



Dorothy Sadler Rankin

August 9, 1928 - April 1, 2019

Conway...Dorothy "Dot" Sadler Rankin, 90, passed away peacefully at her home in Conway, South Carolina, on April 1, 2019. Predeceasing her was her husband of 60 1/2 years O. A. "Rock" Rankin and her son-in-law Micah LaRoche.

Dot was born in Anderson, SC, the daughter of the late Margaret Gregory Sadler and James Leland Sadler. She moved to Conway in 1954 when she married 'Rock'. They joined First Baptist Church of Conway. An avid reader, she was a subscriber of many books and enjoyed the friendship of Conway Memorial Library's kind employees. She was a skilled bridge player and loved to travel with her family and friends. She loved life and meeting new people just like Rock. While Rock was considered the 'brass', Dot was the 'class' of the Rankin family. She exuded elegance and grace in all of life's experiences. Dot was the glue that kept the Rankin family together and indulged her children and grandchildren with her many stories. She is survived by her children, Lela Schoeck (Joachim), Harriet, Mark (Beth), Luke (Lindsey), along with six grandchildren: Sadler, Anna, Brook, Martha, Luke and Hollings. Funeral services will be held at 2:00PM Thursday, April 4, 2019 at First Baptist Church of Conway, officiated by Rev. Rocky Taylor. Private graveside services will be held at Lakeside Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 1:00PM-2:00PM in the fellowship hall.

Memorial donations may be made to The Shepherd's Table, P. O. Box 1782, Conway, SC 29528 or to First Baptist Church of Conway, 603 Elm Street,

Conway, SC 29526.

The family would like to express their heartfelt appreciation to the dedicated love, care, and comfort of Susan Stephens, Sharon Dozier, Cindy Cox, and Yvonne Washington.

Please sign the online guest register at www.goldfinchfuneralhome.com
Goldfinch Funeral Home, Conway Chapel, is serving the family.

Cemetery Details

Lakeside Cemetery

401 Lakewood Drive
Conway, SC 29526

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 4. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church of Conway
603 Elm Street
Conway, SC 29526
<http://www.fbconway.org>

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

VT

“ I’m so sorry for your loss.
I worked at Ryan’s restaurant for many years and she and your Dad would eat there once in a while. I loved to see them come in....and I smiled when I read in her obituary that he was the brass and she the class.....that was true even while grabbing a bite to eat. He loved everybody and talked to most everyone near him....she’d smile at me and shake her head a little. We talked a good bit, he told me funny stories, she would smile. She would talk to me when he went visiting other tables. I came to appreciate them and their love for people and their love for each other. They treated me as a friend and I felt honored.

Vicki Turner - April 07, 2019 at 09:05 PM

CB

“ *Mark and Luke, I am so very sorry to hear of your mom's death. If I can do anything for you or the family, please call on me. I am glad I got to speak to Dot at Brookgreen last December.*
Chip

Chip Brown - April 05, 2019 at 11:13 PM

MK

“ *Luke and family, we’re so sorry to hear about your Mothers death, we just found out tonight. May God be with all of you and know we’ll be praying for your family.*



Mike and Marsha Krajc - April 05, 2019 at 09:29 PM

SR

“ Luke and Family, So sorry for your loss.
Shirley Rabon



Shirley Rabon - April 05, 2019 at 09:53 AM

SB

“ We are so sorry for your loss. Jackie Stokes
and Staff/ State Farm



Sherry Bellamy - April 04, 2019 at 03:10 PM

TH

“ Tammy Howell lit a candle in memory of
Dorothy Sadler Rankin



Tammy Howell - April 04, 2019 at 01:09 PM

DS

“ Luke and Family,
May God hold you to close to His heart.
And may you find love and comfort from you many friends.
Your mom was simply one of the best God ever sent to this earth.

Diane DeVaughn Stokes - April 04, 2019 at 11:03 AM

TE

“ *My sympathy to the Rankin Family during this time of sorrow.*

Tessa G. Edmondson - April 03, 2019 at 04:48 PM

BC

“ *Very saddened to hear about Mrs. Rankin. She was always a sweet, kind lady to everyone. Prayers for the Rankin family at this time.*

Beth Hyman Calhoun

Beth Calhoun - April 03, 2019 at 12:52 PM

KH

My sincere condolences to the family. Dot was a true southerly sweetheart. I was passing her home last year on Mother's Day am. I saw one of her caregivers outside & decided to pull in. I asked & she encouraged me to go in. It was so good to see Dot & we had a wonderful visit. It made my day & it appeared maybe it did for her as well. God bless you all.

W. Keith Hendrick, Jr.

Keith Hendrick - April 04, 2019 at 09:28 AM

AD

“ *Very sorry to read about Ms. Rankin. She was always so kind and thoughtful. I always admired her. My thoughts and prayers go out to all the Rankin family. May she rest in peace. Andy Davis*

Andy Davis - April 03, 2019 at 08:53 AM

JH

“ Thinking of so many good memories of Dot and her strength, care for others and a life well lived. Our prayers go out to all the Rankin family. May Dot rest in peace with her beloved Rock and all the saints, in light.



James and Maria Hughes

James Hughes - April 02, 2019 at 11:53 PM



“ Rose Remembrance was purchased for the family of Dorothy Sadler Rankin.



April 02, 2019 at 04:37 PM

JS

“ We are saddened to hear of your loss. Our prayers and sympathy for all the family. May the precious memories you hold so dear of your beautiful mother and grandmother bring you peace and comfort.

Jim and Nancy Shelley - April 02, 2019 at 04:10 PM



“ Sacred Garden Spray was purchased for the family of Dorothy Sadler Rankin.



April 02, 2019 at 03:27 PM

DP

“ *Beth and Mark, Sorry for your loss!* ”



Diana Parker - April 02, 2019 at 12:12 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Dorothy Sadler Rankin.* ”



April 02, 2019 at 11:40 AM

BB

“ *Button Benton Boyd lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Sadler Rankin* ”



Button Benton Boyd - April 02, 2019 at 08:12 AM

BB

My sympathy to the family.

Button Benton Boyd - April 02, 2019 at 08:13 AM

MA

My heart is broken. I will miss her more than words can say, but she has left me with many special memories. She was a role model that all women could be proud to claim. My love to all of her warm and wonderful family.

Mary Fennell Ainsley

Mary Ainsley - April 02, 2019 at 10:30 AM

FP

“ *I remember Mrs. Rankin so well went I worked at the Conway Library on 5th Ave. She was such a blessing . My thoughts and prayers are with the family.*

Frances Prince - April 01, 2019 at 11:38 PM