



Ms. Dorothy Worsley

February 23, 1934 - January 17, 2025

To his Thessalonian friends Paul wrote, “ I would not have to be ignorant, brethren, concerning them which are asleep, that ye sorrow not, even as others which have no hope. For if we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so them also which sleep in Jesus will God bring with Him.” 1

Thessalonians 4:13-14

Born in Williamston, North Carolina on February 23, 1934, Dorothy Mae Worsley was the daughter of the late James Aaron and Dora Biggs Brown. Having been reared in a Christian home, she accepted Christ at an early age. She was a home maker. On Saturday, January 18, 2025, God called Dorothy from his earthly abode to her eternal home.

The family is grateful to God for blessing us with the life of Dorothy Mae Worsley. We are especially thankful for her love, she was caring, a great cook, taught herself how to play the piano, loved beautiful what nots, loved the latest fashions, snicker bars, and Mountain Dew.

She loved her siblings and their children, even though she didn't have any of her own.

Dorothy married Nathaniel “Nate” Worsley who preceded her in death.

Dorothy was preceded in death by two stepsons, Nathaniel Lee Higgs, Jessie

Worsley; three brothers, George Brown, Charlie Brown, Clarence Brown; five sisters, Hattie Brown, Viola Brown, Blanche Mae Brown, Ollie Moses, and Janie Burns; two sisters-in-law, Lela Brown, Sadie Brown; six brothers-in-law, Roosevelt Brown, Henry Brown, Randolph Brown, W.C. Moses, Kelvin Speller, Johnny Ray Burns.

To rejoice in her memory and to mourn her passing, she leaves a dedicated niece, Brenda Wilson (Earl) of Windsor, NC; three stepdaughters, Mary Williams, Lois Jean Cooper, Callie Worsley all of Williamston, NC; two stepsons, Jeremiah Worsley of Raleigh, NC, Eddie Lee Worsley of Wilson, NC; one sister, Lucille Brown of Petersburg, VA; sister-in-law, Modestine Brown of Willingboro, NJ; nineteen step grandchildren; twelve great-grandchildren; several nieces, nephews, in laws, other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Woodlawn Cemetery

299 W Pine Street
Williamston, NC 27892

Previous Events

Viewing/Visitation

JAN 25. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Cedar Hill Missionary Baptist Church
2131 Rodgers School Rd
Williamston, NC 27892

Celebration of Life Service

JAN 25. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ View and Download the Funeral Program

Congleton Memorial Mortuary - January 25, 2025 at 12:09 PM

YB

“ Yvonne Benton lit a candle in memory of Ms. Dorothy Worsley



Yvonne Benton - January 25, 2025 at 11:56 AM

JD

“ Jack And Diane lit a candle in memory of Ms. Dorothy Worsley



Jack and Diane - January 25, 2025 at 10:13 AM

MS

“ Mary Sherrod lit a candle in memory of Ms. Dorothy Worsley



Mary sherrod - January 24, 2025 at 02:08 PM

SS

“ *My deepest sympathy to the family. God bless you all and lift you up in this time of sorrow*



Sandra Shepherd - January 23, 2025 at 05:11 PM

JB

“ *JACQUELYN BELL lit a candle in memory of Ms. Dorothy Worsley*



JACQUELYN BELL - January 23, 2025 at 11:05 AM

VW

“ *Ms. Dot, as she was so affectionally called, will truly be missed! She was a very good friend and neighbor for years, as well as one of my best Avon Customers! She and her late husband Mr. Nate, were like grandparents that you loved being in their presence! Rest in heaven my friends until we meet again!❤️🙏*

Vivian Whitfield-Daniels - January 23, 2025 at 10:01 AM

GA

“ *Gloria Anthony lit a candle in memory of Ms. Dorothy Worsley*



Gloria Anthony - January 22, 2025 at 10:33 PM

ED

“ *May the ever abiding comfort of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your family now and in the days to come.*

Elders Irvin & Johnise Dudley - January 22, 2025 at 09:22 PM

VW

“ *Vivian Whitfield-Daniels lit a candle in memory of Ms. Dorothy Worsley*



Vivian Whitfield-Daniels - January 21, 2025 at 09:33 PM

CS

“ *Congleton Funeral Home and Staff wishes to express our sincere condolences on the passing of your love one. We light this candle in their memory.*



Congleton Funeral Home and Staff - January 21, 2025 at 07:03 PM

LR

“ *Lillian Reaves lit a candle in memory of Ms. Dorothy Worsley*



Lillian Reaves - January 21, 2025 at 01:59 PM

CJ

“ God i thank you for the last time i saw Aunt Dorothy I braided her hair at the Nursing Home. I know Mom would be proud. Me, my brother Milton, sisters Barbara, Anita, Rosita, and her husband Hezekiah visited and. sat with her. We took pictures with her that I'll post. Rest on Aunt Dorothy. Love you.



Cynthia Jones - January 20, 2025 at 07:43 AM

CS

“ Cecily Sene lit a candle in memory of Ms. Dorothy Worsley



Cecily Sene - January 20, 2025 at 12:57 AM

EH

“ May Jesus Christ Continue To Comfort And Strengthen The Family



Evangelist Gwen Hudson - January 19, 2025 at 07:23 AM

CS

“ Congleton Funeral Home and Staff wishes to express our sincere condolences on the passing of your love one. We light this candle in their memory.



Congleton Funeral Home and Staff - January 18, 2025 at 04:02 PM