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Oretha J. Thompson, age 85, of Howey-In-The-Hills, left this earth for Heaven on Thursday, February 27. She was born in Wayne County, West Virginia and moved to Florida in 1960 with her husband and twin girls. She was a bookkeeper and loved to garden and enjoyed working in the outdoors.

Oretha loved working in her yard and received the Yard of the Month award on multiple occasions. She is survived by her husband, Dennis, her twin daughters Cynthia and Crystal; her two sons, Timothy and Tracy and 2 stepchildren, Crystal and Nate; sisters Joann Priep and Mary Fox; brothers Larry, Gardland Jr., Charles and David Copley. She had 4 grandchildren and 1 great grandson and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her sister Barbara and brother Kenneth. A Celebration of Life service will be scheduled at a later date.



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Ginger Copley Steward posted:

As I reflect back to my childhood, my Aunt Reth was a huge part of it. I have great memories of hanging out at her house with my cousin's. She was a great cook, her soup beans were the best. She was a sweet lady, one that will be truly missed. One thing I will never forget, and I hear her telling me this often, "Ginger, stand up straight, your gonna be a sloucher when you grow up". To this day I catch myself putting my shoulders back just like my sweet Aunt Reth told me too. I am thankful for the great memories, my heart goes out to Dennis and my four cousins, I know you'll miss her dearly.♥
Love you allGinger

March 4 at 3:04 PM



Anonymous sent an Eternal Love to the Thompson family.



March 3 at 2:52 PM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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