



## Dorothy Foland

January 5, 1929 - October 29, 2021

Dorothy Lee “Granny” Foland passed away October 29, 2021 at RiverWest Retirement Community in Wenatchee, WA. Dorothy was born to Mary L. Courtney and Ward O. Turner on January 5, 1929 in Fairfax, Virginia, and died peacefully after many years of loving care by her family and friends.

Dorothy married Derald G. Foland on January 28, 1950 and celebrated 37 years of marriage together, until Derald’s death in 1987. Dorothy was mother to 6 children. After Derald’s death, Dorothy purchased a small house on Fifth St, across from Wenatchee Valley College, where she lived until 2014, welcoming her family and friends with her hospitable and loving way.

Granny was deeply devoted to her children and their families all her life. There was nothing more important than family to Granny. She never wanted to impose on anyone, always wanted to share what she had, and lived simply and generously. Granny was an accomplished seamstress, sewing many dresses for cheerleaders and the drill teams, school dances, weddings, and celebrations around Wenatchee.

Dorothy is survived by her loving family: children Sherry (Mike) Scherbak, Terry (Steve) Reynolds, Derald Jr. (Patty) Foland, Rhoda (George) Dill, Jo Anna (Mark) Johnson, and Doug Foland, twelve grandchildren and ten great-grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her parents, husband, Derald, and

siblings, Harold Oscar Turner, and Fannie Mae Honomichl.

Dorothy's children and grandchildren will gather to celebrate her life with an intimate graveside service this week at Wenatchee Cemetery, where Dorothy will be buried alongside Derald.

# Tribute Wall

MJ

“ I loved Dorothy as a mother. She had a tiny house ( before they became fashionable), but her door was always open to all who entered. She lived simply but was as generous as anyone I’ve known. She was small in stature but had the biggest heart. At the end she was as frail as could be, but still had a quiet strength and self discipline. All who knew her, loved her as she loved them... unconditionally.

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**Mark Johnson** - November 08, 2021 at 07:31 PM

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**stephen Reynolds** - November 08, 2021 at 04:44 PM

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**Terry Reynolds** - November 08, 2021 at 04:24 PM

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**Terry Reynolds** - November 08, 2021 at 12:33 PM

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“ Terry Reynolds lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Foland



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**Terry Reynolds** - November 08, 2021 at 12:20 PM

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“ I was so truly blessed to have had Dorothy in my life. She was a wonderful, loving person. Her door and heart was always open to anyone. Although she had 6 children of her own, she was a 2nd mother to many, including me. I believe she met her true calling in her life, to be a loving, nurturing mother and grandmother. She was also so very talented, as a seamstress and crocheted beautifully. Even as she lost her eyesight and her fingers were arthritic, she continued to crochet her lovely dishcloths. Dorothy exuded love and caring. When I think of her, it is like thinking of having hot cocoa and your favorite cookie by a warm beautiful fireplace. She was so warm and homey. Rest in peace Dorothy. You will forever live in my fondest memories and heart. My deepest condolences to her loving family.

*Pammy Sue*

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**Pam Adams-Smiths** - November 07, 2021 at 01:32 PM

MJ

*This is perfect, Pam.*

**Mark Johnson** - November 09, 2021 at 08:54 AM

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*I worked with Dorothy at Hayes Cleaners. She was a great friend to all. I loved going to her home. We could talk for hours. In one of our talks we talked about dolls..For my birthday that year she had gotten me a doll with a dress she had crocheted! It took her 3 months to do the dress. During one our talks I had told her I had never had a doll growing up. I cherish that doll. She was truly one of a kind.*

**Cindy Dorey** - November 09, 2021 at 12:43 PM

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**Stacy Thomas** - November 07, 2021 at 01:10 PM

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**Stacy Thomas** - November 07, 2021 at 01:09 PM

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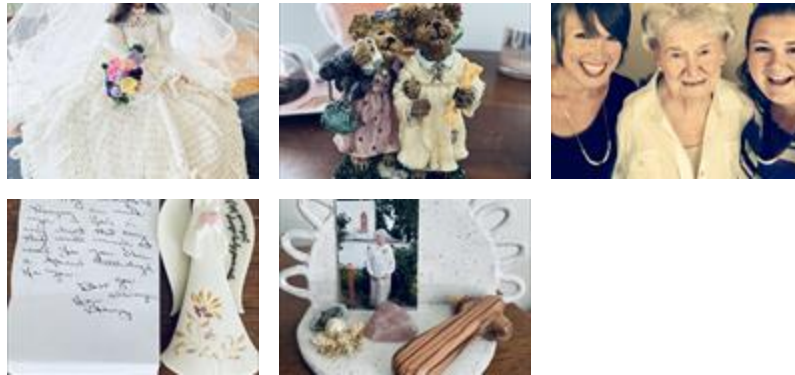
*Stacy - this is so sweet. He is such a special little man and Mom loved him dearly!*

*Ann*

**Terry Reynolds** - November 08, 2021 at 12:19 PM

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**Stacy Thomas** - November 07, 2021 at 12:57 PM



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**Jones & Jones~Betts Funeral Home** - November 04, 2021 at 01:41 PM