



Dorothy Mae Fuller

May 13, 1925 - October 4, 2018

Dorothy Mae Fuller, age 93, of the Belfast section of Cedar Bluff, Virginia, passed away Thursday, October 4, 2018 at her home.

She was born in Dickenson County and was the daughter of the late John and Lula Phillips Hamilton.

She was a lifelong resident of the area and was a retired teacher from Garden Elementary School having taught for over 40 years. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her sister, Frances Blanton; and four brothers, Garnett, Jessee, Clarence, and Lloyd Hamilton. She was the last surviving member of her immediate family.

Survivors are:

Her Husband: Claude H. Fuller

Son: Garnett Fuller and wife, Judy of Abingdon, Virginia

Daughter whom they raised: Jeri Roberts of Murrells Inlet, South Carolina

Grandson: Steven Fuller and wife, Traci

Great Grandchildren: Kaci Fuller Arnold and husband, Tyler; Steven Cole Fuller

Funeral services for Dorothy Fuller will be conducted Sunday, October 7, 2018 at 4pm at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Chapel in Richlands, Virginia with the Rev. Michelle Brock officiating. Interment will follow at Greenhills Memory Gardens on Monday, October 8, 2018 at 10am. Family and friends will serve as pallbearers. Friends may call from 2pm until 4pm on Sunday at the Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Belfast United Methodist Church, 291 Belfast Mills Road, Cedar Bluff, Virginia 24609. Hurst-Scott Funeral Home in Richlands, Virginia is in charge of arrangements and those wishing to express sympathy online may do so at www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com

Cemetery Details

Greenhills Memory Gardens

11800 Gov G.C. Peery Hwy
Cedar Bluff, VA 24609

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 7. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Hurst-Scott Funeral Home
1401 2nd Street
Richlands, VA 24641
<http://www.hurstscottfuneralhomes.com>

Service

OCT 7. 4:00 PM (ET)

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Committal Service

OCT 8. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Dorothy Mae Fuller*

January 14, 2023 at 04:24 PM



“ *Dorothy Mae Fuller*

January 14, 2023 at 02:26 PM



“ *Mrs. Fuller was my 5th grade teacher. She was a teacher that I feel made a difference in my life. She was fair, structured and caring. She kept me in from recess to give me extra help to pull up a grade. I appreciated her help because she wanted to help. I became a teacher, when I married my husband, I became Mrs. Fuller and I taught 5th grade. Pretty cool!*



rita fuller - January 27, 2021 at 10:49 AM



“ *This beautiful lady was my fifth grade teacher in the late 50's. I remember her beautiful smile. I was very fortunate to have known her.
God has another Angel.*

Linda Whitt Pendry - October 08, 2018 at 08:52 PM

TS

“ Mrs. Fuller was my 5th grade teacher. I tell everyone to this day she was the teacher that made my life change. In 4th grade, I didn't understand multiplication, it affected me negatively in 5th grade. I can't tell you the times Mrs. Fuller would take time during her breaks and after school to work with me one on one and make sure I understood math. Now at 46 yess old I still consider her the major shift towards the better in my life. I am so sorry for her family. The world lost a great educator, one who truly cared
Sincerely,
Tami Stanley

Tami stanley - October 07, 2018 at 06:23 PM

HM

“ So sorry to hear about the loss of Dorothy. She was a very special woman and a great teacher. She will be sorely missed. May God guide your family and give you strength and peace through this sad, trying time. We knew Dorothy well and she was a great friend. The Henry Mounts Family

Henry B mounts - October 07, 2018 at 11:42 AM

BW

“ Like hundreds of others I too was one of Mrs. Fuller's students in the 6th grade. She was a wonderful caring teacher. She treated us all like our Mom away from home. Garnett was in this same class. Remember Garnett - you had to sit in the 1st seat on the row. I thought you were so lucky. I am so sorry for your loss.

barbara. Hay Williams - October 07, 2018 at 09:55 AM

DS

“ Mrs Fuller was a wonderful woman. She was always kind and soft spoken. She taught several members of my family including my Dad. He never forgot Mrs. Fuller. They remained in touch throughout his life and became good friends. She will be missed by all who knew her.

Debra Blankenship Stacy - October 06, 2018 at 10:09 PM

RP

“ Claude and Garnett,so sorry to hear of the loss of this wonderful, loving,and giving,wife,mother and friend and TEACHER to so many of us who will never forget the wisdom,and everyday ways that we needed to learn, she never forgot us,I will never forget her, and thank her for all she taught us. I believe all who knew her Loved her,thank you MS. Fuller R.I.P -- 6th Grade-- Rondal Phillips

Ron Phillips - October 06, 2018 at 01:06 PM

TG

“ Dorothy will be greatly missed



tim denise greene - October 06, 2018 at 12:57 PM

MM

“ Mutt, Charlotte, Chas And Maggie lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Mae Fuller



Mutt, Charlotte, Chas and Maggie - October 06, 2018 at 12:17 PM

WK

“*Mrs. Fuller was a wonderful teacher and a big part of my life and inspiring person. we will deeply miss her..our prayers are with you and your family*

Wilma keen - October 06, 2018 at 12:12 PM

OW

“*Dorothy Fuller was an astonishing mentor. She had integrity and was determined to teach her children. Learned more English from her than in college. God bless your family. She taught me in the sixth grade at Garden Elementary. Olivia Wilson*

Olivia Wilson - October 06, 2018 at 11:56 AM

TL

“*Very sorry to hear this. Mrs. Fuller was a big part of my life at Garden Elementary. In her class you learned and behaved or else. She was respected by all her students and all that knew her -what a legacy!!*

Terry L Long - October 06, 2018 at 09:23 AM

CC

“ I loved Mrs Fuller like no other. I had her in fifth grade. Looking back I think I was a handful but she had patience with me like no other. I held on to everything she taught me which was rare as everything was hard for me to retain. She taught me so much. Christmas I got the prettiest locket. I didn't know who gave it to me until much later and I found she had. I still have all these years later. After I went to college I went back home one weekend and I saw her at the store in the parking lot and didn't think she would remember me but she turned around and said my name and held her arms out. I ran and hugged her. I am sure this is what Heaven was like when she entered those gates. Everyone running up her her and hugging her. I know she touched all of our lives. I love her. RIP Mrs Fuller. See you at the gates one day

Cathleen “Cat” Cantrell - October 06, 2018 at 07:32 AM

PR

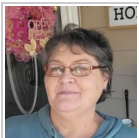
“ I worked and attended college with Dorothy. She was a beautiful person in every way. I pray God will see her family through the sorrow of her loss.

peggy ratliff - October 06, 2018 at 07:24 AM

HT

“ That picture of her, reminds me of my 6th Grade teacher. Love and Prayers to the family.

Helen Edwards Thompson - October 05, 2018 at 10:22 PM



“ Garnett I'm so sorry about your mom sending prayers

Joann Joyce - October 05, 2018 at 08:38 PM

KW

“ *Mrs. Fuller was an awesome teacher! She touched many lives. RIP*

Karen Davis Walk - October 05, 2018 at 03:52 PM



Mrs. Fuller was a wonderful teacher. Loved being in her classroom in the school year of '52/'53. We were in the "red chicken coop" behind the big building. Wonderful memories of those days.

Elsie Wooldridge Kreutter - October 06, 2018 at 06:47 AM

NH

Mrs. Fuller was a wonderful teacher. I had her in the 6th grade in the little red buildings behind the big building.

Nancy Hayes - October 06, 2018 at 10:13 PM

KB

“ *I'm so sorry to hear about Dorothy..... my thoughts and prayers are with you all!!!!*

Kim Burks - October 05, 2018 at 01:26 PM