



Dorothy "Dot" Padgett

August 17, 1932 - May 7, 2020

Mrs. Dorothy (Dot) Mae Padgett, age 87 passed away peacefully on Thursday, May 7, 2020. She was born to Jess and Stella Rakestraw on August 17th, 1932 in Hapeville Georgia. She married the love of her life, James Padgett in November of 1955 who preceded her in death in 2013. Dorothy loved her lord and savior Jesus Christ and worshiped him daily. She loved attending her church and serving Christ with her many friends in her Sunday School class. She always looked forward to Sunday so she could spend time with them.

She was employed by Dun & Bradstreet from the mid 1950's until 1962 when she and James adopted their son Keith. At that time, she became a full-time homemaker where she was a devoted wife and mother first and foremost. Anyone who knew Dot, knew of her love for Red Birds. She collected many different items that had Red Birds on them. From pictures, plates and even bath towels she loved the beautiful Cardinal. All would go into the "Red Bird Room ". So, when you see a Red Bird, please think of Dot and know she is happy and with God and family.

Her life was a living example of Ephesians 4:32 - Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ, God forgave you.

Dot is survived by her son and daughter in-law, Keith and Amy Padgett. Her grandchildren, Zack and Carly Padgett. Her sister Margaret Thompson and many nephews and nieces.

Due to the current health crisis, the family is planning a private graveside

service Saturday at Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens. In lieu of flowers, the family would ask that you consider donating to Southwest Christian Care Hospice.

Online: <http://www.swchristiancare.org/donate>

Donate By Mail:

Southwest Christian Care

7225 Lester Road

Union City,GA 30291

Donate by Phone: (770) 969-8354 - Ask for Tammy Kinnet

Cemetery Details

Forest Lawn Memorial Gardens

5755 Mallory Road
College Park, GA 30349

Events

Details are pending.

Tribute Wall

CB

“ We will miss Mrs. Padgett being one of our good neighbors. We didn't get to see her often but we always looked to see if she was outside so we could say hello. We know that she's in heaven and back together with James. I know she truly missed him a lot. We pray for the family.

Connie bryan - May 10, 2020 at 06:37 PM

SC

“ Southwest Christian Care lit a candle in memory of Dorothy "Dot" Padgett



Southwest Christian Care - May 09, 2020 at 08:48 AM

HG

“ I loved Ms Dot and loved seeing her smiling face first thing on Sunday morning. The first thing I did when I entered the church doors was to get a hug from Dot and Peggy. I'm truly going to miss her.

Hazel Gordon

Hazel Gordon - May 08, 2020 at 08:57 PM

SH

Such a precious lady! She was always there to give me a hug! I will miss her so much! She never forgot me at Christmas. I have so many beautiful things in my home from Ms Dot! She loved me and David and never failed to show her love and support! What a Christian lady!

Sandra Hammonds - May 11, 2020 at 11:09 AM

JM

“ Jeff and I will miss her she was a big part of our lives and the sweetest lady. She was my inspiration she loved and cared about us and her church family. Her and Mrs. Peggy are walking together again down those golden roads and she is with her loving Husband Mr. James. Love them so much and we will miss her sweet face every Sunday. Love you to the Family. The McWilliams Family

Jeff and Phyllis McWilliams - May 08, 2020 at 08:19 PM

GJ

“ Dot was a special sweet lady. I looked forward to my hugs, her smile, and talking with her every Sunday before Sunday School. She showed me concern and compassion, always wanting to make sure I was doing all right even when I knew she wasn't feeling well herself. I will miss you my sweet friend, but I know you are rejoicing and feeling no pain now. One day we will be celebrating with her. Oh what a glorious day that will be!!

Glenda Jones - May 08, 2020 at 06:12 PM

WH

“ On Sunday mornings one of the first people to arrive at church was Ms. Dot. I know that she loved her church and we loved her. Praying for her family.

Wanda Hill - May 08, 2020 at 01:05 PM

DG

Lynn, Margaret, will and Keith we know you will miss her down here but we will all be together one day. May the Spirit of God give you comfort and joy, yes joy during this time. Know tat we will be praying for you.

David and Dianne Gilmore - May 08, 2020 at 04:13 PM

SG

“ *Ms Dot was such a precious lady and dear friend we will all miss her loving kindness and look forward to seeing her again in Glory*

Sheila Gibby - May 08, 2020 at 12:27 PM

CT

“ *Keith, your mom was a very special lady and friend to Bob and I. I will miss her very much. I am so sorry for your loss.*

Cathy Teague - May 08, 2020 at 12:09 PM

CA

“ *I remember when Dot and James came to Line Creek. Joe and James hit it off immediately and we became special friend. Dot always had a smile and easy going personality , I loved talking to her every Sunday she always had a hug. I will miss her she was a great roll model.*



connie adams - May 08, 2020 at 12:05 PM