



## Sue Carol Horton

June 22, 1938 - October 2, 2023

Sue Carol Horton, a cherished mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother, passed away at the age of 85. Born on June 22, 1938, in San Francisco, California, Sue spent her formative years traveling the country following the career of her father who was a traveling chef and hotel consultant. She lived in 17 different cities throughout her childhood. In the early 1950's Sue moved to St. Augustine with her family. While working at her father's restaurant, "The Fifth Wheel", Sue met a young Navy officer, Charles Dale Horton who was stationed in Green Cove Springs at the time. A little over a year later, on December 14th, 1956, Sue and Dale married at a church in Palm Valley. Sue was a dedicated wife, mother and homemaker. She was full of energy and vitality and was a longtime exercise enthusiast, teaching exercise classes and walking an impressive five miles a day. Her heart, however, remained deeply rooted in family. She reveled in spending time with her loved ones, and her fondness for her grandson knew no bounds. So much so, she would volunteer at his school, just for an extra hour or two with him. Her love for creatures big and small also led her to volunteer at the Humane Society. Sue's life was rich with experiences, from cheering at her grandson's and later, great-grandson's baseball games to being a devoted fan of her son-in-law's band. Auto racing and bowling were other cherished pastimes, but what truly stood out was her bond with Dale. Theirs was a love story that spanned decades, with the two remaining inseparable lifelong companions.

Sue was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Dale; parents, Ben & Mira Meacham; sisters, Barbara Neville and Judy Perry; and her brother, Ben Lee Meacham Jr. She is survived by her daughter, Debbie Wilson and her husband James; grandson, David Wilson and his fiancé' Amanda McSwain; great-grandson, Jayce Wilson; several nieces and nephews, and a special friend, Jeremy James Tavernia.

A celebration of Sue's life will be held at 10 am on Saturday, October 14, 2023 at St. Johns Family Funeral Home with Rev. Glen McCutcheon officiating.

St. Johns Family Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

# Previous Events

## A Celebration of Life

OCT 14. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Johns Family Funeral Home  
385 State Road 207  
St. Augustine, FL

# Tribute Wall



“ *St. Johns Family Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Sue Carol Horton*



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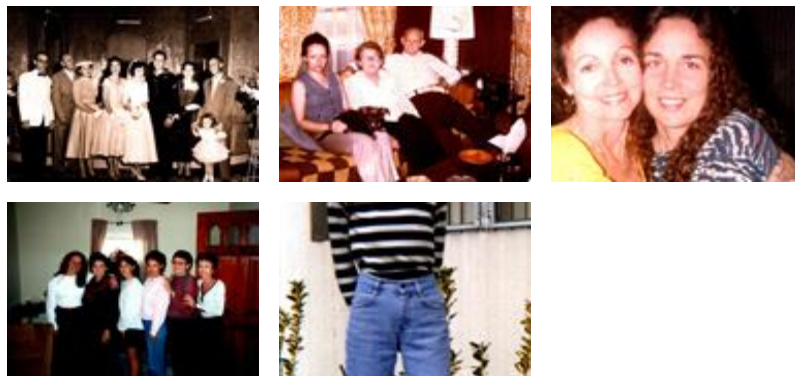
“ *Back in the 70s Sue and I worked at the Sheraton together. She was the restaurant hostess and I worked the front desk. We always had fun. She had a great sense of humor and we were always laughing. My condolences to Debbie and the rest of the family.*

*Sue Doster Lovett*

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“ *Pretty Please* was purchased for the family of Sue Carol Horton.



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“ *Full Of Love Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Sue Carol Horton.



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