



Mrs. Dorothy Helen Allen

November 10, 1928 - March 16, 2018

Dorothy Helen Allen, 89, of Tallahassee, passed away on Friday, March 16, 2018.

A daughter of the late James Patrick Dwyer and the late Martyne Ruth McMonigle Dwyer, she was born November 10, 1928, in Chicago, Illinois. Also preceding her in death are her siblings, Kevin (Elaine) Dwyer, Robert Dwyer, Sr. and Martyne (Rei) Jokela. She was a retired accountant with the State of Florida and a faithful member at Saint Paul's United Methodist Church, where she taught Children's Sunday School for many years. In her earlier years, she enjoyed painting and riding horses. She was also an avid reader.

She is survived by her husband, James H. Allen, Jr.; children, Patrick James Allen and Nancy Allen Harrison; grandchildren, Jessica Green, Hensley Harrison, Joshua Manis, Mary Lyda Harrison and Kristie Manis. She is also survived by her siblings, James Patrick Dwyer, Thomas (Betty) Dwyer and Frank McMonigle; and a sister-in-law, Mary Dwyer.

Visitation is from 10:00 until 11:00 AM, Thursday, March 22, 2018, at Abbey Funeral Home, with the funeral service beginning at 11:00 AM. Interment follows at Roselawn Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to either Big Bend Hospice or to Saint Paul's United Methodist Church. Online condolences may be expressed at www.abbeyfh.com.

Cemetery Details

Roselawn Cemetery

Piedmont Drive
Tallahassee, FL 32308

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 22. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Abbey Funeral Home
4037 North Monroe Street
Tallahassee, FL 32303
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Service

MAR 22. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Abbey Funeral Home and Tallahassee Memory Gardens created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Dorothy Helen Allen*



Abbey Funeral Home and Tallahassee Memory Gardens - March 22, 2018 at 01:03 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Dorothy Helen Allen.*



March 21, 2018 at 12:59 PM



“ *Nancy, Mr Allen, and family Dad and I send our sincere condolences for your loss. Your mom was such a wonderful lady. Hugs and prayers to all.*

Alyson & Buddy Harrison - March 21, 2018 at 12:47 PM



“ *Nancy and all the family, we send our love and condolences in the loss of your mom. May God's strength carry you all through the days and weeks ahead. Much love from our family, Aunt Gail and Uncle Dan*

Gail and Dan McCall - March 20, 2018 at 03:55 PM



“ 63 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Abbey Funeral Home and Tallahassee Memory Gardens - March 20, 2018 at 01:42 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* was purchased for the family of Mrs. Dorothy Helen Allen.



March 20, 2018 at 12:42 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Mrs. Dorothy Helen Allen.



March 20, 2018 at 08:28 AM

BM

“ *Ms. Allen was a very sweet lady. I visited with her in the nursing home many times when I was there visiting my mom. Ms. Allen always smiled and I never heard her complain. She especially enjoyed Christmas music that we choir members from Saint Paul's enjoyed singing for residents.
May God grant peace to friends and family.*

Belinda McClellan - March 19, 2018 at 06:33 PM

LA

“ *Leslie Martyne Allen sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Dorothy Helen Allen*



Leslie Martyne Allen - March 19, 2018 at 03:08 PM

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“ *Leslie Martyne Allen lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Dorothy Helen Allen*



Leslie Martyne Allen - March 19, 2018 at 03:07 PM

LA

“ My mom and I collected remnant carpet pieces from discarded piles of carpet from the carpet stores for literally months. When she finally had all of the pieces she wanted and needed; she stitched them all together making such a beautiful wall to wall carpet for our home in Hollywood. She was a brilliant seamstress and sewed the huge mast flags for Rigotta sailboats in Miami,Florida. She made most of our special outfits including a portion of dresses for my wedding and my sister’s wedding as well.

She was also a volunteer at Timberlane Elementary school as a mentor to assist students with difficulty learning to read.

My memories of my mom could go on forever but these are simply a few that come to mind.

I love you mom and know you are with us always. Leslie Allen

Leslie Martyne Allen - March 19, 2018 at 03:04 PM

GS

“ Go2Church Pastors & Staff purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Dorothy Helen Allen.



Go2Church Pastors & Staff - March 19, 2018 at 12:36 PM

PW

“ My deepest Condolences. May God grant you Serenity, in your time of sorrow. God bless.

Pat Wilson - March 19, 2018 at 10:48 AM