



Dorothy Shirley Cantu

August 9, 1944 - July 24, 2023

Dorothy Shirley Talk Cantu, 78, loving mother, grandmother, sister, aunt, sister-in-law, friend and faithful servant of Christ, passed away Monday, July 24, 2023 in a local hospital.

Visitation: 10 AM to 12 PM Saturday, August 19, 2023 at The Life Church-Dallas, 18610 Marsh Lane, Dallas, Texas, 75287, followed immediately by Funeral Services at 12 PM. A private committal will follow at a later date.

Dorothy Cantu was born on August 9, 1944, to the late Harry Talk, Sr. and the late Nellie Upshaw Talk in Gallup, New Mexico. She received her education at Gallup Public Schools and was an enrolled member of the Navajo Nation.

Dorothy worked for several years as a Cook at Wilson Elementary and then later as the Custodian at the Education Service Center for Bartlesville Public Schools, in Bartlesville, Oklahoma. She enjoyed mowing the church lawn at Truth Tabernacle United Pentecostal Church, Bartlesville, OK for 30 years and then moved to Texas where she enjoyed serving as a member of The Life Church-Dallas.

Dorothy was a hard worker who showed her love for others by providing many delicious meals, entertaining family and friends with her hilarious humor, building furniture with her hands, and giving the best hugs. She enjoyed

reading especially her Bible every day.

Survivors include children Raquel "Rachel" Cantu, Jose E "Sonny" Cantu III, grandchildren, Harley Cantu and Armando "Sapo" Cantu, brother Harry Talk, Jr., sister Winifred "Rose" Talk, as well as numerous loving nieces, nephews, brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, and friends.

Dorothy was preceded in death by her beloved son, David Isaac Cantu, brothers Ned Talk, Allen R. Talk, Sr., Kenneth J. Talk, Sr., sisters Treva Talk, Mae Skinner, Marie Manuelito, Rose Marie Henderson, and Mattie Singer.

Previous Events

Public Viewing

AUG 19. 10:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

The Life Church
18610 Marsh Lane
Dallas, TX

Funeral Service

AUG 19. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (CT)

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Dallas, TX

Tribute Wall

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“ Roger and Donna Buchanan,Jeremy and Cady purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Dorothy Shirley Cantu.



Roger and Donna Buchanan,Jeremy and Cady - August 15, 2023 at 01:37 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Dorothy Shirley Cantu.



August 09, 2023 at 11:41 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Dorothy Shirley Cantu.

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“ Susan Lauffer and Amy Burruss planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dorothy Shirley Cantu.

Susan Lauffer and Amy Burruss - August 07, 2023 at 04:49 PM

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“ *Susan Lauffer and Amy Burruss purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Dorothy Shirley Cantu.*



Susan Lauffer and Amy Burruss - August 07, 2023 at 04:49 PM