



Dortha Louise Doyle

June 10, 1930 - May 1, 2021

On Saturday, May 1, 2021 Dortha Louise Doyle, 91 years-old, peacefully slipped out of her body to be reunited with her loved ones on the other side, including her beloved husband Harold Eugene and her oldest son Patrick David. She also joined her brother Douglas, who transitioned on the same day. Dortha had been ill with cancer for several months.

She was born on June 10, 1930 to James and Garnet Reed in Parkersburg, West Virginia, and was the oldest of five children.

Dortha was an accomplished seamstress and had a passion for anything creative and / or crafty. Some of her hobbies were making Halloween costumes for her children, re-caning chairs, refinishing furniture, collecting antiques and making dreamcatchers. From time to time, she worked outside the home, but most of her time was spent as a homemaker.

After her children were grown, she played an active role in the family businesses by doing the bookkeeping and decorating each deli and coffee store.

She enjoyed doing crossword puzzles and beating everyone at the game of Scrabble. She was an animal lover and had many pets during her life. As she got older and was not able to get out of the house as much, she used her magnifying glass to make all her holiday and birthday cards for family and friends.

Dortha loved being surrounded by friends and especially by family.

She leaves behind her two daughters, Sharon and Tori, her youngest son

John, her brothers Eddie and Dennis, her sister Donna Joann, her sisters-in-law Susan, Jane and Jackie, her daughters-in-law Joy and Lisa, many nieces and nephews, her five grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren and many others who will hold her in their hearts forever. She spent the last five years of her life in Wilmington, N.C. around family. A Celebration of Life will be held at a later date in North Carolina.

Tribute Wall

SG

“ Mom, words can not express what it feels like, without you physically here. Love and miss you always. Sheri

Sheri Doyle Goddard - August 20, 2021 at 02:16 PM

PD

“ Dot will always be remembered for her love for family. She was a very calming person & liked to keep family connected. Gene & Gary (my husband) though uncle & nephew were like brothers growing up. Their antics always amazed me. Rest In Peace beautiful woman.

Pollyann Reynolds Doyle - June 10, 2021 at 11:18 AM

PD

“ Aunt Dot was such a loving person. It showed in the beautiful family she raised. I know she will be missed. So sorry I never got to NC to visit her. Love to all of family.

Pollyann Doyle - May 11, 2021 at 12:19 PM

DH

“ Sheri, I am so very sorry to hear of your Mom's passing. Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time. May many happy memories ease the pain. Hugs to you my old friend.

Dana Oliver Hensley - May 10, 2021 at 07:26 PM

SG

“ Will miss your presence so much, Mom! But happy you are free and with those loved ones that went before you. So grateful we had that time together, even though it was very hard at times watching your struggles. Always with us and in our hearts forever.

Sharon Goddard - May 10, 2021 at 01:54 PM