



## Beatrice Dainese Dowd

January 20, 1933 - January 15, 2024

Beatrice Dainese Jackson Dowd, widow of O.F. (Buddy) Dowd passed away peacefully on Monday, January 15, 2024.

Dainese was born January 20, 1933 to Bainbridge D Jackson and Maxine West

Jackson of Fayetteville, NC.

Dainese attended Cedar Creek School and Stedman High School where she made

many lifelong friends. In 1950 she married her high school sweetheart, Buddy Dowd, they shared 69 years together.

Dainese was a great wife, mother, grandmother. A lot of her time was spent preparing meals for her family and any friends that dropped by at mealtime.

She was a member of White Oak Baptist Church. She often visited “shut-ins” in

the community and on Sundays was often found caring for infants and children

during the worship hour.

In 1973 when her youngest child started school she began working in the White Oak

School cafeteria and later Bladen Lakes Elementary School. She enjoyed interacting

with the students, teachers and “lunchroom ladies” until her retirement in 1998

Dainese’s family was her proudest accomplishment.

Dainese is survived by daughters Treva Towne (Charles) of Charleston SC,  
Judy Strickland  
(Doug) of White Oak, NC. Her two sons Keith (Mary Alice) and Tracy (Crystal)  
all of  
White Oak, NC. 10 Grandchildren and 16 Great grandchildren. Many nieces  
and nephews.  
A memorial service will be held at 1:00 pm, Saturday, January 20, 2024 in  
White Oak Baptist  
Church. The family will receive friends 11:30 till 1:00 p.m.  
In lieu of flowers memorials may be given to White Oak Baptist Church, P.O.  
Box 296, White  
Oak, NC 28399 or Lower Cape Fear Hospice, 1414 Physicians Drive,  
Wilmington, NC 28401

# Previous Events

## Friends and Family

JAN 20. 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

White Oak Baptist Church  
9724 NC-53  
White Oak, NC 28399

## Memorial Service

JAN 20. 1:00 PM (ET)

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9724 NC-53  
White Oak, NC 28399

# Tribute Wall

BD

“ *Such a special lady. Prayers for you and yours*

Barbara Dew - January 18, 2024 at 09:11 AM

AW

“ *So sorry for your loss. Thoughts and prayers for you all during this time and the days ahead.*

Andy Wilson - January 17, 2024 at 05:39 PM

GW

“ *Giving thanks for this very special lady, mother of my friend Judy.*



Grey Calvert Ward - January 17, 2024 at 03:56 PM

BT

“ *Sorry to hear about death of Mrs Dowd. She was sweet lady and devoted mother. You are in my prayers*

Barbara Tatum - January 17, 2024 at 03:30 PM