



## Dorothy Dean Fort Wall

September 20, 1916 - August 6, 2019

Dorothy Dean Fort Wall, formerly of Bessemer, Alabama, passed away on August 6, 2019 in Santa Rosa Beach, Florida. She was born in Hopkinsville, Kentucky in 1916. Dorothy moved with her family to Bessemer as a child. She attended Bessemer High School where she met her future husband, Edward Carson Wall. She and Carson were married for 44 years until his passing in 1985. The couple were active in the congregation of Bessemer First Baptist Church as well as Jonesboro Elementary and Bessemer High School PTAs. Dorothy was also a member of the Bessemer Amity Club. During World War II, with her husband away in the Pacific, Dorothy worked for the Pullman Standard Company in Bessemer. She later joined the staff of Bessemer State Technical College, retiring as a secretary in the Nursing Department. She is survived by her daughter and son-in-law, Sharon and H.D. Mitchell; her son and daughter-in-law, Edward and Dale Wall; her grandchildren, Channing Selby, Chase Mitchell, Taylor Meyer, Evan Wall and Griffen Galluzzi, their spouses, and great grandchildren, Caden and Carson Felton. Dorothy was preceded in death by her parents, husband and seven brothers and sisters. Funeral service will be Friday, August 9, 2019 at 11:00 a.m. at Bessemer Brown Service Funeral Home with burial following at Cedar Hill Cemetery. Dr. Earl Tew will be officiating the service. The family will receive friends Friday from 10:00 a.m. until service time.