



Doris Elizabeth Parker

December 16, 1930 - August 1, 2020

Doris Elizabeth Parker was born to John E. and Lessie Bush Parrish on December 16, 1930. She went to her eternal home in Heaven Saturday August 1, 2020 at the age of 89.

Preceding her in death was her husband of 69 years, Ward Lee Parker; her daughters Charlotte Doris Quin and Leslie Marie Parker; her parents John and Lessie Parrish, and sisters Lena Welborn and Dorothy Wade.

She was a very active and faithful member in her church at Magnolia Baptist where she served on numerous committees. She served as Preschool Director/Coordinator for many years; she had a special love for children and a great talent for organizing. She worked every Christmas at Sears in the toy department where she absolutely loved selling children's toys. She also owned Doris' Beauty Shop for many years. Some of her favorite hobbies were researching her family genealogy and playing bridge multiple times a week at different locations. She very rarely missed a game. In her younger years she enjoyed playing golf at Dixie Golf Club.

She is survived by her daughters Leanne and husband Jimmy Chandler, Paula and husband Ford McLeod, and her son-in-law Craig Quin; her grandchildren Amie Quin Holifield (Stephen), Michelle Chandler, Mandy Chandler Loper, Molly Chandler Cameron (Andrew), Paige McLeod Cooley (Mackie); her great grandchildren Laurel Jones Ishee (Dylan), Elizabeth Jones, Savannah Holifield, Seth Holifield, Parker Cheeks, Maddie Loper, Bryson Loper, Landen, Hayden, Autumn, Axel, and Colton Cooley; and many

nieces and nephews.

Graveside services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, August 8, 2020 at Memorial Gardens Cemetery. Dr. Billy Dowdy will officiate. Due to the Covid-19 pandemic, please wear a face mask and practice social distancing.

Pallbearers will be Stephen Holifield, Dylan Ishee, David Harrison, Ford McLeod, Mackie Cooley, and Andrew Cameron.

To sign the online guest book, visit www.memorychapellaurel.com.

Previous Events

Graveside Service

AUG 8. 10:30 AM (CT)

Memorial Gardens Cemetery
2151 US-184
Laurel, MS 39443

Tribute Wall

DB

“ Sorry for your loss, Doris was a precious lady, she was so kind to me when I first started playing golf. I will always remember her words of encouragement.

Debra Burgess - August 06, 2020 at 03:24 PM

BM

“ We will all miss Doris at Bridge. She loved playing and we loved playing with her. She will be terribly missed.
She was a special lady.
Betty Morgan

Betty Morgan - August 03, 2020 at 01:14 PM

SJ

“ So sorry to hear about Mrs. Doris. Prayers are with y'all.

suzy johnson - August 02, 2020 at 03:21 PM

ND

“ I'm so sorry to hear this about Mrs. Doris. I met her many years ago when she played cards and Golfing at Dixie Golf! Later on I was fortunate enough to go to church with her at Magnolia Baptist Church. She was always smiling and never failed to speak to me . She was a beautiful person, and a Devout Christian Lady! Praying for her family and may she RIP with her family and friends in Heaven! I love you Mrs Doris !❤️❤️

Nitha Davis - August 02, 2020 at 01:09 PM

GB

So sorry to hear about Doris. I always thought she was such a sweet, & lovely lady and I know she will be missed. Sending all of her family prayers and love.

Gay Bush - August 03, 2020 at 02:37 PM



Deepest Sympathy Extended to the Family. Praying for Comfort and Peace.

Doris will be Greatly Missed by Everyone. She was a Good Friend to all. She was a Very Kind Person.

Linda Patterson

Linda Patterson - August 04, 2020 at 06:27 PM

CR

She was the BEST next door neighbor. She used to cut my hair, and would sell the pot holders I made in her shop. They had the first TV in our neighborhood and Doris let us all come over to watch Howdy Doody and Pinky Lee, every afternoon. She was such a sweet lady.

Connie Easterling Roan

Connie E. Roan - August 05, 2020 at 02:09 PM

SH

I am so sorry for your loss. Doris was a good friend to me and Buddy.

Sarah Holifield

Sarah Holifield - August 06, 2020 at 06:09 PM

EP

The Dixie Bridge Club will miss Doris so much. She has always been a very special lady to all of us and a dear friend of mine.

Erliss Pung

Erliss Pung - August 08, 2020 at 03:45 PM