



## Doris Lorean Lipe Bottoms

August 11, 1931 - February 18, 2014

Doris Lorean Lipe Bottoms, 82, of Charlotte, died Tuesday, February 18, 2014, at the Golden Living Care Center in Charlotte.

Lorean was born in Charlotte on August 11, 1931, the first child of Virgil Lee and Lille Louise (nee Houser) Lipe. She grew up in Charlotte and attended Tech High School. Upon graduation, she worked for Southern Bell in advertising. There she was responsible for the Yellow Pages. She was promoted within the company and retired from a clerical position within the office pool for the classified section. Lorean loved her job and she often spoke of it. She retired from Bellsouth in 1981. Lorean loved shopping and reading, but most of all, the love of her life, Richard Bottoms, whom she married in 1984. They were married 31 years before he preceded her in death in December of 2012. Both Richard and Lorean were blessed to be cared for by the family and staff of Golden Living Care Center and both left this earth while residing there.

Lorean is survived by her sister, Mildred Mullis and her husband, Joe, of Peachtree City, Georgia; a niece, Melinda Mullis of Honolulu, Hawaii; a great nephew, Chase Mullis of Honolulu; and numerous other family and friends. Lorean's family has given the privilege of serving them to the family of Lowe-Neddo Funeral Home, 4715 Margaret Wallace Road, Matthews, NC 28105. A celebration honoring the life of Lorean will be held Thursday, February 20, 2014, at 1:00 PM in the chapel of the funeral home. The family will receive friends at the funeral home for one hour prior to the service. Following

services, burial will take place at Gethsemane Memorial Gardens.

In honor of Lorean, the family respectfully requests donations in her name be made to the charity of your choice or one of the following: Hospice and Palliative Care Charlotte Region <http://www.hpccr.org/> or Saint Jude's Children's Hospital <http://www.stjude.org/>

# Cemetery Details

## Gethsemane Cemetery and Memorial Gardens

1504 West Sugar Creek Road  
Charlotte, NC 28262  
info@gethsemanememorialgardens.com  
<http://www.gethsemanememorial.com>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 20. 12:00 PM (ET)

Lowe-Neddo Funeral Home  
4715 Margaret Wallace Road  
Matthews, NC 28105  
(866) 682-4043  
info@loweneddo.com  
<https://www.loweneddofuneralhome.com>

## Service

FEB 20. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Doris Lorean Lipe Bottoms*

October 05, 2023 at 07:26 AM



“ *Doris Lorean Lipe Bottoms*

October 24, 2022 at 08:52 PM



“ *I was a classmate of "Lorean" at Tech High School and enjoyed knowing her there. I have not heard from her in many years. I also worked at Southern Bell from 1970 to 1990. It's strange but I went to that nursing home several times in the last few months to visit a patient. I had no idea that Lorean was there. My prayers to the family. Sincerely, Patsy Rhyne Hoffman.*



**Pat Rhyne Hoffman** - February 19, 2014 at 09:00 PM