



Diantha June Knutson

August 21, 1938 - August 19, 2021

Diantha June Knutson, 82, of Huntersville, passed away on August 19, 2021. She was born on August 21, 1938, in Ross, California, to the late Knox and Freda Sexton.

Mrs. K, as she was known, was reared in Grandview Washington. She married Robert Knutson, then serving in the US Navy, and moved to Hawaii. Along with her husband she dedicated her life to spreading the Gospel of Jesus Christ in Hawaii and the South Pacific. Together they founded Lanakila Baptist Church and Schools.

She earned degrees from Baptist Bible College, Liberty University, and the University of North Carolina. She loved education and faithfully taught Sunday School, trained teachers, and served as principal of Victory School in Anaheim, California.

She loved playing games, singing, and traveling, especially with family and friends. She was a present, creative, and loving mother to her children, Pennie, and Mike. To her friends she was loyal and fun. As a pastor's wife she was dedicated to the workings of the church, bringing her talent and passion to bear on administration, teaching, music ministry, and counseling.

In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by her brothers Jack, Bob, and Mike Sexton.

She is survived by her loving children Pennie Knutson Hatcher (David) of Manaus, Brazil, Michael Knutson (Tanya) of Huntersville, North Carolina, and her grandchildren, Max, and Julia Knutson.

Funeral services will be held at 3pm on Sunday, August 29, 2021, at Cavin-Cook Funeral Home, Mooresville. The family will receive visitors at the same location from 2-3pm.

For those who are unable to attend the service, you may go to the following link for the live stream <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC864hAs96dTRLVVL1Ia0Qlw/videos?view=2&flow=list>

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home, Mooresville, is serving the family of Mrs. Knutson. Condolences may be made to the family at www.cavin-cook.com.

Cemetery Details

Salisbury National Cemetery

501 Statesville Blvd
Salisbury, NC 28144

Previous Events

Receiving Friends

AUG 29. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Cavin-Cook Funeral Home
494 E. Plaza Drive
Mooresville, NC 28115

Funeral Service

AUG 29. 3:00 PM - 3:45 PM (ET)

Cavin-Cook Chapel
494 E. Plaza Drive
Mooresville, NC 28115

Graveside Service

SEP 3. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

SD

“ *My husband, John Dyer became born again under their ministry in Lanakila, Hawaii about 48 years ago.*

Sharon Dyer - August 28, 2021 at 04:54 PM

TJ

“ *We so loved her caring for others and her love for Jesus. She was such a blessing to our Sunday School class at Trinity Baptist. Sharing her musical talent each Sunday to our class in voice and piano. DR. K , as we called him, was our teacher and she was such a helpmate to him. It seems so appropriate that she went to be with the Lord in a place where she and Dr. K served as missionaries for many years. Prayers for the family*

Tommy and Johnnie Johnston - August 27, 2021 at 12:36 PM

MW

She was a horrible person she used to beat the he'll out of me with that Dame paddle. She loved inflicting pain on other . Burn in hell.

Mike winters - September 09, 2022 at 06:47 PM