



## Marguerite Dowell

May 31, 1928 - January 8, 2012

MARGUERITE DISPENZA DOWELL, age 83, died Sunday, January 8, 2012 at Prince William Hospital, Manassas, VA.

She was born May 31, 1928 in Washington, D.C. to the late Augustino Dispenza and Maria (Arena) Dispenza. Marguerite was a member of Holy Trinity Catholic Church, Gainesville, VA and enjoyed her cats and animals. She especially enjoyed living in the country.

Marguerite is predeceased by her parents; her husband, Heighter Duval Dowell; one son, Michael Joseph Dowell; one daughter, Heidi Marie Dowell-Boothe; three sisters and three brothers.

Survivors include her son, James Dowell and wife Suzanne of Nokesville, VA; two grandchildren, Christopher Alan Dowell and Marc Anthony Dowell and wife Sabrina all of Nokesville, VA; two great grandchildren, Dennis James Vitikacs III and Marc Anthony Dowell, Jr. both of Nokesville, VA and one brother, Frank Dispenza of Ocean City, MD.

The family will receive friends from 2:00-4:00 & 7:00-9:00 PM Wednesday, January 11, 2012 at Pierce Funeral Home, 9609 Center Street, Manassas, VA where a Prayer Service will be said 10:00 A. Thursday, January 12, 2012 with Rev. Jerry A. Wooton from Holy Trinity Catholic Church officiating. Interment

will follow at National Memorial Park, Falls Church, VA.

Expressions of sympathy may take the form of donations to the American Heart Association, Memorial and Tribute Processing Center, P.O. Box 5216, Glen Allen, VA 23058-5216 or American Diabetes Association, Washington Office, 1025 Connecticut Avenue, NW, 10th Floor, Washington, D.C. 20036-4101 in loving memory of Marguerite D. Dowell.

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“ *I had only met her a few times as a child, but have heard many wonderful things about her. My prayers are with the loved ones who carry on her memory.* ”

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