



Mrs. Dorothy Aycock Hamon

July 13, 1932 - July 25, 2020

Statesboro, GA

Mrs. Dorothy Louise Aycock Hamon, passed away shortly after midnight, on Saturday, July 25, 2020, at Heritage Inn and Rehabilitation Center in Statesboro, Georgia. She died of complications from a broken hip and gall bladder surgery in January, 2020.

Though she was quarantined in a nursing home during the last six months of her life, she was kindly cared for by the staff, and she was in very little physical pain or mental distress. Her immediate family was able to sit with her a last time earlier in the week, saying goodbye, sharing our love, and releasing her. She passed as she had lived: confident and determined to do what she wanted.

Mrs. Hamon was a minister's wife, working tirelessly to support the ministry of her husband of seventy years, Rev. B. G. Hamon. When he received appointments from Georgia to California, she went with him, and when he travelled overseas, she stayed to keep the children and home. She could sing and work with the ladies' auxiliaries of the church. She never left home without being impeccably and appropriately dressed, always aware that she represented the church and her faith. She taught Sunday School, especially later in life when she led the adult Sunday School class at Long Branch Church of God, near her family farm in Jenkins County — the same class her father had taught for so many years before he passed.

She was a devoted mother and caretaker who would move mountains and people to help her children. Her loyalty and care knew no bounds. Her family looked to her for strength and wisdom, and she measured up.

She was also a scholar and educator. She returned to college in her 40s to earn her bachelor's and master's degrees, which she used to teach elementary school mostly in Jenkins County, Georgia. She had a sharp mind and was a voracious reader, which made study and learning easy and enjoyable for her. She encouraged her children to learn.

Finally, and most of all, Dorothy was a steady witness to her Christian faith and beliefs. She was not an aggressive person, but those who engaged her quickly learned her stand on living a holy and righteous life. She lived and she died in the security of unshakeable beliefs.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Jesse Matthew Aycock (1911-1993) and Exie Louise Brown Aycock (1915-2008) of Jenkins County, Georgia, an infant brother Jesse David Aycock (1934), and her daughter Lori Jeanine Hamon Dill (1965-2008). She is survived by her husband of seventy years Rev. B. G. Hamon of Statesboro; her children Keith Wayne Hamon (Daphne) of Macon, GA, Billy Randall Hamon (Kathy) of Remer, MN, Gary Curtis Hamon of Statesboro, and Julie Suzanne Hamon Wilson (David) of Statesboro; her siblings Shelby Aycock Harvell (Kenneth) of Covington, GA, Joann Aycock Hammond (Kenneth) of Statesboro, J. M. Aycock (Linda) of Statesboro, Dr. Robert G. Aycock (Dianna) of San Rafael, CA, and Deborah Aycock Fish (Ken) of Greenwood, SC; her grandchildren Cory Hamon (1976), Jason Hatcher (1977), Amy Hamon Wright (1979), Brent Hamon (1982), Bethany Hamon Pepin (1983), Emily Dill (1986), Blake Hamon (1986), Evan Dill (1987), Taylor Hamon (1987), Thomas Hamon (1991), Jonathan Lumpkin (1992), Sydney Hamon (1994), and Braden Dill (1998); and numerous great-grandchildren.

The funeral service will be held on Monday at 10:00 a.m. at the Long Branch Church of God with Rev. Britt Peavy and Rev. Leland Jeffers officiating. All social distancing guidelines will be observed.

Grandsons will serve as pallbearers.

Interment will be in the church cemetery.

Services are streamed using Face book Live through a private group. Only members of the group will be able to view the service. In order to view the service, log into Face book on your phone or computer and join the group "Joiner-Anderson Live stream at: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/jafhlive>.

The family requests that memorial contributions be made to Ogeechee Area Hospice, P.O. Box 531, Statesboro, GA 30459.

Friends may sign the online register book at www.joineranderson.com.

Joiner-Anderson Funeral Home & Crematory is in charge of the arrangements.

Cemetery

Long Branch Church of God Cemetery

5062 US HWY 25

GA,

Events

JUL **Service** 10:00AM

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Long Branch Church of God

5062 US HWY 25, Garfield, GA, US

Comments



“ Joy McCown lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Dorothy Aycock Hamon



Joy McCown - July 28, 2020 at 10:58 AM



“ My thoughts are with all of you today. Dot's was a life well-lived.

Ellen Cochran - July 27, 2020 at 10:34 AM



“ Thoughts and prayers are with you. She was a very kind person.
George & Patricia Black

George & Patricia Black - July 26, 2020 at 08:51 PM



“ Kathy lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Dorothy Aycock Hamon



Kathy - July 26, 2020 at 08:48 PM



“ To my Uncle Bill and all of Aunt Dot’s children and family...my heart and love go out to you at this time...as well as my prayers for God’s peace and comfort for you all. I will miss her til I see her again some day . Blessings and love to all of you! ~
Kathy Hamon Rhodes

Kathy - July 26, 2020 at 08:46 PM



“ Pat And Jennifer Hirsch lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Dorothy Aycock Hamon



Pat and Jennifer Hirsch - July 26, 2020 at 04:57 PM



“ Shelby & Kenneth and children purchased the Dreams From the Heart Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Dorothy Aycock Hamon.



Shelby & Kenneth and children - July 26, 2020 at 12:42 PM



“ It had to be the year 1965 as Lori was just a baby. Uncle Bill and Aunt Dot were in Charleston, SC at our house, we were getting ready to go somewhere. Aunt Dot was very busy getting ready, however, Lori needed some prune juice. She prepared the bottle with a small amount and I asked if I could give it to her and she reluctantly agreed as I was only about 8 yrs myself. Well, Lori finished the amount Aunt Dot prepared and enjoyed it so much that I prepared her "another" bottle and she drank it. Needless to say.....Aunt Dot was none to happy! Being the classy lady she was.....she said nothing but, her face said it all! Praying for you all, Cousin Rick



Richard E Kirkland - July 26, 2020 at 11:13 AM



“ Susan Hall Bazemore lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Dorothy Aycok Hamon



Susan Hall Bazemore - July 25, 2020 at 08:12 PM



“ Ms. Hamon always showed such strength. I had Braden in my classroom and she would bring him in every morning. On the days that I could help her get his chair and him out, I certainly would. But she by no means needed help! She would indeed move mountains for her babies! She will be missed greatly.

Michelle - July 25, 2020 at 05:44 PM



“ Martha&Carl Sutton Metter Ga lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Dorothy Aycock Hamon



Martha&Carl Sutton Metter Ga - July 25, 2020 at 04:37 PM



“ We loved her as a Pastor's wife, friend, and prayer partner. Heaven has gained a precious soul but we will miss her. Love to all her family.

Pat and Jennifer Hirsch - July 26, 2020 at 05:04 PM