



## Dorothy "Dottie" Emogene Watson

December 20, 1930 - November 28, 2013

Dorothy "Dottie" Emogene Watson, 82, of Scott Depot, died at home on Thanksgiving Day, November 28, 2013, surrounded by her family.

She was born in Clendenin, WV, to the late John Claude and Gladys Olena Bird Johnson. She is survived by her loving husband of 63 years, Gene E. Watson of Scott Depot; son, Dr. Gene E. Watson, II, daughter-in-law, Vinnie S. Watson, and granddaughter, Caroline E. Watson, all of Rochester, New York; grandson, Ryan A. Watson of Philadelphia; sisters Betty L. Ellis (Gary) and Peggy S. Jones (Larry) of Scott Depot; sisters-in-law Susan Johnson of Charleston and Greyann Nida (Baxter) of South Charleston; and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was a graduate of Stonewall Jackson High School, Morris Harvey College (B.A. in Education), and Marshall University (M.A. in Education). She was a teacher at Lakewood Elementary School in St. Albans for 25 years, prior to retiring from Kanawha County Schools. She was a lifetime member of the National Education Association and an honorary member of the Alpha Beta Chapter of Alpha Delta Kappa.

Dorothy lived in Switzerland for 7 years with her husband, Gene, who worked at the European Headquarters for Union Carbide in Geneva. During that time she learned to speak French, and traveled extensively in Europe, Asia, and

Africa.

She was a former member and Sunday school teacher at Highlawn Presbyterian Church in St. Albans, prior to moving to Scott Depot in 1980. Before her long illness, she attended Mount Vernon Baptist Church in Scott Depot, where she was also a member of the choir.

Viewing will be on Sunday, December 1, from 6:00 to 8:00pm at Chapman Funeral Home, Hurricane.

Service will be on Monday, December 2, at 11:00am at the funeral home with Dr. Jeffrey Johnson officiating. Burial will be at the Mount Vernon Cemetery in Hurricane.

In lieu of flowers the family suggests donations to the Union Mission.

# Cemetery Details

## Mount Vernon Cemetery

2150 Mount Vernon Road  
Hurricane, WV 25526

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 1. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Chapman Funeral Home Hurricane  
3941 Teays Valley Road  
Hurricane, WV 25526  
(304) 757-7531  
info@chapmanfuneralhomes.com  
<https://www.chapmanfuneralhomes.com>

## Funeral Service

DEC 2. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



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