



Evelyn McDonald

July 31, 1927 - October 1, 2017

On Sunday, October 1, 2017 at 4:15 p.m. Evelyn Derrussia McDonald made her transition from this world to her heavenly home, at the home of her daughter Marjorie Delores Willis of Portsmouth, VA, with her loving and supporting family at her bedside.

She was born to the late Richard and Rosevelt Denson on July 31, 1927, in Salzburg, MD. Evelyn was affectionately known by many as Mom, Grand Mother, Grandma, Nona, Nana, Aunt Elbow and Ruesha.

Ruesha attended Isle of Wight Training School.

Besides her parents, she was preceded in death by her late husband Charles V. McDonald, Jr. and sister Rose Anne Wilson. Evelyn was a member of Rising Star Baptist Church, Smithfield, VA. She was a member of the Mary Black Missionary Ministry, Christian Women Ministry and the Usher Board. OH HOW SHE STRUTTED WHEN SHE WAS ON THE MAIN DOOR!

When asked "how are you doing?" Her famous response would be "If I was doing any better, I couldn't stand myself."

She leaves to cherish her memories, her daughters, Marjorie Delores Willis, Veronica Colfield (Marcus), Coleen Clark (Kenneth) and Jennifer Shorter

(Charles); grandsons, Robert Ahmet Bester and Josiah Bester Willis; granddaughters, Tammis Bester Spencer (Johnnie) and Shameka Bester Willis; great-granddaughter, Ayesha Bester Denson (Victor); great- great-grandchildren, Jeremiah and Desire Bester; nieces, Monette Hardwick (Michael) and Monica Teaques; nephew, James Thomas; Special son and daughter Michael Johnson and Barbara Miller; family friend, Dorothy Royall; a host of other grandchildren and greatgrandchildren, cousins, other family members and friends.

The Family

... and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

Psalm 23:6(b)

Cemetery Details

Tynes Edwards Cemetery

298 Berry Hill Road
Smithfield, VA 23430

Previous Events

Service

OCT 6. 11:00 AM (ET)

Rising Star Baptist Church
19180 Battery Park Road
Smithfield, VA 23430

Tribute Wall



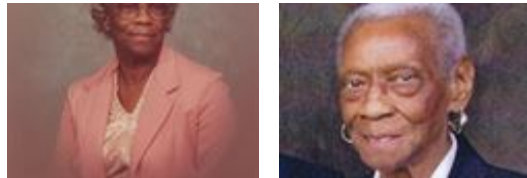
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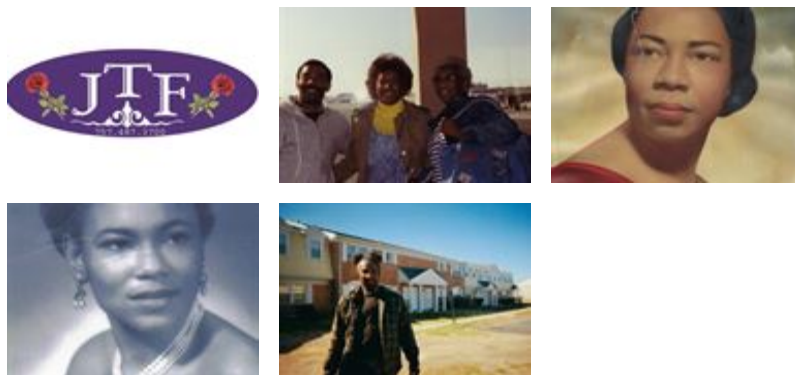
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