



Maxine P. Harper

January 13, 1942 - April 9, 2013

Peacefully at home on Tuesday, April 9, 2013, Maxine P. Harper went to be with her Heavenly Father. Maxine was born January 13, 1942, in Vicksburg, Mississippi to the late Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perkins, Sr.

Maxine shared her life with Walter R. Harper for over 50 plus years and their sons. She was a graduate of Norfolk State University (Magnum Cum Laude). After many years of service, she retired in 1994 as a Deputy Clerk at the City of Portsmouth Treasurer's Office.

She was a faithful member of New First Baptist Church (Taylorsville) under the leadership of Dr. T. Melvin Steele until her health failed. She worked diligently with the Scholarship Club (now known as the Dr. T. Melvin Steele Scholarship Ministry) and during that time held the position of Secretary. Maxine also served as Editor of the New First Baptist Church (Taylorsville) Souvenir Book Committee under Pastor Steele's leadership. She enjoyed working in her community and was the secretary of the Cavalier Manor Civic League.

Maxine was predeceased by her parents; one sister, Connie White; one brother, Robert Perkins, Jr., one son, Larry D. Harper, Sr.; and one grandson, Larry D. Harper, Jr. She leaves to cherish her memories, a loving and devoted husband, Walter R. Harper; two sons, Steve (Edna) Minor and Reginald (Barbara) Harper; five grandchildren, Steve Jr., Toyette, Regina, Crystal, and

Reginald, Jr.; six great grandchildren; four brothers-in-law, Levie Harper, Marion (Vivian) Harper, Paul Harper, James (Linda) Harper; three sisters-in-law, Mary (Walter) Watkins, Christine Kenlock, and Josephine Harper; a special friend of the family, Lawrence Thomas; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Woodlawn Memorial Gardens

6329 Virginia Beach Blvd.
Norfolk, VA

Previous Events

Service

APR 15. 11:00 AM (ET)

New First Baptist Church (Taylorsville)
2720 Turnpike Road
Portsmouth, VA

Tribute Wall



“ *I Love You!!!* ”

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