special ladies and both were loved by their families. Had it not been for Dottie, I would never have gotten Mom packed up and moved to Hendersonville. I could never thank her enough. May she now breathe easy and find mom, Joanne Belinski, Joan Smith, and Louise Chestnut and have a good time in heavenly style. Love to all the family. Sylvia and George Tennille

Sylvia Tennille - September 17, 2020 at 06:29 PM

JM

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the family.
Love John & Sherry



John & Sherry Matuska - September 17, 2020 at 04:26 PM

GT

“ Gloria M Torell sent a virtual gift in memory of Dorothy "Dottie" Butler



Gloria M Torell - September 17, 2020 at 02:52 PM

GT

“ Aunt Dorothy and family invited me into their home where I spent the summer after my engagement had broken up. There I was able to spend time with my cousins, get my head straight and learn working skills in both of shops.

I couldn't get over my Aunt's sense of humor, straight forward sermons in those sermons. Some you had to listen for. She was always doing for people. A truly amazing person.

Gloria M Torell - September 17, 2020 at 01:32 PM

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“ Dottie was “Nana” to our children. She treated them as family remembering birthdays and holidays. I will never forget her support and kindness after breast cancer surgery. She had a heart of gold. Peace to a wonderful person.

Barbara Ramsbottom - September 17, 2020 at 12:12 PM

CD

“ I remember she would always cook me squash and feed us. She has always held a special place in my heart.

Chuck Dial - September 17, 2020 at 11:59 AM