



Dorothy E. Shires

August 25, 1951 - February 8, 2013

Jackson, S.C. – Memorial services for Mrs. Dorothy “Dot” Elizabeth Shires, 61, of North Hankinson Street, Jackson, who entered into rest February 8, 2013, will be conducted Monday, February 18 at 6:30 at Calvary Baptist Church. Rev. Michael Adams officiating.

Mrs. Shires was a native of Hartsville, S.C., having made Jackson her home for the past 16 years. She was a member of Calvary Baptist Church and the Outcast League Secretary at Northside Lanes. She was a devoted mother, pastor’s wife, and an Augusta Christian School teacher who loved all of her students. Mrs. Shires was preceded in death by her son, Ronald W. Shires; her brother, William Thomas Mote, Jr.; and her sister, Martha Jean Mote.

Survivors include her soul mate and husband of 43 years, Rev. Donald J. Shires (Pastor of Calvary Baptist Church); a son, Donald J. Shires, Jr., Beaufort, S.C.; an adopted daughter, Penny Mangum, McBee, S.C.; three grandchildren; a brother, Jerry Thomas Mote, Chatanooga, T.N.; and a sister, Alice JoAn Dear, Shelby, N.C.

The family will receive friends at the funeral home Tuesday evening from 6 until 8.

Memorials may be made to Calvary Baptist Church, P.O. Box 41, Jackson,

S.C. 29831.

Posey Funeral Directors of North Augusta in charge of arrangements (803-278-1181). Visit the registry online at www.poseyfuneraldirectors.com

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 12. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Posey Funeral Directors
1307 Georgia Avenue
North Augusta, SC

Service

FEB 18. 6:30 PM (ET)

Calvary Baptist Church
710 N Hankinson Street
Jackson, SC

Tribute Wall



“ Posey Funeral Directors created a Tribute Video in memory of Dorothy E. Shires



Posey Funeral Directors - February 08, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Dorothy E. Shires

October 06, 2023 at 06:29 AM



“ Dorothy E. Shires

September 24, 2022 at 12:12 PM



“ Anthony Tantillo lit a candle in memory of Dorothy E. Shires



Anthony Tantillo - March 06, 2013 at 11:17 PM



“ I was a student of Mrs. Shires at Augusta Christian. I am heartbroken to have found out of her passing. We had many good memories at Augusta Christian, she not only treated us as students but as family. In our Bible and Math classes she would always talk about her husband and all of her kids and share pictures. She was a very sweet lady and I was always able to talk to her about anything. She was one of the biggest inspirations in my life. If I had known sooner I would have attended the memorial service. But I will always miss her but I will always remember the good times. And atleast she is no longer suffering and with the Lord. -Anthony T. Tantillo, Jackson SC

Anthony Tantillo - March 06, 2013 at 11:16 PM




“ I was saddened to hear of Dot's passing, but I know she is with The Lord. I still remember when she, Tim Yount, Clark Ballard, and I were first put together at Aiken Christian School. Dot loved The Lord, Loved her family, and LOVED. all of the students whose lives she touched. We will miss you
Sharon Hamilton

Sharon Hamilton - February 14, 2013 at 06:33 PM



“ So sorry to hear of Dot's passing. She was well loved by everyone at Aiken Christian School when she worked there. We will miss her. Praying for her family.
Barbara Anderson

Barbara Anderson - February 14, 2013 at 05:44 PM

 Cathy
Kelley

“ *I was saddened when I heard the news of Mrs. Shires passing. I have many fond memories of her. Such a sweet, kind-hearted, loving teacher! I will keep you, Jr and your dad, in my prayers!*
Cathy Whittle Kelley

Cathy Kelley - February 13, 2013 at 09:47 AM

CO

“ *Dear Mr. Shires and Don I am sorry for your loss, may God bless you and comfort you in the days ahead. Chris O'Neal*

Chris O'Neal - February 13, 2013 at 09:44 AM

RB

“ *RICK AND FAYE BERNARDI lit a candle in memory of Dorothy E. Shires*



RICK AND FAYE BERNARDI - February 12, 2013 at 04:11 PM

RB

“ ” *And whoever lives and believes in Me shall never die.*” John 11:26

*What it must be to step on shore and find it Heaven !
to take hold of a hand and find it GOD’S hand !
to Breathe new air and find it celestial air !
to feel invigorated and find it immortality !
to rise from the care and turmoil of earth
into an unbroken calm
to wake up and find it Glory !*

*Many ask where was GOD when tragic events happen ,the answer
is simple He was where he was when his Son Jesus Christ was
Nailed to the Cross*

*Remain faithful, even when the wicked prosper, even when bad
things happen to good people, even when we don't understand why.
We may not know until the other side of eternity, but we can know
some truths even now. God is good. God is faithful. God will never
leave us or forsake us. God is truth. God is gracious and merciful.
God keeps his promises. We can put our hope and trust in Him.
Salvation is ours because God gave His only Son, Jesus, as a
sacrifice for our sins God's love for us was completed through the
Son. In His light, we live by Faith.*

*RICK & FAYE BERNARDI
NORTH AUGUSTA, SC*

RICK AND FAYE BERNARDI - February 12, 2013 at 04:10 PM

JG

“ Jo'el, Ashton And Sybrenia Grant lit a candle in memory of Dorothy E. Shires



Jo'el, Ashton and Sybrenia Grant - February 12, 2013 at 12:10 PM

PA

“ Loved Mrs Shires. She taught me algebra. I am now homeschooling my son, and he too is very good at Algebra....all because of her! I will cover your family with prayer. Much love from Hartsville.
Paige Smith Brockett

Paige - February 12, 2013 at 11:23 AM

VM

“ Dot Shires was a very Godly school teacher who loved her students with all her heart.

Vincent Massi - February 11, 2013 at 06:41 PM

DJ

“ Mrs. Shires was a Angel & a special light in our lifes and we will miss her smile, her love, her patience and genuine concern for all the students @ AC TD program. May God continue to bless her wonderful family and loved ones. Love, Mariah & Donna

Donna Johnson - February 11, 2013 at 10:36 AM

KE

“ Don & Family, our prayers are with you all. God bless you with peace knowing she is in Heaven and walks with the one she lived her life to meet.

Kenneth, Estelle, Mark, Michelle & Steve Ellis - February 11, 2013 at 07:33 AM

TF

“ *Teresa Fisher lit a candle in memory of Dorothy E. Shires*



Teresa Fisher - February 11, 2013 at 07:32 AM

TF

“ *Don, Jr. and all family,*

There are no words adequate enough to describe what a light to this world Dot was. It shone from her beautiful smile and twinkling eyes--she could see into the very heart of a person. Raymond and I and our children had this great privilege to know her and it was, and will always be, a treasured gift. Her greatest love next to her Lord was her family, and only God could have called her from you. I look forward to heaven, when none of us will have to worry about "being somewhere" or having to "do something" that keeps us from enjoying wonderful fellowship by the river.

Raymond and Teresa Fisher, Matthew, Katherine and family


Teresa Fisher - February 11, 2013 at 07:32 AM

KK

“ *Preacher Don and family,
I share your deepest sorrow over the passing of Ms Dot. She seemed to be a very loving, wonderful woman. God gave her and Mr Don both beautiful singing voices and I believe she is now singing with the heavenly choir in heaven. I always looked forward to hearing them sing together when all of the churches in the Jackson community got together for the 5th Sunday nite hymn sings. God recieved a speical lady. May the Lord comfort and strengthen all of you during this time of need.*

*In Christ,
Karen Copeland Kight*

KAREN COPELAND KIGHT - February 10, 2013 at 07:25 AM

 Joseph
Chandler

“ *Pastor Don,*

Our thoughts and prayers go out to you during this time. I pray for the peace and love of God to be with you.

Joseph & Deidra

Joseph Chandler - February 10, 2013 at 07:20 AM

JC

“ *Pastor Don,*

Our thoughts and prayers go out to you during this time. I pray for the peace and love of God to be with you.

Joseph & Deidra

Joseph Chandler - February 10, 2013 at 07:18 AM



Shannon
Perdue
Wilder

“ *She was an amazing teacher. She touched so many lives and we will all miss her!! Praying for God's peace for the family.*

Shannon Perdue Wilder - February 09, 2013 at 11:10 PM