



Etta Wells

February 27, 1932 - January 2, 2014

A devoted Christian and servant of the Lord, Etta Virginia Wells, 81, of 2200 block of Rose Avenue, died Jan 2, 2014 in Arlington, VA. A native of Portsmouth, VA she was the daughter of the late Charles E and Lucinda Bunch and the widow of Richard Wells, Sr. She was a member of New St. Thomas Baptist Church where she was the church clerk, deaconess, usher and president of the Missionary Society. Etta is preceded in death by her husband Richard Wells, Sr. and her son, Cornell Wells, Sr (Belva). She is survived by her six (6) sons, Richard Wells, Jr. (Ernestine), Reginald Wells (Cheryl), Kenneth Wells (Montess), Eric Wells (Cynthia), Maurice Wells (LaJean), David Wells and daughter Dawn Wells. She is also survived by her sister, Shirley Simmons and brothers, Charles and Howard Bunch and a host of grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

Cemetery Details

Albert G Horton Jr. Veterans Memorial Cemetery

5310 Milner's Road
Suffolk, VA

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 8. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

J.T. Fisher Funeral Services
1248 N. George Washington Hwy
Chesapeake, VA

Service

JAN 9. 10:00 AM (ET)

New St. Thomas Baptist Church
2700 Elm Avenue
Portsmouth, VA

Tribute Wall



“ *J.T. Fisher Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Etta Wells* ”



J. T. Fisher Funeral Services - January 02, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JE

“ *Psalm 23 (NKJV)*

*The Lord is my shepherd;
I shall not want.*

*He makes me to lie down in green pastures;
He leads me beside the still waters.*

*He restores my soul;
He leads me in the paths of righteousness
For His name's sake.*

*Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,
I will fear no evil;
For You are with me;
Your rod and Your staff, they comfort me.*

*You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies;
You anoint my head with oil;
My cup runs over.*

*Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me
All the days of my life;
And I will dwell[a] in the house of the Lord Forever.*

Jenny - January 07, 2014 at 11:50 PM

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“ *Our condolences, as we are wishing you peace in God’s promise!
Praying that you find knowledge, in knowing, that your loved one
lives on in Him!*

Love,

Dr. Daniel Mack and Family

Dr. Daniel F. Mack - January 07, 2014 at 09:16 PM

KW

“ *To the Wells Family,
I was so sorry to hear about the loss of your mother. God gave you
a wonderful mother! Your mother had a kind and loving spirit and a
heart of gold. Just remember when the Lord calls our loved ones
home, he leaves a gift of memories in exchange, Your family is in
my thoughts and prayers.*

Sincerely,

Kathy Johnson Wilson

Kathy Wilson - January 07, 2014 at 02:27 PM

MP

“ *Etta was my dear friend. We could talk about anything. We loved
shopping, outings with the red hatters and talking on the phone. We
raised our children as Navy wives together and had many great
times form PTA mothers to "Sassy Snappers" in the Red Hat
Society. Etta was a kind and helpful Christian woman whom I will
truly miss. Love, Naomi Collins, Portsmouth, Virginia*

mikia pollard - January 07, 2014 at 10:27 AM