



# Betty Jo Dortch

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## **Betty Jo Dortch**

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**I**t is with great sadness that we announce the passing of Ms. Betty Jo Dortch. She was born on August 13, 1934 in Nashville, Tennessee to the late Wiley Graham Mercer and Lillie Eudora Hill Mercer.

Betty had a servant's heart, faithfully serving as a Pentecostal minister and a Sunday school teacher. She caught the travel bug and spent time in Florida, the Dominican Republic, and Belize. Her family was most important to her, and she extended her love by cooking and baking anything from delicious pies, tasty roasts, and her famous banana pudding. She was an exceptional homemaker, mom, grandmother, and great-grandmother. She was a tender, sweet, loving soul whose presence will be deeply missed.

Betty is preceded in death by her parents Wiley and Lillie; first husband Orville Donald Thomas; second husband Johnny Dortch; brother Wiley Emery Mercer; and grandson Daniel Thomas Olive. She is survived by daughters Teresa "Tess" Thomas and Ginger Gebhardt (Chuck); sons Dennis Richardson and Gene Richardson; grandchildren Cory Walters (Stephanie) and Adryan Hawk; and a host of grandchildren, step-grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and step-great-grandchildren.

A visitation will be held on Tuesday, May 3rd, 2022 from 4-7PM at Spring Hill Funeral Home. A brief visitation period will be held on Wednesday, May 4th, 2022 at Spring Hill Funeral Home from 10-11AM with a chapel service at 11AM. Burial will take place at 1:00 PM the same day at Middle Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery, 7931 McCrory Lane, Nashville, TN 37221.



# Events

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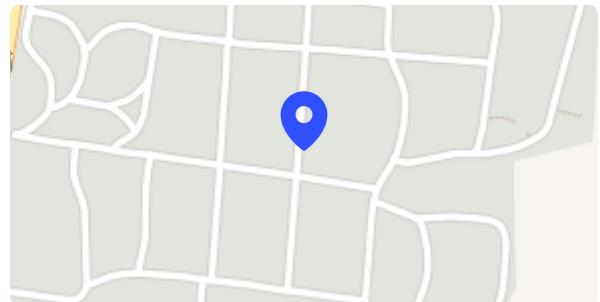
## Visitation

- Tuesday, May 3, 2022**
- 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM CT
- Spring Hill Funeral Home**  
5110 Gallatin Pike S, Nashville TN 37216



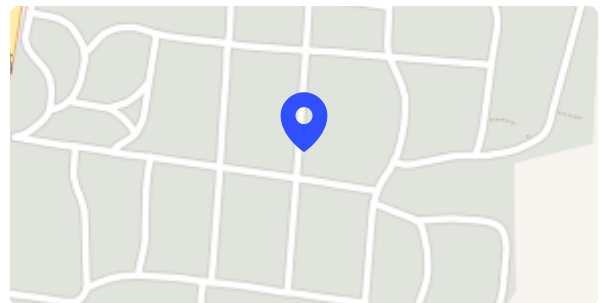
## Visitation

- Wednesday, May 4, 2022**
- 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM CT
- Spring Hill Funeral Home**  
5110 Gallatin Pike S, Nashville TN 37216



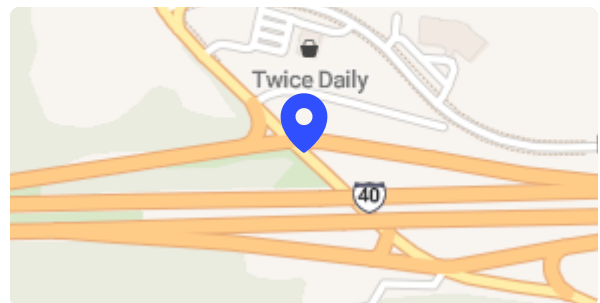
## Funeral Service

- Wednesday, May 4, 2022**
- 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM CT
- Spring Hill Funeral Home**  
5110 Gallatin Pike S, Nashville TN 37216



## Burial

- Wednesday, May 4, 2022**
- 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM CT
- Middle Tennessee State Veterans Cemetery**  
7931 McCrory Lane, Nashville TN 37221





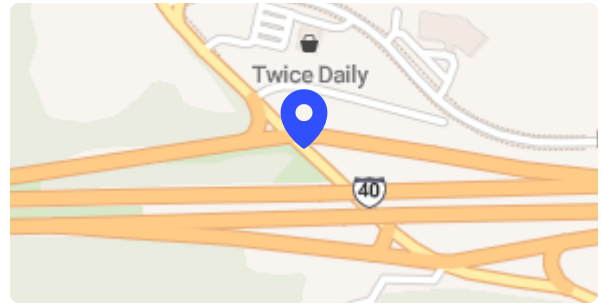
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## Cemetery Details

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## Tribute Wall

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**Cheryl Wilcox** posted:

My sweet friend, Betty. I am Blessed to have a friend like her. Betty's love just overflowed all around her and to this Singleton Family . Knowing how she loved me with her whole Heart makes me to know that I will continually carry her in my Heart.Love your friend Cheryl

May 1 at 3:04 PM



**Denn Rich** sent an A New Sunrise Spray to the Dortch family.



May 1 at 12:41 PM



**Marie Maddox** posted:

She was and always will be my "Glory". She was my friend and prayer warrior. Love her with all my heart. No doubt she has her wings. Such a special lady.

April 30 at 3:16 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Sweet Tenderness to the Dortch family.



April 29 at 3:17 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant to the Dortch family.



April 28 at 3:18 PM



**Denn Rich** shared an album called **Memories Album**.



April 28 at 12:04 PM



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**Denn Rich** posted:

TO THE MOST WONDERFUL LADY IN THE WHOLE WORLD, I LOVED YOU ALL MY LIFE , YOU ARE SO SPECIAL, I WILL MISS YOU EVERY DAY, WHAT A LOSS I HAVE NOW TO BARE, MY LIFE WILL NEVER BE THE SAME, IM HAPPY NOW TO KNOW THAT SHE IS WITH JESUS , REST IN PEACE MOM YOUR SONS DENNIS & GENE

April 28 at 10:19 AM



**Denn Rich** lit a candle in honor of Betty.



April 28 at 5:53 AM



**Karen Ford** lit a candle in honor of Betty.

With deepest sympathy for you and your family. Sending love and prayers Eddie and Karen Ford



April 27 at 11:48 AM



# Media

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Denn Rich shared a photo to the **Memories Album** album.

April 28 at 12:04 PM





## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Betty by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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