



## Dorothy S. Disharoon

November 12, 1918 - October 26, 2007

Dorothy S. Disharoon, 88, of Seaford, formerly of Delmar, died Friday, October 26, 2007 at Nanticoke Memorial Hospital in Seaford. At the time of her death she was surrounded by her family.

Dot was the daughter of the late Joseph and Edith Small. She was born in Delmar, Maryland and lived her life in this area. Dorothy married John M. Disharoon on April 2, 1942. Her greatest pride and joy was her marriage to John and the success of her children.

As a young woman, Dorothy was active in sports. She loved playing volleyball. She enjoyed camping with her family and friends. She was an active member of St. Stephen's United Methodist Church in Delmar for many years. Dorothy's primary occupation was raising her family. She had employment outside of her family at Montgomery Wards, Citizen's Gas and as a teacher's aide at the Delmar School. She also helped her son Stephen establish "The Drug Store" in Hurlock by working as a clerk on Saturdays for many years. Dorothy was passionate about her community and she and her husband, John, worked countless hours at the Senior Center in Laurel. In recent years she and John lived at the Methodist Manor House in Seaford.

In addition to her husband, she is survived by 2 sons, Frederick Disharoon and his wife Patricia and Stephen Disharoon; 2 grandchildren, Ricky

Disharoon and his wife, Sherry and Dawn Rothermel and her husband, Danny; 6 great-grandchildren, Ryan, Jaclyn, Mollie, Whitney, Zoe and Bay; and one great-great grandchild, Colin.

A funeral service will be held on Monday, October 29, 2007 at 1:00 p.m. at Short Funeral Home, 13 E. Grove Street, Delmar, where family and friends may call from 12:00 to 1:00. The Reverend Dr. R. Jervis Cooke will officiate. Interment will follow the services at St. Stephen's Cemetery in Delmar. The gentleman serving as the casket bearers will be, Ricky Disharoon, Ryan Disharoon, Danny Rothermel, Bob Martin, Tinsley Meekins, Leonard Zeller and Wayne Walbert.

Memorial contributions may be made in her memory to: Delmar Fire Department, P.O. Box 143, Delmar, DE 19940.

Online condolences may be sent to the family by visiting [www.shortfh.com](http://www.shortfh.com).

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **29**. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Short Funeral Home  
13 E. Grove Street  
Delmar, De

## Service

OCT **29**. 1:00 PM (ET)

Short Funeral Home  
13 E. Grove Street  
Delmar, De

# Tribute Wall



“ *Dorothy S. Disharoon*

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January 29, 2023 at 01:28 PM



“ *Fred & Pat,*  
*W're so sorry to learn of your loss of your mom. Our prayer is that you will find comfort in cherished memories and a peace that passes understanding from the Lord Jesus.*  
*Benny & Dru Vanderwende##imported-begin##Dru Vanderwend##imported-end##*

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November 08, 2007 at 01:08 AM



“ *Rick and Sherry,*  
*I just read about the lost of your grandmother. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at your time of lost.##imported-begin##Grace##imported-end##*

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November 07, 2007 at 11:56 AM



“ I am So Sorry to hear about your loss. After taking care of Dot for 2 years I became attached to her, I used to call her dottie mae. she used to make us laugh with all the things she used to do, like holler for tissue to wipe her running nose or holler when she thought that she was going to fall while walking her to the bathroom. We sat and talked about her today it surely isnt the same. I looked over at where her chair used to be and smiled at all the thoughts I had of her. I used to go in her room in the morning to get her and John up and she always said i've been up all night long waiting on you to come in here then she would smile and holler for John to get up. She is truely missed and will always be thought of. May God bless you in your time of sorrow. It will get better, God never gives you TOO much to handle. She is indeed in a better place.##imported-begin##Christina Benson (Resident Assistant)##imported-end##

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October 30, 2007 at 05:02 PM



“ Steve and Family, I'm unable to be at the funeral today due to a prior commitment, but you will be in my thoughts. So very sorry to hear of your loss. Susan##imported-begin##Susan Taylor##imported-end##

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October 29, 2007 at 08:34 AM