

## DOROTHY JEANNE EARLEY

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*BRIDGEPORT:* Dorothy Jeanne Earley, 94, died Tuesday, February 12, 2019 in Decatur.

Dorothy was born September 15, 1924 to Jessie Edward and Julia Josephine (Antz) Frederick in New Orleans, Louisiana. She was united in marriage to David K. Earley on May 31, 1952 in New Orleans. Dorothy graduated Sophie B. Wright Girls High School, New Orleans, Louisiana on May 30, 1941. She served in the Army Nurse Corps during World War II. Dorothy graduated St. Joseph's Hospital School of Nursing June 10, 1962.

She graduated University of Texas at Arlington with a Bachelor of Science in Nursing on May 21, 1977. Dorothy served as a nurse for the United States Public Health Service in Fort Worth for 17 years. She was a dedicated volunteer for Healing Wings HIV/AIDS Center at JPS Hospital.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, David K. Earley; her sons: William Bradley Wise and Sean Kevin Earl-ey; her sister, Ruth Frederick Poche; and her brother, Charles E. Frederick.

Survivors include her daughter, Linda Jeanne Wise Swindle and husband, Cordell; her daughter-in-law, Linda Wise; her grandchildren: Melissa Jeanne Swindle, David Bradley Wise, Kail Charles Swindle and wife, Amber, Kathleen Swindle Siek and husband, Scott, and Michael Fred-erick Swindle and wife, Lexi; her great-grandchildren: Zoe and Jack Wise, Cate and Jack Swindle, Julia, Sean, and Laura Siek, and Henry Swindle; her nephews: Jim and Michael Poche; extended family, and a host of friends.

The family requests, you consider making a donation to: JPS Foundation, Healing Wings HIV/AIDS Center, 1223 S. Main Street, Fort Worth, Texas 76014 or St. Vincent's Cathedral, 1300 Forest Ridge Drive, Bedford, Texas 76022.

Evening prayer was held at 6:00 p.m. Friday, February 15, 2019 at Ascension & St. Mark's Episcopal Church in Bridgeport with reception to following. Memorial was held at 11:00 a.m. Saturday, February 16, 2019 at St. Vincent's Cathedral in Bedford.

Father Keith Roberson officiated the evening prayer and Father Ryan Reed officiated the memorial.

*Hawkins Funeral Home*