



Dottie Andrews

July 5, 1928 - September 23, 2020

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Lakeland – Dottie Andrews, 92, went home to be with the Lord on September 23, 2020.

Dottie was born in Norwich, Connecticut on July 5, 1928, to the late Tommy and Ruth Conlan. She remained proud of her “Yankee” heritage after moving throughout her life as a military wife. Dottie enjoyed telling stories of her experiences and the people that she met when she worked as a bank teller years ago. She was known for her great hospitality, her musical talents, and for playing Mrs. Clause in various settings. While living in New Orleans, she became an avid Saints fan, and remained a fan throughout her life. Dottie was a beloved wife, mother, grandmother and friend, and will be deeply missed by all.

Dottie is survived by her husband of 61 years, Lee Andrews; daughters, Barbara (Lanney) Avis and Martha Andrews; grandchildren, Graham (Katy) Avis, Benson (Tori) Avis, Abbey Avis and Noah (Katie) Avis; great grandchild, Haddassah “Haddy Cate” Avis; and cousin, Barbara “Bobby” Moxley. She was preceded in death by her second child; and her two great grandchildren, Agape and Theodore.

Visitation will be Friday, September 25th from 10-11 am at Gentry Morrison Serenity Gardens Chapel, 3350 Mall Hill Dr. Lakeland. The service size is limited to close friends and family. Others are encouraged to come to the visitation, and to view the service online which will be available Friday

afternoon. There will be a private interment at Florida National Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Florida National Cemetery

6502 SW 102nd Ave.
Bushnell, FL 33513

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **25**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes - Serenity Gardens Chapel
3350 Mall Hill Drive
Lakeland, FL 33810
(863) 858-4474
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Tribute Wall



“Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Dottie Andrews



Gentry-Morrison Funeral Homes - September 24, 2020 at 09:19 PM

CR

“I’m so sorry for your family's loss. Dottie and I shared many good times together with lots of laughter!!! A dear sweet friend who was loved by all that knew her. “Rest In Peace Sweet Girl!”

Cheri Ramsey - September 28, 2020 at 01:46 PM

BG

“Dottie, was a very special neighbor and friend that we will always remember and hold dear. We will keep her in our hearts forever. She will be missed. May the precious memories of her keep you going and give you strength. Rest in peace, sweet Dottie.

Bob Reich - Beth Gibson - September 28, 2020 at 10:17 AM

BG

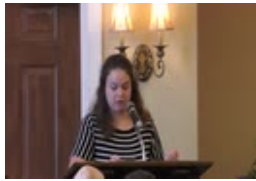
“Bob Reich - Beth Gibson sent a virtual gift in memory of Dottie Andrews



Bob Reich - Beth Gibson - September 27, 2020 at 01:25 PM

GM

“ 1 file added to the album Service



Gentry Morrison - September 25, 2020 at 06:39 PM

EB

“ *ETHEL BRADLEY lit a candle in memory of Dottie Andrews*



ETHEL BRADLEY - September 25, 2020 at 03:23 PM

FS

“ *There will never be another "Ms. Dottie" I remember the first time she came into my life. She treated me and loved me much more than I deserved. To say she will be missed is not possible. She will forever be remembered as a wonderful, caring, and loving person. One day we will meet again and what a glorious day that will be. I love you Dottie Andrews and shall ever be thankful that you came into my life. Your buddy, Fred*



Frederick Sykes - September 25, 2020 at 12:20 PM

CW

Sweet Dottie! How I will miss you! You love and laugh big! You were so good to mom (Janis Lafferty) myself and Chandler. We loved coming to your house when we came to Lakeland! Your hospitality was the best! I am pretty sure you and my mom are dancing with the one you lived your life for and are rejoicing with Him face to face! I will never forget you and you'll always be in my heart! Till we meet again someday! I love you Dottie!!

Chris Wong - September 25, 2020 at 05:51 PM



“ *Your Light Shines was purchased for the family of Dottie Andrews.*



September 24, 2020 at 01:26 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Dottie Andrews.*



September 24, 2020 at 12:11 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Dottie Andrews.*



September 24, 2020 at 12:09 PM