



# Dorothy Mary Louise Reeser

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**D**orothy Mary Louise Reeser, 85, Wildwood, Florida went to be with the Lord on January 19, 2024, at U.F. Health Leesburg Hospital surrounded by her loving family. Dorothy was born on August 21, 1938, in Brant Lake, New York to her parents Burr Smith and Mae (Hayes) Smith.

She moved to Sumter County, Florida from Melbourne, and originally from New York State 60 years ago. She was the former owner of the Chow-Hound Restaurant in Wildwood, Florida. When she first moved to the Wildwood area, she met Conway Twitty while working at the I-75 Truckstop. She was of the Christian faith. She loved her children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, great-great grandchildren and all the children she helped to babysit. She will be greatly missed by her family and all who knew her.

She is survived by her loving children: Tambrie McClellan of Oxford, FL and Eddie (Melanie) Reeser of Sumterville, FL and Cyndi Fussell (Greg) Williams of GA; 5 grandchildren: Kortney Reeser, Amber Leiva, Chris Sparkman; T.J. Pennington; and Savannah Pennington; 8 great-grandchildren: Katlynn Leiva, Dylan Leiva, Kiersten Leiva, Devyn Leiva, Brynlee Jinks, Anana Sparkman, Ariel Sparkman, and Addison Pennington; 4 great great-grandchildren: Charlie, Alaina, Carter, and Luca; many loving nieces and nephews.

Dorothy was preceded in death by her parents, her husband Don Reeser and all of her siblings.

A Celebration of Life Memorial Service will be held on Saturday, February 24, 2024 at 12:00 pm (Noon) at Banks, Page-Theus Funeral Home Chapel, Wildwood, Florida with Pastor Craig Attaway Officiating. There will be a Gathering prior to the Service at the funeral home from 10:00 am till the hour of service.

Online condolences may be shared by visiting [www.bankspagetheus.com](http://www.bankspagetheus.com) .  
Arrangements are entrusted to Banks/Page-Theus Funerals and Cremations.



# Events

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## Visitation prior to ceremony

- Saturday**, February 24, 2024
- 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM ET
- Banks/Page-Theus Chapel**  
410 Webster St, Wildwood FL 34785



## Celebration of Life Memorial Service

- Saturday**, February 24, 2024
- 12:00 PM ET
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## Cemetery Details

- Greenwood Cemetery**  
Wildwood FL 34785





## Tribute Wall

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CS

**Chin-Shue** posted:

I first met this kind, sassy and smiling woman at a bank that was located in the parking of the Wildwood Shopping Center in (2002) . She over a conversation I was having with another banker. I had just opened my title company in the same shopping center. She new I was in the real-estate/legal field and asked my advice on something. We hit it off and stayed in touch since then for a while. She was so proud of Eddie I got to know all about him even though we have not met yet. Then it hit me that Eddie was a distance neighbor of mine. Dorothy was so shocked I did not know. Then She started and helped form another new friendship. As I was told I must of been special as Dorothy was very picky on who she trusted and talked to. Enough said I think to show that this woman was someone special. Even with all that sass and her spit fire energy she will surely be missed.

January 23 at 6:01 AM

DF

**Dana Fortin** posted:

I remember her when I worked as a police officer in Wildwood. I worked with her son, Eddie. She was a wonderful person and I know that she will be missed.

January 21 at 4:24 PM

ET

**Ellen Taylor** posted:

My sweet little Dottie. I love you so much and I'm going to miss you. I did her hair for 30 years and she's been my friend. I'm so sorry Tambrie and Eddie and all the family for such a great loss of a wonderful person. Praying for comfort in this time of sorrow

February 4 at 3:49 PM

SF

**Stuart Force** posted:

I'm so sorry for your loss. She was a great lady and raised all of her children and extended children well. I don't think I will be back in Florida in time for the service. If I can help you in any way, please reach out to me.

January 26 at 4:56 AM



## Tribute Wall

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**Betty Mendenhall** lit a candle in honor of Dorothy.

betty mendenhall lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Reeser

January 25 at 6:32 PM



**Victor Ceglady** February 25 at 12:19 PM

Dorothy, the little red head with the big heart. she will be missed by all that knew her. ps, Marie is waiting for you



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Dorothy by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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