



## Dorothy Carlton Lawson

June 23, 1938 - February 1, 2025

Dorothy Carlton Lawson, 86, of Mattaponi, VA, went to be with her Lord and Savior Saturday, February 1st, 2025. Dorothy was a long-time member of New Hope United Methodist Church. She had a strong faith and enjoyed studying the Bible. She loved children, cooking, was an avid Elvis fan and thoroughly enjoyed working puzzles.

Dorothy was preceded in death by her husband of 62 years, Wilford Franklin Lawson; her sister, Grace Lawson; and her infant daughter.

Dorothy is survived by two sons, John Lawson (LeAnne) and Kenneth Lawson (Susan); her sister, Rebecca Rilee; her brother, Ronald Carlton; two grandchildren, Benjamin Lawson (Katie) and Ashley French (Benjamin); five great-grandchildren, Tyler, Matthew and Cameron Lawson and Parker and Elsie Jane French; and numerous nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. The family would also like to say a special thank you to Riverside Lifelong Health and Rehab team in Mathews, VA.

The family will receive friends from 1-2 PM Tuesday, February 4th at Vincent Funeral Home, 417 11th Street, West Point, VA. A funeral service will begin 2 PM at the funeral home with burial following in New Hope United Methodist Church cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions can be made to the New Hope UMC Cemetery Fund, 2466 Lewis B. Puller Memorial Highway, Saluda, VA 23149.

# Cemetery Details

## New Hope United Methodist Church Cemetery

2489 Lewis B Puller Memorial Hwy.  
Saluda, VA 23149  
<http://www.newhopevaumc.org/>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 4. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Vincent Funeral Home, West Point Chapel  
417 11th St  
West Point, VA 23181  
(804) 843-2550

# Tribute Wall

PR

“ *Dot was one of the sweetest persons ever, always smiling with a kind words of welcome, glad to see you. My heartfelt sympathy to the family.*

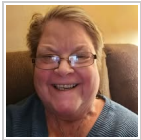
Plunard Robinson - February 05, 2025 at 09:27 AM

GF

“ *Dot was a wonderful friend and neighbor for many years. She will be missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with the family. Carol and Gina*

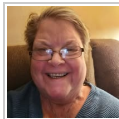


Gina Fetterolf - February 04, 2025 at 03:44 PM



“ *God bless her. She was always kind, a great cook and loved joking with family and friends. She will be sorely missed. My hugs and prayers for the family. Love you all.*

Jean Dahlbeck - February 04, 2025 at 02:34 PM



*Jean Clay Rilee*

Jean Dahlbeck - February 04, 2025 at 02:35 PM

TW

“ *Sorry For Your Loss*



Thomas Widgeon - February 04, 2025 at 11:24 AM

JW

“ She was such a joy to my mom and who knew she loved elvis Presley...I have many good memories of her

Janie wampler - February 04, 2025 at 11:20 AM

GC

“ Dear family,  
I'm so sorry for your loss  
Cherish your precious memories  
With heartfelt sympathy  
Gloria Couch (formerly Foster)



Gloria Couch - February 04, 2025 at 10:33 AM

AH

“ Dot was a beautiful soul n lovely lady that will be missed. Her memory will be kept close to my heart❤️



Ann n David Hall - February 04, 2025 at 10:31 AM

LS

“ Linda South sent a virtual gift in memory of Dorothy Carlton Lawson



Linda South - February 04, 2025 at 09:02 AM

DB

“ *Donna Kay Britt lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Carlton Lawson*



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**Donna Kay Britt** - February 04, 2025 at 07:47 AM

KB

“ *Kenny Brooks lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Carlton Lawson*



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**Kenny Brooks** - February 03, 2025 at 06:58 PM

MH

“ *One special friend and she loved Jesus and her family she cared so much about other people*

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**Margaret Horsley** - February 03, 2025 at 05:49 PM

JM

“ *Sorry for the family loss.*

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**Joyce Miller** - February 03, 2025 at 04:51 PM

PA

“ *Paula Armstead lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Carlton Lawson*



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**Paula Armstead** - February 03, 2025 at 04:26 PM

JR

“ *John And Vickie Roane lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Carlton Lawson*



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**john and vickie roane** - February 03, 2025 at 03:58 PM

JP

“ *So sorry. We send our love and sympathy to all of her family.*

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**Judy and Glenn Palmer** - February 03, 2025 at 03:03 PM