



Mrs. Dorothy Parson

May 11, 1955 - August 8, 2017

Dorothy Parson was born May 11, 1955 in West Palm Beach, FL. She was the only child of the late A.C. and Josephine Smith. She graduated from Suncoast High School in 1973 and Palm Beach Community College in 1975 with a degree Fashion Merchandising. She married her high school sweetheart Lucius "Luke" Parson Jr. in 1974. They raised one daughter LeChea Camille Parson-Underwood.

Dorothy had a successful and fulfilling career for 35 years with the United States Post Office. She served in positions in West Palm Beach, FL and in Atlanta, GA. She retired from the USPS in January 2013.

Her nurturing spirit, was evident in her dedication to her family and her friends. She was probably most proud of her role as grandmother ("Gogo") to her two grandchildren. She was an avid reader and a dedicated and active member of the Onyx Book Club for over 20 years. Dorothy was known for love and fashion, which was reflected in her unique and stylish appearance.

Dorothy was preceded in death by her parents, the late A.C. and Josephine Smith, and her father-in-law Lucius Parson Sr. She leaves to cherish her memories her husband Lucius "Luke" Parson Jr., daughter LeChea Camille Parson-Underwood (Victor) and grandchildren Luke Callen and Alaina Underwood of Tallahassee, Florida; mother-in-law Elnora Parson, Riviera

Beach, Florida; four sisters-in-law, Velma Waters (Willie), West Palm Beach, Florida, Valeria Wedges (Daniel), West Palm Beach, Florida, Denise Parson, Riviera Beach, Florida, Yvonne Goodman (Raiford), West Palm Beach, Florida; four aunts, Rubynell Johnson (James), Dothan, Alabama, Christine McKay, East Orange, New Jersey, Versie Fitzgerald, West Palm Beach, Florida, Frances Smith, Riviera Beach, Florida; one uncle, Alvoinda Smith, Winter Haven, Florida; three great-aunts, Arie Dozier, Headland, Alabama, Ola Mae Moore (Otis), Dothan, Alabama, Nellie Thomas, Chicago, Illinois; four nephews, Reggie Cole (Angela), Roderick Mitchell, Tavares Goodman, Tamiyal Goodman; one niece, Tanecia Ward; godfather Robert McDuffie and godsister Sheila McDuffie; godbrother James Lee; goddaughter LaShawn Nicole Young (Lawrence); devoted friends Roxanne Pleasant, Regina and Marilyn Finklin, and Carla Hardnett; and a host of cousins, other relatives, neighbors, and friends.

Funeral Services for Mrs. Dorothy Jean Parson, 62, of Lithonia, GA., will be held Wednesday, August 16, 2017, 5pm at Gregory B. Levett & Sons, Funeral Home, 4347 Flat Shoals Pkwy, Decatur, GA., 30034.

Final services will be held Saturday, August 19, 2017, 1pm at Mt. Zion Primitive Baptist Church, 1425 9th St., West Palm Beach, FL., Viewing 12NOON until the hour of service. Burial will be held at Royal Palm Memorial Gardens, West Palm Beach, FL., Please visit our website to extend condolences. <http://www.levettfuneralhome.com/>

The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.

- Numbers 6:24-26 ESV

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

AUG 16. 5:00 PM (ET)

South DeKalb Chapel
4347 Flat Shoals Pkwy.
Decatur, GA 30034
(404) 241-5656
info@levettfuneralhome.com

Visitation

AUG 19. 12:00 PM (ET)

Mt. Zion Primitive Baptist Church,
1425 9th St.,
West Palm Beach, FL

Church Service

AUG 19. 1:00 PM (ET)

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1425 9th St.,
West Palm Beach, FL

Interment

AUG 19 (ET)

Royal Palm Memorial Gardens,
West Palm Beach, FL, FL

Tribute Wall

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“ *Marjorie Hardnett lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Dorothy Parson*



Marjorie Hardnett - August 16, 2017 at 04:30 PM

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“ *LaKesha D, Aisha B, Antoinette S, Candace W purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mrs. Dorothy Parson.*



LaKesha D, Aisha B, Antoinette S, Candace W - August 15, 2017 at 11:29 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Dorothy Parson.*



August 14, 2017 at 04:52 PM