



Dot Zeigler

May 3, 1929 - August 20, 2024

Seneca, SC – Funeral Services for Mrs. Dorothy “Dot” Bobo Zeigler, 95, who entered into rest August 20, 2024, will be conducted Thursday, August 29th, at 12 Noon from the Trinity Baptist Church, 504 South Oak Street, Seneca, SC. Reverend Andy Hunter officiating. A lunch reception will follow the service in the Fellowship Hall. Private interment at Hillcrest Memorial Park, Pickens, SC.

Mrs. Zeigler was born on May 3, 1929, in Roebuck, South Carolina, a daughter of the late Austin Sparks Bobo and Lillian Wolfe Bobo. She earned a bachelor’s degree in voice and French at Limestone College in 1949. She married Edward Tate Zeigler on October 19, 1950, and they moved to North Augusta, SC, where they resided until 2016. She and Ed operated Van Wood Cleaners. Later they opened Playcare School with their friends Tom and the late Betty Farris. At Playcare, “Mrs. Dot” was known and loved by hundreds of families who entrusted their children to her care.

Dot and Ed were active members of First Baptist Church in North Augusta where they volunteered in numerous ways. She spent many years as a leader in the youth department and enjoyed her circle meetings. Mrs. Zeigler was an exemplary hostess on the many occasions they entertained friends and family in their home. Her gregarious personality enabled her to make many new friends after she and Ed moved to Clemson Downs in 2016. At that time, they

joined First Baptist Church in Clemson. Her family and faith were the center of her world. She ruled with an iron hand and a gentle heart. Her grandchildren will forever cherish time with their “Granny” and her Bobby Bear stories.

Survivors include her husband of 73 years, Edward Tate Zeigler; two daughters, Nan (John) Thompson of Seneca, SC and Jane (Eddie) Capps of Anderson, SC; her son Edward (Susan) Zeigler, Jr of Greenville, SC; six grandchildren John Michael (Stacey) Thompson of Clyde, NC, Will (Diana) Thompson of Summerville, SC, Claire (Jared) Sang of Greenville, SC, Tate (Kelly) Zeigler of Charleston, SC, Corbin (Hank) Grant of Morrison, CO, and Walker (Julie) Capps of Travelers Rest, SC; 16 great-grandchildren Hazel, Conrad and Millie Kate Thompson, Wyatt, Ruthie and Seth Thompson, Jackson and Oliver Sang, Della Zeigler, Jud, Halle and Cole Grant, Gradie, Ellie, June, and Walt Capps; nephews Lin (Dianne) Peeples, Austin (Sheryl) Bobo, Steve (Carol) Bobo; niece Jan (Don) Beddie and an especially close cousin, Judson Wolfe.

She was predeceased by a great grandson, John Henry Lester Thompson, a brother and sister-in-law Austin (Grace) Bobo, a sister and brother-in-law Margaret (Pringle) Peeples, and a nephew Joe Bobo.

The family would like to express their deep appreciation to Cottingham Hospice House and to her caregivers for the past 6 years.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Limestone University designated to the Lillian Wolfe Bobo Scholarship, 1115 College Drive, Gaffney, SC 29340 or to the charity of one's choice.

Cemetery Details

Hillcrest Memorial Park

2410 Gentry Memorial Highway
Pickens, SC 29671

Previous Events

Service

AUG **29**. 12:00 PM (ET)

Trinity Baptist Church
504 South Oak Street
Seneca, SC 29678

Tribute Wall

NA

“ Nate A. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dot Zeigler.

Nate A. - September 16, 2024 at 09:08 AM

BB

“ So sorry to hear about your loss. So many memories of all the good times at NA First Baptist

Bill Burriss - September 12, 2024 at 03:47 PM

BG

“ So sorry to read about Dot's passing. She was such an inspiration to everyone she met! Both Paul and I truly missed both Ed and Dot when you moved to Greenville. We will certainly keep you and your family in our prayers!

Brenda Gustafson - August 30, 2024 at 12:28 AM

PG

“ Remembering your family in prayer. Dot was a significant part of the FBCNA family.

Paul Gustafson - August 28, 2024 at 01:01 PM

MK

“ What a wonderful lady and a beautiful life. I have so many sweet memories of Mrs. Dot! I have missed seeing her at FBCNA since the move to the upstate. I'll be praying for all of you.

Miriam Rowland King - August 27, 2024 at 08:01 PM

BS

A very kind note. Brian Sanders. Son of Frank and June Sanders. Atlanta, GA

Brian Sandwrs - September 15, 2024 at 10:46 PM

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Brian Sandwrs - September 15, 2024 at 10:47 PM

CH

“ Dot was one of the most gracious people I have known. Clayton and I always looked forward to their parties. We will praying for God’s comfort and peace for Ed and family during this time and the days ahead. Cheryl Hodges

Cheryl Hodges - August 27, 2024 at 02:00 PM

AL

“ My mother, Nellie Simmons, was fortunate to work with Ed and Dot for many years . I appreciate their many kindnesses over the years. I’m sure Dot and Mom are having a great time in heaven. Allen Simmons

allen - August 26, 2024 at 08:52 PM

CW

“ Ed and Nan, sorry to hear about the passing of Dot. She was a very special lady. Praying for your family in the days ahead.



Catherine Whiten - August 26, 2024 at 07:40 PM

LS

“ I am so sorry to hear of Dot’s passing. She was a great neighbor of my parents for many years. Prayers for your family.

Libby Holland Sewell - August 25, 2024 at 10:21 AM

CM

“ I am just learning of your sweet Mama’s passing. Sending huge hugs to you and your family. Life isn’t the same without your Mama. Blessed indeed...

Cindy McNeill - August 25, 2024 at 12:34 AM

GF

“ George, Tanya & family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Dot Zeigler.



George, Tanya & family - August 23, 2024 at 02:25 PM

GF

“ George, Tanya & family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dot Zeigler.

George, Tanya & family - August 23, 2024 at 02:25 PM

SP

“ Dot and Ed were very special members of our community and we enjoyed know all of the ways they helped our lovely town thrive.

Sheran Proctor - August 23, 2024 at 07:42 AM

MG

“ Prayers of peace and love to Ed and family.

Michelle Goings - August 22, 2024 at 08:47 PM

JC

“ Dear Nan, I have a happy memory of going to your house when we were in elementary school. Your mom was so sweet. Love to you, your dad and all the family. Wish I could be there to give you a hug.
Julia Clark Cousin

Julia Clark Cousin - August 22, 2024 at 06:59 PM

BM

“ My condolences to the entire family. Sending prayers for comfort and peace. Mrs. Dot and Mr. Ed were truly loved by the Mottel Family on Stanton Drive, North Augusta SC. Many wonderful times. Mrs. Dot will be truly missed by many

Billy Mottel - August 22, 2024 at 12:46 PM

BB

“ Mrs. Ziegler influenced me greatly during my formative years. She was not only my Sunday School teacher but a dear friend of my family. I'm sorry to hear of her passing. Love to Mr. Ziegler and all of the family.

Brenda Connell Brown - August 22, 2024 at 11:59 AM



“ I met Mrs. Dot through her husband Ed where he served on The Board of The Salvation Army. She would always attend all the events with him. You could just look at the both of them and see the love between them. Please express my condolences to Mr. Zeigler and the family

*Gloria Rogers
(Retired The Salvation Army)*

Gloria Rogers - August 22, 2024 at 10:05 AM



“ I had the wonderful blessing of working with Mrs Dot at Playcare School for several years. She holds a very special place in my heart ❤️ May she rest in peace in the arms of Jesus 🕊️ My sincere condolences to Mr Ed, her family and friends.

Sandra Ramage - August 22, 2024 at 07:35 AM



“ May God bless this family in this time of sorrow.

Robert and Mary Whatley - August 22, 2024 at 03:27 AM



“ I am so sorry to learn of the passing of Dot. She was a fine Christian lady and was my friend for many years. Prayers for Ed and the family.

Don Alexander - August 21, 2024 at 10:21 PM

JM

I'm so sorry for the loss of your mother. The times I saw her she was always so kind and smiling. Please share my condolences with your Father. Ed and I talked often. The last time I tried to call him the phones had been changed, I guess due to Dots moving to another location. The last time I talked to your dad he told me he would soon be "3-digits old". Again, please accept my condolences. If possible as your father to give me a call. I'd love to drive up and see him. Last time I was there, myself and another friend awarded him with his 60 yr. Award for the lodge. My number is +1 (803) 634-0451

Jon Majerus - August 22, 2024 at 05:15 PM

ES

“ *Everette & Jeanne Segers lit a candle in memory of Dot Zeigler*



Everette & Jeanne Segers - August 21, 2024 at 03:31 PM

BR

Man, I am saddened to hear of your Mom's death. I still miss seeing Dot & Ed at FBCNA! Please give your Dad a hug from me ❤️ Please know we are lifting you & your family in prayer for comfort and peace as you face the days ahead. Your Dad always kept me current on your 'news'! He was so proud of you! Brenda Broome Rosson

Brenda Broome Rosson - August 22, 2024 at 08:02 PM

BR

Oops NAN

Brenda Broome Rosson - August 22, 2024 at 08:03 PM

BM

I had the pleasure of working at Playcare School for many years under the love and direction of Ms Dot. We shared a great friendship that I will forever cherish.

Beverly J. Marshall - August 29, 2024 at 03:20 PM

TH

So sorry about the passing of Dot because she was so delightful to be around at any time .She exhibited a cheerful attitude and Christain Spirit in all she did. God bless her wonderful family !

Theron Huskey - August 30, 2024 at 12:22 PM

CR

She loved and cared for children the way Jesus does. She always had a spark in her eyes that was either happiness or mischief. Our family loved working at Playcare School-The late Betty Estep, Cynthia Estep Rollins and Wanda Estep Baynham💕

Cynthia Rollins - October 13, 2024 at 06:23 AM