



Dorothy Ireland Christopher

June 1, 1933 - February 20, 2012

Dorothy Ireland Christopher, 78, of Preston died on Monday, February 20, 2012 at the Memorial Hospital in Easton.

Born in Trappe on June 1, 1933, she was the daughter of the late William Charles Ireland and Marjorie Holt Pennington Ireland.

Mrs. Christopher graduated from Easton High School in 1951. She was formerly employed as a substitute teacher in Caroline County and was a mail carrier for thirty-five years. She was devoted to her family and friends and loved helping people in any way she could.

She is survived by her husband of 60 years, Ronald Eugene "Gene" Christopher, whom she married in 1951, a son, Chris Christopher of Preston, two daughters, Vicki Krajcovic and her husband, Dave of Colorado Springs, CO, and Phyllis Erickson and her husband, Ken of Dundalk, MD, three brothers, Albert Ireland and his wife, Monica of Easton, David Ireland of Preston, and Louis "Sonny" Ireland and his wife, Sharon of Easton, five sisters, Alice Corley of Waterloo, South Carolina, Nancy Goad of Sneads Ferry, North Carolina, Sue Covington of Easton, Sallie Ireland of Easton, and Joan Stover and her husband, Gene of Lincoln, DE, nine grandchildren, 16 great-grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews.

A memorial service will be held on Monday, February 27 at 2:00 P.M. at The Real Life Chapel Church of the Nazarene in Easton, where friends may call one hour prior to the service. Interment will be private.

Memorial contributions may be made in Memory of Mrs. Christopher, to the Alzheimer's Association Eastern Shore Chapter, 909 Progress Circle, Suite 400, Salisbury, MD 21804 or The Real Life Chapel Church of the Nazarene, 403 Hollyday St., Easton, MD 21601.

Arrangements are being handled by Fellows, Helfenbein & Newnam Funeral Home, P.A., 200 S. Harrison St., Easton, MD 21601.

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 27. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Real Life Chapel Church of the Nazarene
7 Glebe Road
Easton, MD

Service

FEB 27. 2:00 PM (ET)

Real Life Chapel Church of the Nazarene
7 Glebe Road
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Tribute Wall



“ *Dorothy Ireland Christopher*

October 26, 2023 at 06:42 PM



“ *Dorothy Ireland Christopher*

January 28, 2023 at 12:44 PM



“ *Dorothy Ireland Christopher*

January 28, 2023 at 08:03 AM



“ *Jennifer Marquardt lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Jennifer Marquardt - August 31, 2012 at 06:32 PM



Does not get any easier, miss you so much Dorothy!!

Jennifer Marquardt - August 31, 2012 at 06:33 PM

JM

“ *Jennifer Marquardt lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Jennifer Marquardt - June 03, 2012 at 07:40 AM

WC

“ *Missing you Grandma! XOXOX*



Wendy Christopher - April 30, 2012 at 08:19 AM

BO

“ *Bonnie Owens lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Bonnie Owens - March 04, 2012 at 09:54 AM

DC

“ *Danielle And Robert Curtin lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Danielle and Robert Curtin - February 28, 2012 at 08:32 PM

ME

“ *Melinda Ewing lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Melinda Ewing - February 27, 2012 at 07:29 PM

DB

“ *I have many memories of Dorothy but mostly I remember how much she loved her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren.*

Dianne Baxter - February 27, 2012 at 05:37 PM

SA

“ *Susan T. Andrew lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Susan T. Andrew - February 27, 2012 at 08:00 AM

CW

“ *Thinking of you.
The Walker Family*

Carolyn Walker - February 27, 2012 at 07:51 AM

DC

“ Don And Geri Creighton lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher



Don and Geri Creighton - February 27, 2012 at 06:52 AM

ST

“ Samantha Tucker lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher



Samantha Tucker - February 26, 2012 at 08:19 PM

MG

“ What a great family friend and sister in Christ! We are so blessed to have known and loved Dorothy and her family. We had the privilege of working in the church with her for many years, especially in Children’s Ministries. She trusted God and believed in prayer. She loved her God, family, friends and church. We will miss her smile and fun spirit. We pray you will find comfort in your wonderful memories knowing she is safely in the arms of her Jesus. Dorothy, until we meet again....Ms. Janice and Mr. Gordon

Ms. Janice and Mr. Gordon - February 26, 2012 at 08:01 PM

PT

“ *Peggy Tucker lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Peggy Tucker - February 26, 2012 at 06:58 PM

JS

“ *Jennifer Coleman Smith lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Jennifer Coleman Smith - February 26, 2012 at 10:02 AM

JG

“ *You are all in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time.*

John and Mary Gill - February 26, 2012 at 06:10 AM

CR

“ *Candy Chadwick Rishel sent a virtual gift in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Candy Chadwick Rishel - February 25, 2012 at 05:33 PM

CR

“ *Candy Chadwick Rishel lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Candy Chadwick Rishel - February 25, 2012 at 05:30 PM

SK

“ *Susanne Kays lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Susanne Kays - February 25, 2012 at 03:19 PM



“ *Mike Ireland lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



mike ireland - February 25, 2012 at 11:45 AM

RH

“ *Rhonda Hearn lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Rhonda Hearn - February 25, 2012 at 11:00 AM

DB

“ *Dawn Brown lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Dawn Brown - February 25, 2012 at 09:47 AM

SC

“ *Sandy Henry Chance lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



sandy henry chance - February 25, 2012 at 07:51 AM

DW

“ *Deb Christopher Wilson lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Deb Christopher Wilson - February 24, 2012 at 11:50 PM

RB

“ *Roy Bradley lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



roy bradley - February 24, 2012 at 10:03 PM

JE

“ Jodie Ellingsworth lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher



Jodie Ellingsworth - February 24, 2012 at 08:55 PM



“ Matthew Amber Fisher lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher



Matthew Amber Fisher - February 24, 2012 at 08:38 PM

MK

“ Mike And Carolyn Ireland And Kids lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher



Mike and Carolyn Ireland and kids - February 24, 2012 at 06:13 PM



“ Tina Carioscia lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher



Tina Carioscia - February 24, 2012 at 04:57 PM

MD

“ *Mandy Dodge lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



mandy dodge - February 24, 2012 at 03:11 PM

JB

“ *John and Lisa Biscoe*



jonathan biscoe - February 24, 2012 at 10:54 AM

AA

“ *Ann Abey lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



ann abey - February 24, 2012 at 10:33 AM

AW

“ *Amy Wilder lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Amy Wilder - February 24, 2012 at 09:43 AM

TH

“ *Tim & June Van Horn lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Tim & June Van Horn - February 24, 2012 at 09:30 AM

SG

“ *Sian Greenwood lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Sian Greenwood - February 24, 2012 at 09:20 AM

DL

“ *Dawn Lindsay lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Dawn Lindsay - February 24, 2012 at 09:05 AM

WC

“ *Grandma is the most devoted woman I've met. She didn't look at you for what you did or what you've done, she looked at you as an angel in her eyes. She always had a smile. She loved all children like they were her own. Joyce Crow said it so true that if everyone in this world was like Grandma, there would always be peace and love. She is the world to many of us. Grandma, you will forever be missed! We love you!*

Wendy Steve Christopher - February 24, 2012 at 08:58 AM



“ *Monica Quidas lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Monica Quidas - February 24, 2012 at 08:58 AM



“ *Michelle Colborn lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



michelle Colborn - February 24, 2012 at 08:57 AM



“ *Melissa Frost-Thomas lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Melissa Frost-Thomas - February 24, 2012 at 08:51 AM



Prayers go out to all who are blessed to have known and love you.

Melissa Frost-Thomas - February 24, 2012 at 08:53 AM

LC

“ *Lisa Christopher lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Lisa Christopher - February 24, 2012 at 08:51 AM

MB

“ *Michelle Bradley lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Michelle Bradley - February 24, 2012 at 08:49 AM

MK

“ *Merci Keener lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



merci keener - February 24, 2012 at 08:49 AM

WC

“ *1 file added to the album Grandma*



Wendy Steve Christopher - February 24, 2012 at 08:47 AM

WC

“ *Wendy Steve Christopher lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Wendy Steve Christopher - February 24, 2012 at 08:44 AM

MD

“ *Marie Dougherty lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Marie Dougherty - February 23, 2012 at 09:10 PM

JC

“ If everyone had the heart of love for people, family, friends, and God that Dorothy, WOW what a wonderful world this would be!! She will be missed so much by so many and only eternity will reveal the countless lives that Dorothy touched through the many years she served her Lord. She especially had a heart for children and gave so much of her time and self in Children's Camp for years--never wanting any recognition, but would always say, "This is what we are supposed to do, right-help the kids." I am thankful that I had the privilege of knowing her and having a friendship with her. Our Sunday School class will certainly miss her and her infectious smile and laughter. Dorothy has run her race and now is finally home at peace with self and God. God bless you family, may you know that her heart's desire was for all of you to know Jesus in a personal relationship. Cherish your wonderful family memories, that remain with us forever!



Joyce Crow - February 23, 2012 at 05:57 PM

MP

“ Mike & Terri Phillips lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher



Mike & Terri Phillips - February 23, 2012 at 12:22 PM

MP

Our thoughts and prayers go out to Dorothy's family. We are never ready for death to come but we know that she is shouting on the streets of glory and is having a beautiful home coming. She will be missed but we will carry her memories in our hearts.

Mike & Terri Phillips - February 23, 2012 at 12:26 PM

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Mike & Terri Phillips - February 23, 2012 at 12:26 PM

HB

“ *Hope Bonnell lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Hope Bonnell - February 23, 2012 at 07:55 AM

TF

“ *The Sutherland Family lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



The Sutherland Family - February 22, 2012 at 08:40 PM

KS

“ *I loved Dorothy's passion for her children/grandkids. Our hearts are prayers are with the family.*

Kevin & Joy Snow - February 22, 2012 at 10:07 AM

SP

“ *Sylvia Pinder lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Ireland Christopher*



Sylvia Pinder - February 21, 2012 at 08:23 PM