



Mrs. Doreatha Owens Poe

September 15, 1963 - July 7, 2017

Doreatha Owens Poe was born September 15, 1963 to the late Mamie Lee Armstrong and Tommy G. Owens; in Forest City, Florida.

She was educated in Seminole County Public Schools System, graduating from Lake Brantley High School, Class of 1982. She furthered her education at Everest University with Associates in Science Degree, Certified Professional Coder Apprentice in 2009.

Doreatha confessed her faith in Christ at an early age and was a childhood member of New Providence Missionary Baptist Church in Altamonte Springs. She was a member of the Florida Mass Choir. She later joined Macedonia Missionary Baptist Church. She remained a faithful member for over 20 years until her extensive hospital stay and the Lord called her home early Friday morning, July 7, 2017 for eternal rest. She displayed a spirit of love to all who knew her; always willing to lend a helping hand where needed. Doreatha had a great passion for children, whom she loved and adored; for she kept them in her company quite often.

She was united in Holy Matrimony to the love of her life, Sammie Poe, on February 14, 1999. That loving union remained until her transition.

She leaves to cherish her memories: her loving and devoted husband of 18

years, Sammie Poe; five children, Marcus D. Owens, Stephen Fillare, Terrell D. Douglas, Devontae A. Poe, Candayse M. Gurr, four grandchildren: Marcus D. Owens, Jr., Jayden Poe, Jordan Poe and Demario A. Drummond; two brothers, Joseph and Butler Armstrong; five sisters, Louise, Mary Lee, Annie D., Ernestine and Bertha Armstrong; Mother-in-Law, Willene Downes (Hubert); Sister-in-Law, Amelia Moore; Brother-in-Law, Dennis E. Moore, Sr.; Godmother, Evangelist Joyce Washington; God sisters, Laverne White and Angelia Boone Jones; a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, other relatives and dear friends.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 14. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Zanders Memorial Chapel
232 W. Michael Gladden Blvd.
Apopka, FL 32703
(407) 886-3388

Service

JUL 15. 4:00 PM (ET)

New Providence Missionary Baptist Church
7810 Albania Avenue
Orlando, FL 32810

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Doreatha Owens Poe*

October 22, 2023 at 05:49 PM



“ *Latoya Smith lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Doreatha Owens Poe*



Latoya Smith - July 16, 2017 at 07:45 PM



“ *Kim Moore Myles and Family - Hastings FL purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mrs. Doreatha Owens Poe.*



Kim Moore Myles and Family - Hastings FL - July 14, 2017 at 10:34 AM



“ *♥ Only time will heal our hearts. I will truly miss our special little talks & updates but most of all I will truly miss you Auntie! Love Always.. Gone but will not be forgotten...♥*



Frankicha Ball - July 13, 2017 at 12:20 PM

JM

“ My condolences to Ricco and family. I met Doreatha just over 5 years ago. She was vivacious, and very family-oriented. She loved the Lord with a passion and took her spiritual walk seriously. The last time I saw her in the Ocoee hospital, she was in such a great mood and very optimistic about her condition. She always wore the most amazing smiles. I will miss her dearly. Her passing has saddened me. It is comforting to know that even though we love her, God loves her the most. Rest In Peace sweet Doreatha. 🙏🌸❤️



Janice Mason - July 13, 2017 at 10:45 AM



“ Heaven gained another faithful soul, my heart felt condolences to Marcus and the rest of her family...



Latosha Demonia - July 13, 2017 at 10:36 AM



“ Rosetta Elijah lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Doreatha Owens Poe



Rosetta Elijah - July 13, 2017 at 10:29 AM



“ *Im truly gone miss her joyfulness she shared every time we was together and her laughter she always had a smile on her face.*



Romona Warren - July 13, 2017 at 08:48 AM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Terell Douglas - July 13, 2017 at 07:58 AM



“ *Cindy Washington lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Doreatha Owens Poe*



Cindy Washington - July 13, 2017 at 07:49 AM



“ *You will forever be missed mom I love you and appreciate all the love you showed me threw out the years..I'm going to miss all the jokes and laughter. This one is really hard to take but knowing you in a better place gives me all my strength to move forward. R.I.H mom love you so much!*

Terell Douglas - July 13, 2017 at 06:03 AM

JB

“ Jeanette Brown lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Doreatha Owens Poe



Jeanette Brown - July 13, 2017 at 05:55 AM

SB

“ Sybrina And Jeanette Brown lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Doreatha Owens Poe



Sybrina and Jeanette Brown - July 13, 2017 at 05:54 AM

MJ

“ Michelle Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Doreatha Owens Poe



Michelle Jackson - July 13, 2017 at 05:53 AM

MO

“ I miss my mom so much this hurts so bad 😭😭



marcus owens - July 13, 2017 at 12:32 AM

DM

“ My Sister we miss you so much your memories will always be with us. Your kindness and love will be deeply miss we love you sis rest in peace Love Always Your Bro Dennis💙💙💙



Dennis Moore - July 12, 2017 at 08:04 PM



“ Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Doreatha Owens Poe.



July 12, 2017 at 07:41 PM

BA

“ Brenda Armstrong lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Doreatha Owens Poe



Brenda Armstrong - July 12, 2017 at 05:10 PM

TR

“ The Rackards purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Mrs. Doreatha Owens Poe.



The Rackards - July 12, 2017 at 03:30 PM



“ *My friend is gone but still alive in spirit sleep my friend sleep may God bless your soul.*

Larney Rackard Jr. - July 12, 2017 at 10:21 AM

TM

“ *To My Auntie Doretha I thank you so much for all the years you were in the family I will miss you so much thanks for being an amazing auntie. I will always remember your laugh that only u can do and sharing our birthday a week apart in the same month. It's going to be hard not see u and uncle Rico coming to a family gathering dressed alike. I'm going to really miss you this is a hard pill to swallow not having u here but I know you will be in spirit. I love you auntie Rest in heaven*



Tavaris moore - July 12, 2017 at 06:04 AM

KW

“ *Kimberly Williams-Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Doreatha Owens Poe*



Kimberly Williams-Jackson - July 11, 2017 at 06:55 PM

TM

“ To My Auntie Doretha who I'm going to miss a lot thank you for all the years of being in our family and being the the best auntie. I will always remember your laugh that only you can do and you and my uncle Rico coming to a family gathering dressed alike. I will always love you and miss you it's going to be not having you around but I know you will be in sprit. Rest in heaven my auntie Doretha Poe



Tavaris Moore - July 11, 2017 at 05:09 PM

RM

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Robin Moore - July 11, 2017 at 02:28 PM

BA

We started out as friends and I became your sister in-law Doretha I'm going to miss you so much your laughter, your smile, your words of comfort when I was sick and your words of encouragement when ever I wasn't feeling well wishing this was all a dream I'm going to miss you oh but one sweet day we will meet again so I'll say have your rest in the arm's of Jesus love you and miss you RIH

Brenda Armstrong - July 11, 2017 at 07:32 PM

RM

“ *Doreatha leaves a legacy of kindness, dedication, and a determined spirit. We will remember good times when we think of her.*

Robin Moore - July 11, 2017 at 02:16 PM

DM

“ *Thank you my sister for all you have given us, we will miss you deeply. I will never forget the good times we all had and your big smile. From the first time you came into our family you showed love and kindness. We love you and will always cherish all you gave to our family. You were like a sister to me instead of my sister in law, I will always remember you.*

LOVE ALWAYS YOUR BROTHER 🌹🌹

Dennis

Dennis Moore - July 11, 2017 at 02:03 PM

SM

Thank you Mrs Doretha for all the times we spend together. From the time we met at Florida hospital. You are showed me the true meaning of friendship. And you will forever be my true friend. I will never forget you my Doretha RIP God be with you

Sonia morales - July 11, 2017 at 06:12 PM

VM

Doretha was 3 years old when we met, our family moved to Forest City and we were neighbors, then as we grow up we became family. She is truly going to be missed. I'm going to miss our lunches that we used to have, just to catch up on life. I know that we want her here with us, but she is in a better place. We love and Miss you... RIH..

Vernada Mike - July 14, 2017 at 09:00 AM



“ *Angela Adkins Outlaw lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Doreatha Owens Poe*



Angela Adkins Outlaw - July 11, 2017 at 08:43 AM