



Dorothy Helen Campbell

November 25, 1925 - August 11, 2016

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Dorothy Helen Welborn Campbell was known by many names, Granny Dot, Old Lady Campbell, Mrs. Dot, Shady Grove Matriarch, Dot Dot, Bible Teacher, Soloist, and the list goes on. She loved all the titles and earned every one of them.

Mother's favorite song, Just a Little Talk with Jesus, was her life motto. She believed that just a little talk with Jesus would make all things right. Her prayer was for all to come to know Him as their Savior and Friend. She witnessed to all who met her and has led others to Christ through her testimony. A passenger on her school bus in the sixties came to her a few years ago seeking salvation telling her she was the only one he knew who could help him come to know Jesus as she knew Him. She did share with him and now they are in heaven together. Bible Study and praying were things she considered a must daily.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Ernest Campbell; parents, Henry Bell and Ruth Welborn; brothers, Wayne, Glenn, and H. B. Welborn; two sisters, Troy Bustin and Ethel Lee Hunt; and a grandson, Jimmy Walker.

She is survived by her children, Janice and Ernest Walker, Judy and Ken Cox, Nita and Robert Jefcoat, and Don and Delores Hunt; grandchildren, Bryan and Ambur Aten, Michael and Wynde Walker, Sonny Jefcoat, and Jenny Boisseau. Her great grandchildren are Jessie and Marisa Aten, Wyatt and Joci Jefcoat, and Campbell, Brantley and Beckett Boisseau; and sister-in-law, Sue Dayton.

If you would like you may bring a flower of your choice to lay on her favorite quilt which will cover the casket. She requested you not spend money on flowers for her funeral but give flowers or an act of kindness to someone that can enjoy them. If you ever ate at her table and enjoyed fellowship with her you are considered an honorary pallbearer.

Pallbearers will be Jeff Dayton, Ken Campbell, Danny Avera, Brock Avera, Randy McWhorter, Kevin McLain, David Davis, and Jeff Hopkins.

Officiating the service will be Rev. Sidney Davis, Rev. Danny Pitts, and Rev. Don Brown. Visitation will begin at 12 noon Sunday, August 14, at Memory Chapel with the funeral service to follow at 1:30 p.m. Interment will be at Hickory Grove Cemetery.

To sign the online guestbook, visit www.memorychapellaurel.com.

Cemetery Details

Hickory Grove Cemetery

Corner of Old Bay Springs Rd and 15th Street
Laurel, MS 39440

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 14. 12:00 PM (CT)

Memory Chapel Funeral Home
3100 Audubon Drive
P. O. Box 674
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Tribute Wall

VG

“ *Someone so special will never be forgotten to me. My deepest condolences to all the family. Dorothy and I grew up together (I lived across the Carp Rd) and have so many fond memories of our childhood. I remember so vividly when her and I were alone at her home we would let in this little lamb into the house, treating it like a puppy. It would follow us all around. Her Mom and Dad could never understand why this particular lamb kept wanting to get into the house, it was our secret!! Love Vera Guy (Whyte) and family*

Vera Guy - September 08, 2020 at 01:24 PM

AA

“ *Ann Ainsworth sent a virtual gift in memory of Dorothy Helen Campbell*



Ann Ainsworth - August 21, 2016 at 10:46 AM

AA

“ When Dot drive a school buss many years ago, she scared me to death every time I rode the bus going home with a friend. Many years later as an adult, I learned she was one of the sweetest, most genuine person I knew. She touched many lives through the years and most of those will never forget her. Janice, Nita and Judy find comfort in knowing she is in heaven living a great impact on all the angels. She is reunited with loved ones who have gone before her and sharing a few laughs as the catch up on things. I am praying for you and all the family. Let me know if I can help you. I can't do much physically, but I can listen if you want to talk.



Ann Ainsworth - August 21, 2016 at 10:45 AM

 Andrea Fondren

“ I am sorry for your loss. Andrea and I loved Mrs. Dot. She has always been a shining light. My Mom and Dad grew up with her and had only great admiration for and Mr. Ernest. She is now in heaven with them enjoying every minute!! All of you will in our thoughts and prayers. Love.. Barbara Gale Welborn and Andrea Welborn Fondren

Andrea Fondren - August 20, 2016 at 11:25 PM

SC

“ So sorry for your loss. Your loss is Heavens gain. Just found out Aunt Dot passed. Wish we had known in time to celebrate her life with you. Love to all, Shira, Vicki, Debora and Anissa

Shira Little Campbell - August 15, 2016 at 07:56 PM



“ *My Fathers favorite Aunt. She was loved by all our Family. Sure wish we had known of her passing. RIP Aunt Dot*

Arnold Campbell - August 15, 2016 at 06:44 PM

KS

“ *I am so sad to read of Mrs. Campbell's passing. I rode her bus quite a few years back and was so shocked to see her in the salon a couple of months ago and she actually remembered who I was. I am so glad I got to see her and catch up with her at the salon when she and her Mrs. Jefcoat were getting their hair done. She was a very fine lady.*

Kristy McLauchlin Sistrunk - August 15, 2016 at 02:35 PM

CB

“ *So sorry for your loss. Know our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

Sherrill and Charlotte Baker

Charlotte Baker - August 15, 2016 at 02:04 PM

GG

“ *May the happy memories Aunt Dot helped create, comfort your family during this time of loss. The last time I visited with Aunt Dot, her comment was, "I haven't been to the store, but I can whip up some bread pudding". It was the best bread pudding that I had ever tasted. I remember the wonderful times we all (the cousins) had at the reunions. . .even when we slid in a cow patty or two. They were happy times indeed. God bless you during this time. My thoughts are with you, Sweet Cousins!*

Glenda S. Jennings, Atlanta, GA - August 14, 2016 at 04:42 PM

MW

“ So sorry for your loss. Aunt Dot was a great cook! We remember eating many great meals at her home when we were able to visit. May God bless you all at this time. Would love to be there but can't make it to the funeral.

Jim Campbell and Marcia Campbell Walker

Marcia Walker - August 13, 2016 at 06:26 PM

JB

“ It was always such a joy when Ms Dot would call to let me know she had flowers blooming, if I would like to use them for the sanctuary arrangement. We would walk around the yard visiting while I cut flowers and greenery, nothing was off limits, if I needed it...it was mine to use. That was how she lived and loved. Always giving and sharing whatever she had. I loved her dearly.

Judy Burnette

Judy Burnette - August 13, 2016 at 06:09 PM

FB

“ Ms. Dot was my Sunday School teacher growing up. I have always held fond memories of how kind she was. You just felt in your heart she was a true Christian and wanted the same for you.

*Love in Christ,
Faye (Moore) Brent*

Faye (Moore) Brent - August 13, 2016 at 02:51 PM