



## Dorothy Shearn Tyson

January 14, 1932 - May 6, 2017

Dorothy Shearn Tyson, 85, of Tallahassee, passed away on Saturday, May 6, 2017.

Dorothy was born in Centralia, Pennsylvania to the late Patrick Shearn and Rose Hines Shearn. She retired from the Department of Transportation in the planning division. Dorothy was also employed by the Florida State University Comptroller's Office and Athletic Department, Southeastern Telephone Company and the Northeast Florida State Hospital in Macclenny, FL. She was a member of the FSU Seminole Boosters and Baseball Bullpen Club. She also was one of the founding members of the St. Mary's Catholic Church in Macclenny.

She is survived by her husband of 63 years, Frederick S. Tyson of Tallahassee; daughter, Patricia (Carl) Kent of Tallahassee; grandson, Joseph Tyson Kent of Tallahassee; niece, Ronni Shearn of Bordenton, NJ and many nephews. She was preceded in death by her brothers, William Shearn of Numidia, PA; Francis Shearn of Bordentown, NJ, Bernard Shearn of Spotswood, NJ and John Shearn of Centralia, PA.

The family will receive friends from 9:30-10:30 a.m. on Friday, May 12, 2017 at Bevis Funeral Home, 2710 N. Monroe Street, with a memorial service following at 10:30 a.m. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Big Bend Hospice, 1723 Mahan Center Blvd., Tallahassee, FL 32308. Kelly Barber of Bevis Funeral Home (850-385-2193, [www.bevisfh.com](http://www.bevisfh.com)) is assisting the Tyson family with their arrangements.



# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 12. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Bevis Funeral Home & Crematory  
200 John Knox Rd  
Tallahassee, FL 32303  
(850) 385-2193

## Memorial Service

MAY 12. 10:30 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ 25 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Bevis Funeral Home - May 10, 2017 at 11:27 AM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Dorothy Shearn Tyson.*



May 09, 2017 at 11:39 PM



“ *Butch, and Vicki Shelfer lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Shearn Tyson*



Butch, and Vicki Shelfer - May 09, 2017 at 12:00 PM



“ Our deepest sympathies to the Tyson/ Kent family. We know that Mrs. Dottie was very loved and will be missed greatly. Heaven has gained another wonderful angel. We know she will be looking after her family. Our love and prayers ~ Beau and Amandalie Luttrell

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**Amandalie Luttrell** - May 09, 2017 at 11:19 AM



“ Amandalie Luttrell lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Shearn Tyson



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**Amandalie Luttrell** - May 09, 2017 at 11:13 AM



“ Patricia Kent lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Shearn Tyson



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**Patricia Kent** - May 09, 2017 at 11:08 AM