



## Dorothy Ann Calverley

November 20, 1944 - March 15, 2019

Dorothy Ann Calverley passed away peacefully on Friday, March 15, 2019 at T. Boone Pickens Hospice and Palliative Care Center in Dallas, Texas surrounded by loved ones. She was born November 20, 1944 in Dallas to the late Haskell Wade and Exie Mae Roberts. Dorothy was the only daughter of four children and was pampered and doted by her three brothers, especially her oldest brother Jackie, who was even known to take her along on a date or two. Dorothy attended Wilmer Hutchins High School in Dallas and held many prestigious job titles in her work field afterwards. She was the first female Advertising Director of Titcher's, downtown Dallas, which also earned her a nomination for the 1975 Matrix Awards for Women in Communications. Ten years later she was named Vice President of a very large and successful Advertising Agency in Dallas known as Crume & Associates, later known as Vergati & Associates. After years in the advertising field, she went into the printing industry and, once again, was a plant manager for one of Dallas' major printing companies and eventually was part owner of a printing company. After retiring, her most rewarding job was working at the Share Center in Terrell, serving and helping others. Although she held many titles, her favorite, and most loved one, was that of MOMMA and NANA.

Dorothy was a devout Christian and during her endurance of over two decades of struggles with pain and chronic illnesses, she never once complained or asked "why me?". Her faith NEVER wavered, even up to the last few days of her life. She was truly a fighter with the strongest determination. She enjoyed her family, especially time with the grandchildren and babies, reading her Bible, going to church, and playing dominos with her sweet church friends. Dorothy will be remembered for her sweet and caring soul and a smile that brightened any room and lifted your spirits.

Dorothy is survived by her children: Stacy Lee Stephens & wife Brenda, Regina Gail (Stephens) Calverley and husband Mark, and Keith Wayne Stephens and wife Nicki; her brother, Jackie Roberts and wife Donna; ten grandchildren, 15 great grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews, many extended relatives, and an amazing church family, all of whom loved Dorothy greatly and will miss her dearly.

The family would like to thank Rockwall & Brin Church of Christ, T. Boone Pickens Hospice & Palliative Care Center and a host of family and friends for the many prayers,

love, support and care given to Dorothy.

Family, friends, and others whose lives Dorothy touched are invited for visitation at Max Slayton Funeral and Cremations, 642 N. Rockwall Ave., Terrell from 5:00pm to 7:00pm, Wednesday, March 20, 2019 and for her celebration of life and service to others at 2:00pm, Thursday, March 21, 2019 at Rockwall & Brin Church of Christ, 407 N Rockwall Ave, Terrell. Interment will follow at Highland Memorial Gardens in Terrell.

The family requests that in lieu of flowers, and in memory of Dorothy's legacy, please make donations to Terrell Share Center, 103 Jones Street, Terrell, TX 75160.

# Cemetery Details

## Highland Memorial Gardens

Hwy 34 North  
Terrell, TX 75160

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR **20**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Max Slayton Funerals and Cremations  
642 N Rockwall Avenue  
Terrell, TX 75160  
(972) 524-0881  
<https://www.maxslaytonfunerals.com>

## Funeral Service

MAR **21**. 2:00 PM (CT)

Rockwall and Brin Church of Christ  
407 N. Rockwall Ave.  
Terrell, TX 75160

# Tribute Wall



“ *Dorothy Ann Calverley*

October 08, 2023 at 07:43 PM

NA

“ *I was very blessed to have You in my life , not only did you touch my heart you would stand up to protect me in a heart beat. But spiritly Loved me for me and showed your strength that will be always help me . Your Love was so sincere. Thank you and I will miss you dearly. Now fly high for you earned heaven. Forever in my Heart.*

**Nancy** - March 20, 2019 at 09:09 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Dorothy Ann Calverley.*



March 20, 2019 at 08:40 PM



“ *Simply Chic Mixed Plant Basket was purchased for the family of Dorothy Ann Calverley.*



March 20, 2019 at 08:34 PM

KR

“ *Karen & Charles Rosson lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ann Calverley*



**Karen & Charles Rosson** - March 20, 2019 at 02:06 PM

KA

*For such a sweet lady, our thoughts and prayers are with the family.*

**Karen** - March 20, 2019 at 02:07 PM

RC

*Thank you!*

**Regina Calverley** - March 20, 2019 at 03:09 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Dorothy Ann Calverley.*



March 19, 2019 at 07:49 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Dorothy Ann Calverley.*



March 19, 2019 at 04:36 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Dorothy Ann Calverley.*



March 19, 2019 at 11:52 AM

SE

“ Dorothy was a big part of my early 20s to 30s. I was working with her as a client and she took me under her wing as if I was a family member. She would come by in her Town Car pick me up from work and we would have the vendor/client lunch, but it became so much more than that. She would ask and listen to what was going on in my personal life. She would always suggest great advice and would follow up with how I was doing. I had a very large role, and some would say I was a bit overwhelmed with my responsibilities to my company I worked for. She made it easy for me after a coworker quit and I had to temporarily assume his responsibilities plus mine. It was extremely stressful and she would not just quote pricing to me but help make sure I was being wise to how I could save money and produce faster. Nearly 30 years later, I still remember all that you did. I love you Dorothy and you will be missed dearly.



Steve Ealy - March 19, 2019 at 10:53 AM

RC

Thank you Steve for your sweet words! Momma thought a lot of you! We appreciate your message so much. Regina

Regina Calverley - March 20, 2019 at 03:07 PM



“ 78 files added to the album LifeTributes



Max Slayton Funerals & Cremations - March 19, 2019 at 09:56 AM

MH

“ Dear Regina, Stacy and Family,

*Sending our deepest condolences on the loss of your beautiful and precious mother. No matter how long they've been sick, there's just nothing that can prepare you for the moment she draws her last breath. Our prayers for you and all the loved ones will continue as you are mourning, healing and trying to get through these next painful months the best way you can. May God draw especially close to you, scoop you up in His lap and comfort you and give you peace, as only He can. She will always live on through you and her grandchildren. She leaves behind a legacy of love. May God bless you and hold you in the hollow of His hands. Love you always!!*



*Michelle (Ottmo) & Larry Hackler  
Duncanville, Texas*

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**Michelle and Larry Hackler** - March 18, 2019 at 11:19 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Dorothy Ann Calverley.*



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March 18, 2019 at 07:54 PM

SD

“ *Dorothy had been missed for a long time at the Share Center, me thinking she'd still be coming back. She, so sweet and giving and even in death she is STILL giving to the Share Center. Rest in peace, sweet lady. God bless her and her loving family. - Sandy Delamater*

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**Sandy DeLaMater** - March 17, 2019 at 11:28 PM

VD

“ *Our deepest sympathy to this sweet family who took such loving care of Dorothy. She set the bar high for all of us and we shall never forget her example of Faith and courage. God bless all. Love, Tom/Virginia DeLong*

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**Virginia DeLong** - March 17, 2019 at 03:56 PM

LR

*We've lost so many beloved family members in the past few years and through all of those losses Nana was a pillar of strength and a ray of sunshine on the darkest of days. She taught us the importance of how giving to others could help heal our own hearts. Because of what she taught us, and in honor of her, it is our privilege to help continue her work at The Share Center. We pray that this gift will help keep her memory alive so that those that come after us can experience the prayers and love that she gave so freely. Rest In Peace, Nana.*

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**LeAnn Richardson** - March 19, 2019 at 01:34 AM

BH

“ *A loving precious person and cousin. She was a beacon of light to all she met and in our family. A very compassionate caring Christian. She will be missed by so many, but has gone on to a place of comfort and peace. Much love goes out to all of her family and friends. Our world has been made so much more blessed by Dorthy and all of the "Dorthys" that have gone on before us.*

*Love to all,  
Becky Fierge Hix*

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**Becky Hix** - March 16, 2019 at 03:42 PM