



Gloria "Jean" Dodson

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Gloria "Jean" Dodson, 78, of Sperryville, VA, passed away on Friday, January 16, 2026, at INOVA Fairfax Hospital. Jean was born in Washington, VA, to the late Virgil Lee Atkins and Mary Lois Clark Atkins.

Jean is survived by her children, Cynthia Jean Dodson McGhee (Kenneth), Gregory William Dodson (Tooie), Brian Lee Dodson (Amy), and Melissa Dawn Dodson; her grandchildren, Kayla McGhee, Shawn Dodson, Megan Dodson, and Emily Wines; her siblings, Billy Snead Atkins (Peggy) and Betty Lou Walter; cherished nieces and nephews; and her beloved grand-pup, Cody.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Lewis William Dodson; her granddaughter, Sidney Dodson; and her siblings, James Lee Atkins and Virgil Jackson Atkins.

Jean was a faithful believer in God whose life was reflected in her love for others. She had a gentle way about her and lovingly called everyone "precious." Jean became a member of Woodville Baptist Church when she was a very young girl and later in life enjoyed attending Reynolds Memorial Baptist Church.

Jean worked for Faith Mountain Company as a supervisor for 16 years. She received her bachelor's at a later age while working and raising her family, an accomplishment that she and her family took great pride in.

Jean was a devoted wife, loving mother, proud grandmother, and cherished sister whose kindness and quiet strength touched all that knew her. She had a compassion and love for everyone even if she had never met you in person. In the last several years, Jean found great joy in texting with her friends and loved ones.

Her family and friends were gifted every morning and night with a text of I love you and a prayer of having a good day or peaceful night. Jean's faith and strength for life never wavered and especially her love, as her lasts words were " I love you" to her children and grandchildren.



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The family will receive friends on Thursday, January 22, 2026, from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Found and Sons Funeral Chapel, 850 Sperryville Pike, Culpeper.

A funeral service will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Friday, January 23, 2026, at Reynolds Memorial Baptist Church, 3748 Sperryville Pike, Sperryville, VA, with Pastor Jon Heddleston and Pastor Carl Menefee officiating.

The family invites those unable to attend to watch via livestream at <https://view.oneroomstreaming.com/index.php?data=MTc2ODg2NzA2MzM5NzY3NSZvbmVyb29tLWFKbWluJmNvcHlfblGluaw==>

Interment will follow at Sperryville Cemetery.

Pallbearers will be Kenneth Baldwin, Ronnie Dodson, Jason Atkins, Charlie Clark, Dan Ellis, and Kenneth McGhee.

In lieu of flowers, the family kindly requests that donations be made in Jean's name to the Sperryville Volunteer Rescue Squad, 12 Main St., Sperryville, VA 22740.

An online guestbook and tribute wall are available at <https://www.foundandsons.com>



Events

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Visitation

Thursday, January 22, 2026

6:00 PM - 8:00 PM ET

Found and Sons Funeral Chapels & Cremation Service

850 Sperryville Pike, Culpeper VA 22701



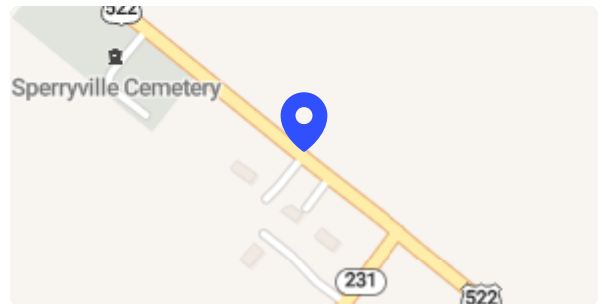
Funeral Service

Friday, January 23, 2026

2:00 PM ET

Reynold Memorial Baptist

3948 Sperryville Pike, Sperryville VA 22740

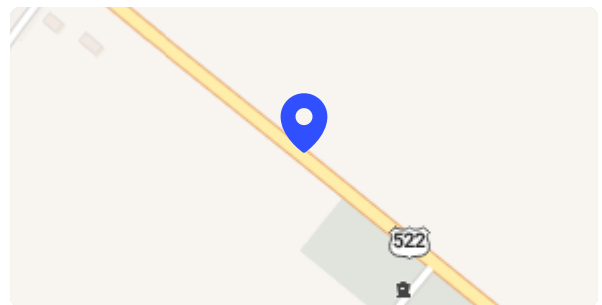


Burial

Friday, January 23, 2026

Sperryville Cemetery

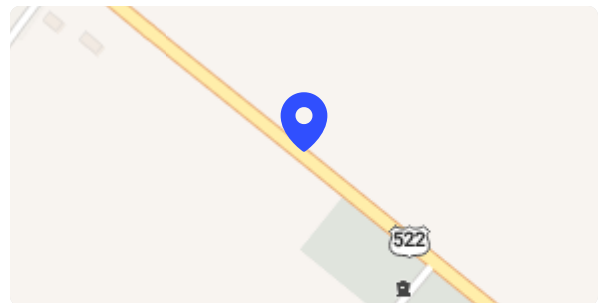
Sperryville Pike, Sperryville VA



Cemetery Details

Sperryville Cemetery

Sperryville Pike, Sperryville VA





Tribute Wall

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Carolyn Yowell lit a candle in honor of Gloria.

My thoughts and prayers goes out to Jean's family. I thank God that I was given the opportunity to have worked with, and known this wonderful lady. Jean had so much love for her family and friends that she glowed whenever she was around them. Always a smile or a laugh even when she wasn't feeling her best. I have to say this one last time "Beanie" rest in peace my friend as I know you are in God's hands.Until we meet again.Carolyn Yowell



January 22 at 11:31 PM



Lori Pullen lit a candle in honor of Gloria.

I am so very sorry to learn of Jean's passing. I worked with Jean at Faith Mountain and always found her to be a delightful caring person. She was always friendly and had a smile on her face. Rest well Jean, you have earned it. May peace and grace be with your family and friends as they journey this new road without your presence here. May their memories of you bring great comfort in the days ahead until you meet again.Lori PullenMadison, VA.



January 22 at 9:32 AM



Anonymous sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Dodson family.



January 21 at 2:42 PM



Betty Lou, Amanda, Matthew & Jackson sent a Forever Our Angel Bouquet to the Dodson family.



January 20 at 9:24 PM



Joyce And Dennis Ralls sent a Sentiments of Serenity Spray to the Dodson family.



January 20 at 4:08 PM



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Joyce And Dennis Ralls planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Gloria.



January 20 at 4:08 PM



Joanne E Welch posted:

I met this precious person when we both worked at Faith Mountain Company and I knew right away she would be a friend. Even though we have not seen each other for quite a while now Jean kept in touch with her "Good Nights" and "Good Mornings" on Facebook. Jean was so well liked and let me tell you she was a wonderful employee at Faith Mountain. I will miss knowing she is in Sperryville no longer but she is forever in my heart. I lift Jean's children and family up in my prayers as this will be a tough time for them for now but Jean left behind so much love for her children that I know they will be blessed and cared for by each other and their friends. GODS' Blessings to the Gloria "Jean" Dodson family. Joanne E Welch

January 20 at 2:20 PM



Lynn, April And Brenda sent a Forever Our Angel Bouquet to the Dodson family.



January 20 at 11:59 AM



Lynn, April And Brenda planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Gloria.



January 20 at 11:59 AM



Sheila Walter lit a candle in honor of Gloria.

Sheila Walter lit a candle in memory of Gloria Dodson



January 20 at 10:53 AM



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LD

Lisa Dodson lit a candle in honor of Gloria.

Prayers for the family during this time. May you rest in peace Jean we will miss you Ronnie and Lisa

January 19 at 9:53 PM



BW

Betty. A Walter lit a candle in honor of Gloria.

Jean was the Best Sister a girl could ever have. We shared a special bond throughout the years especially in raising our children and enjoying so many precious memories with them. She was loved deeply by everyone that knew her. Another big piece of my heart now enters heaven's door but one day we will be reunited again. I Love You forever Dear Lady. ♥️🙏♥️ Betty Lou

January 19 at 9:15 PM



PD

Penny Dodson posted:

Jean faithfully set me a message almost every night telling me she good night and she loved all my family. I certainly will miss those messages. RIP Jean and please tell my mom and dad I love them.



January 19 at 8:32 PM

SF

Shannon & Family sent a Rose Remembrance to the Dodson family.

January 19 at 8:32 PM



AJ

Angela Jenkins lit a candle in honor of Gloria.

My precious friend Jean, you will definitely be missed. I have many precious memories of you, from the many years working together at Faith Mountain, to me and my sibling's growing up with Cindy, Greg, Brian and Dawn! We love you all! RIP my dear friend! Much love and prayers to the family. Love, Angie Jenkins Weaver

January 19 at 7:39 PM





Memories only last if you share them

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



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