



Mrs. Dorothy "Dot" Harrison Rowe age 88 of Keystone Heights

June 25, 1931 - November 3, 2019

Dorothy "Dot" Harrison Rowe, 88, passed away November 3, 2019 following a brief illness. Dot was born June 25, 1931 in Rocky Mount, NC to Leon Ford and Pattye Fuller Harrison.

After graduation from high school in Wilmington, NC, she attended Jacksonville Jr. College where she met her future husband, John. After working briefly at Prudential, Dot & John settled Gainesville and then moved to Keystone Heights in 1970. Until 1979, Dot dedicated her time to raising her children and volunteer work. She retired from Campville Group Ministry after serving twenty years as secretary to many small churches throughout North Florida.

Dot was a life member of Girl Scouts of America working in many capacities for more than 45 years, receiving many awards and accolades. She also served as PTA President and volunteered for many school functions.

As a charter member of Keystone United Methodist Church, she served as past President of United Methodist Women, Circle Chair and many other capacities. Most recently, she volunteered in the church office and continued her personal ministry of knitting prayer shawls for those in need.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband of 57 years, John Rowe; siblings Leon F. Harrison, Jr., Louise Wash, Eleanor O'Keef and son in law, John Allen.

Survivors include daughters Cheryl Allen and Pattye (Kenny) McLean all of Keystone Heights, Grandchildren; Crystal McLean of Keystone Heights and Tucker (Savannah) McLean of Crestview, Great Grandchildren; Vayda, Weston, Annabelle and Levi, and eight nieces and nephews.

A celebration of life for Dot will be held at 10:00 a.m., Saturday, November 16, 2019 in the Keystone United Methodist Church. In lieu of flowers, please make donations to your favorite charity. Arrangements are by JONES-GALLAGHER FUNERAL HOME, 340 E. Walker Dr., Keystone Heights, FL 32656 (352) 473-3176.

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Cemetery

Keystone Heights Cemetery

State Road 100 West
Keystone Heights, FL,
32656

Events

NOV 16 Memorial Service 10:00AM

Keystone United Methodist Church
4004 S. State Road 21, Keystone Heights, FL, US,
32656

Comments



“ I remember when my aunt “Dorothy Jean” spent a summer in Pensacola FL with my family. My sister & two brothers had so much fun with this our lively, pretty aunt. I’ll never forget watching all the cute young men trying to get her attention when we were at the bay or pool. I even remember when she made her date take all four of us with them on a ride. She was great fun and we loved her.
Six months ago, before she become ill, my sister Pat & I went to see her. It was amazing to us how even at 89, her fun personality had not changed.
Aunt Dorothy Jean, we will miss you . Judy Wash Schanbacher

Judy Schanbacher - November 14, 2019 at 10:34 AM



“ Beautiful kind devoted leader. She was my Girl Scout leader for many years and I very much loved and appreciated her! God bless the family and I will look forward to seeing her on the other side.



Mary Akridge - November 12, 2019 at 07:35 PM