



Dorothy Scott

November 5, 1936 - March 29, 2025

A Life of Quiet Strength and Enduring Love:
The Story of Dorothy Scott

Dorothy Scott was born on November 5, 1936, in Greensville, Virginia, the beloved eldest of nine children to the late Maceo Baker and Annie Lucille Baker. From the very beginning, Dorothy embraced the quiet responsibility of being an older sister, setting an example of kindness, loyalty, and strength that would come to define her life.

Her spiritual journey began early when she accepted Christ as her Lord and Savior at Diamond Grove Baptist Church. Later in life, she became a devoted member of Israel Baptist Church, where her quiet faith continued to guide her steps.

As a young woman, Dorothy moved to Buffalo, New York, where she lived with her aunt while seeking work to help support her widowed mother and younger siblings. Her selflessness and sense of duty were evident even then—her family always came first.

Eventually, she returned to Virginia, where fate introduced her to the love of her life, Louis E. Scott, Jr. The two were united in holy matrimony on January 26, 1957, in Emporia, Virginia. Their union was blessed with five children, and

together, they built a life rooted in devotion and love.

Dorothy and Louis later relocated to Baltimore, Maryland, where they raised their family. For 42 years, Baltimore was home—a place where Dorothy created memories, provided unwavering support, and nurtured her children with care and quiet grace. She worked first as a homemaker, then at Acme Packing Co. as a Line Lead, and eventually retired from Broadmead Assisted Living as a Housekeeper. No matter the role, Dorothy brought a strong work ethic and a high standard of performance to everything she did. She was known for taking pride in her work, often going above and beyond what was expected of her. Her diligence and reliability were a reflection of her character—quietly consistent, deeply committed, and always dependable.

Later in life, she returned to Virginia once more, this time to live with her youngest daughter and son-in-law. Surrounded by family and love, she continued to be a steady presence and a source of wisdom.

In her leisure, Dorothy found joy in the simple things—solving word puzzles, coloring and drawing, and watching family home videos on VHS. She had a deep appreciation for history, especially that of her own family, and she loved sharing stories from the past. Those who knew her best describe her as loving, kind, and fiercely protective. She was maternal, modest, deeply spiritual, and an artist at heart.

Dorothy now rests in eternal peace, reunited with her beloved husband, Louis E. Scott, Jr.; son, Christopher Scott; mother and father, Maceo and Annie Lucille Baker; and her siblings, Jimmy Lee Baker, Inell Parker, Evelyn Lewis, and James E. Baker.

She leaves behind a legacy of love and resilience in the hearts of her children—Diana Maultsby-Scott, Angela Outing (David), Louis Edward Scott (Irene),

and Gregory Scott (Michelle); grandchildren—Keisha, Gia, Brianna, Ayanna, Brandi, Brandon, Ajah, and Ahmara; great-grandchildren—Heaven, Neva'eh, Aub're, Ian, and Gian; great-great-grandchild, Ni'yon; three step-grandchildren—Nicole, Natalie, and Yasiel; and eight step-great-grandchildren. She is also remembered fondly by a host of in-laws, aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, and dear friends.

Her story is one of quiet strength, deep love, and enduring faith. She will be missed, but never forgotten.

Cemetery Details

Baltimore Cemetery

Baltimore, MD

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

APR 4. 12:00 PM (ET)

Faith & Family Church
7900 Walmsley Blvd
North Chesterfield, VA 23235

Tribute Wall

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“ *The Ballards purchased the Heavenly Heights Bouquet for the family of Dorothy Scott.*



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“ *We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.*

March Funeral Homes - April 02, 2025 at 09:36 AM