



Dorothy Sue Jordan

November 20, 1949 - March 14, 2025

Dorothy Sue Jordan, lovingly known as "Mama," "MA," "Granny," and "Dot" to many, passed away on March 14, 2025, in Tallahassee, Florida, at the age of 75.

Born on November 20, 1949, in Whigham, Georgia. Dorothy grew up with a strong spirit and an undeniable zest for life. She attended Shanks High School in Quincy, Florida, before embarking on a long career at Rose Printing Company in Tallahassee. Later in life, she could often be found working at various laundries throughout the city—always keeping busy and embracing the rhythm of daily life.

Dorothy had a passion for dancing that was unmatched. If there was music playing and a dance floor nearby, she was sure to be on it. A talented dancer with an infectious energy, she could often be found at some of her favorite spots—Fred's Backdoor, Tradewinds, Sid's, Lou's Place, The Office Lounge after work, or Posey's on a Sunday evening—where she brought joy to those around her with every step.

She was a woman of contrasts—sweet as sugar one day and sharp as a lemon the next. Dorothy never hesitated to let people know exactly where they stood with her; if she liked you, you knew it, and if she didn't, well... you probably knew that too. Her honesty and fiery personality made her

unforgettable to all who crossed her path.

Dorothy is survived by her daughter Teresa Pinion (Kevin Barrett) of Woodville, Florida; grandchildren Nikki and Faith Stoddard; Ashlee and Jeremiah Barton of Tallahassee; Kyle Waters (Destiny Savage) of Crawfordville; Cheryl Vause of Quincy; and her brother Billy Joe Knight of Greensboro. She also leaves behind many beloved nieces, nephews, and cousins who will cherish her memory always.

She was preceded in death by her son Chad Jordan; parents Lester and Ruth Knight; brother Howard Knight; and sisters Evelyn Sadler, Annie Ruth Miller, and Arminda Barfield.

The family would like to extend their heartfelt gratitude for the calls, visits, food, and especially the prayers during this difficult time. Dorothy's presence will be deeply missed but forever remembered by those who knew and loved her.

Tribute Wall



“ *Sending my thoughts and prayers to all of the family, R.I.P. Dorothy you will be missed* ”



Mary Jane McMahan - March 20, 2025 at 05:49 PM



“ *A second momma to all the kids back in the day that lived, played or just hung out on ELGIN ROAD. She will truly be missed, God bless the family and many prayers to you all at this time.* ”



J J Porter Hurst - March 20, 2025 at 12:50 AM



“ *Dorothy, I love you so much! You were my friend and my confidant! We had so many good times together that I can't keep track. Your beautiful smile and caring heart will always be a part of me! Just remembering those times brings a little comfort to me, for the time being! Teresa, I love you sweetheart!* ”

Linda Rudd Lewis - March 19, 2025 at 01:54 PM



Love and miss Aunt Dorothy, I can't stand looking out My back window and not see her door open She was my aunt and closest neighbor, The With my cousin Chad, They have both Left in less than a year So sad, One day you are here The next you are gone, Tell everyone I said hello Aunt Dorothy, Love y'all

Walter Miller - March 20, 2025 at 11:52 AM