



Dorothy Chicca Caccamise

January 19, 1925 - May 7, 2025

Dorothy Chicca Caccamise, a beloved mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, and friend, passed away peacefully at Talbot Hospice House on May 7, 2025, at the age of 100. Born on January 19, 1925, she was the daughter of Angelina A. Giovannoni and Joseph Alfred Chicca.

Dorothy was predeceased by her only child, Joseph Woodrow Caccamise, in April 2024; her grandson-in-law, Robert Wilkerson; and her sister, Armina "Nina" Cecilia. She is survived by her granddaughters: Kelly Wilkerson of Greensboro, MD; Kacey Smith (Christopher) of Odenton, MD; Kristie Amritt of Douglasville, GA; and Maria Caccamise of Thurmont, MD.

She also leaves behind a legacy of love in her great-grandchildren: Katelin Amritt, Samantha Smith, Sarah Smith, Korie Amritt Harris, Jared Amritt, Kenzie Amritt, Alexandra Wilkerson, Abigail Smith, Andrew Smith, and Joshua Wilkerson.

Born in Washington, D.C., Dorothy was a longtime resident of Arlington, Virginia, where she worked for many years at the Defense Intelligence Agency, proudly serving her country. She later made her home in Easton, MD with her son. But her greatest joy, by far, was her role as "Grandma C."

Dorothy cherished every moment with her grandchildren and great-

grandchildren — whether playing Rummy 500, shopping together, or celebrating holidays and birthdays, with Christmas holding a special place in her heart. She delighted in showering them with love, laughter, and gifts, always finding joy in picking out just the right things. Her handmade crocheted blankets, lovingly made for family and friends alike, became treasured keepsakes and lasting symbols of her kindness.

She had a lifelong love for playing cards, dogs, word searches, puzzles, and cheering on the Washington Redskins and Capitals.

Dorothy's warmth, kindness, and humor left a lasting impression on all who knew her. She was deeply loved and will be profoundly missed.

A catholic service will be held on Wednesday May 21st, 2025, starting at 11am at Fellows, Helfenbein, and Newnam Funeral Home in Easton, MD. Friends and family may call one hour prior to the service. Burial will take place at Lakemont Memorial Gardens at 1pm.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Talbot Hospice, <https://interland3.donorperfect.net/weblink/WebLink.aspx?name=E352248&id=1> or the ASPCA, https://secure.aspca.org/donate/ps-memory-sl-p1?ms=MP_PMK_GooglebrandMemorialSL&initialms=MP_PMK_GooglebrandMemorialSL&pcode=WEBMEMORYSLPPC&ds_rl=1066461&gad_source=1&gad_campaignid=11652982553&gbraid=0AAAAADp0NIX1sT30Ou8IQWurfkxisJx8O&gclid=CjwKCAjwulbB BhBvEiwAsNypvTHCJnckUyxI3x3Eqs7LcAc-FPXHi36AAglo7JtZ3RWjA7FMDfEp3BoCTdUQAvD_BwE&gclsrc=aw.ds.

Grandma C — your love and legacy live on in every heart you touched.

Cemetery Details

Lakemont Memorial Gardens

900 W. Central Ave.
Davidsonville, MD 21035

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 21. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A. - Easton
200 S. Harrison St.
Easton, MD 21601

Funeral Service

MAY 21. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Graveside Service

MAY 21. 1:00 PM (ET)

Lakemont Memorial Gardens
900 W. Central Ave.
Davidsonville, MD 21035

Tribute Wall



“ *Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Dorothy Chicca Caccamise*



Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home - May 21, 2025 at 10:16 AM

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“ *2 files added to the tribute wall*



Korie Amritt - May 19, 2025 at 11:39 PM

AB

My brother Ted Blitgen, his wife Valerie K Blitgen and me, Ann Blitgen all called her Aunt Dots. She love my folks Elizabeth and Glenn Blitgen very much. Aunt Dots was part of my life since I was a little girl. I used to her apartment in Arlington, VA, swim, eat treats and always have loved all of my life. My Valerie Blitgen her 100th birthday celebration very special. We loved talking to her everyday. She will always hold a very special place in our hearts. She was such an important person in the Blitgen's hearts. Now you are with so many that loved you and were loved by you. I love Aunt Dots and will never forget you. Ann Blitgen

Ann Blitgen - May 21, 2025 at 05:12 PM

AE

“ I had the pleasure of servicing Ms. Dorothy’s hair for a little over two years! She was such a wonderful lady! I’m going to miss her so much, especially our long talks and time together. May she rest in eternal peace ☐ 🙏



Amber Eldridge - May 12, 2025 at 09:14 PM

AE

“ Amber Eldridge lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Chicca Caccamise



Amber Eldridge - May 12, 2025 at 09:05 PM

AM

“ Dottie was a dear friend. We spent many hours at the Chatham Condominium playing cards and visiting with our dogs, Madonna and Asta. She will always have a special place in our hearts.
Ann Mahoney

Ann Mahoney - May 12, 2025 at 03:32 PM

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“ Kristie Amritt lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Chicca Caccamise



Kristie Amritt - May 09, 2025 at 09:18 AM

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“ Sharing some pictures of Grandma C. More to come.



Kristie Amritt - May 09, 2025 at 09:16 AM