



Bernice Joyce "Pookie" Dorsey

October 22, 1930 - August 4, 2015

Pookie Dorsey, born on October 22, 1930 in the original Memorial Hospital in downtown Houston to Gus and Thelma Knight, passed away peacefully on August 4, 2015 with family by her side. She was welcomed into heaven by her loving son Larry Alan Dorsey.

She is survived by her loving husband of 66 years Gene T. "Tommy" Dorsey; son Tommy Dorsey Jr and wife Becky; daughter Diane and husband Jim Dunbar; grandson Duane Dorsey and wife Misha; granddaughter D'Lana Dorsey and fiancé Anthony Gonnell; granddaughter Alyssa Dunbar; grandson Tyler Dunbar; and the joys of her life great grandsons Brock and Bryce Dorsey. She is also survived by brother Gus Knight Jr and nieces Janice Fox and Janet Stone.

She was predeceased by her son Larry; her parents; sister Margaret Stulting; and nephew Jimmy Stulting.

If God made a model for a mother, it was Pookie. For Pookie lived her life for and through her kids, grandkids and great grandkids.

The family wishes to extend deep appreciation to Houston Hospice and their wonderful caring staff.

The Dorsey family will be present to receive friends Friday, August 7, 2015 from 6:00 PM until 8:00 PM at Dettling Funeral Home, 14094 Memorial Dr., Houston, TX 77079. A Memorial Service celebrating Pookie's life will be held Saturday, August 8, 2015 at 11:00 AM at Tallowood Baptist Church, 555 Tallowood Rd., Houston, TX 77024. A reception will follow the service on the church grounds. Visit www.DettlingFuneral.com to leave online tributes.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 7. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Dettling Funeral Home
14094 Memorial Drive
Houston, TX 77079
(281) 497-2121
david@dettlingfuneral.com

Memorial Service

AUG 8. 11:00 AM (CT)

Tallowood Baptist Church
555 Tallowood Road
Houston, TX 77024

Reception

AUG 8. 12:00 PM (CT)

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555 Tallowood Road
Houston, TX 77024

Tribute Wall



“ *Bernice Joyce "Pookie" Dorsey*

October 08, 2023 at 10:52 AM



“ *Bernice Joyce "Pookie" Dorsey*

October 06, 2023 at 01:12 AM



“ *Bernice Joyce "Pookie" Dorsey*

October 05, 2023 at 09:45 AM



“ *Bernice Joyce "Pookie" Dorsey*

October 05, 2023 at 01:54 AM



“ *Philippians 4:6,7 Do not be anxious over anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication along with thanksgiving, let your petition be made known to God; and the peace of God that surpasses all understanding will guard your hearts and your mental powers by means of Christ Jesus.*
With Sympathy.

Ruby - August 12, 2015 at 11:34 AM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Bernice Joyce "Pookie" Dorsey.*



August 06, 2015 at 09:51 AM