



## Betty Roxanne Jeffries

August 31, 1960 - August 13, 2012

On August 31, 1960 at City Hospital in Baltimore, Maryland, God revealed some of His greatest work ever in a gorgeous little baby girl, Betty Roxanne Johnson, to her proud parents, the late George Thomas Johnson, Sr. and the late Betty Louise Johnson.

Betty, better known as “Little Betty” or “Net”, was “family folk” at a very young age. Little Betty was a second mother to all her siblings. She was gentle, supportive, protective, and just gave them whatever they needed the best she could. She cooked delicious meals, kept the house straight, and her siblings very close to her. Little Betty attended Baltimore Public Schools and took some courses at CCB. Little Betty was a perfect combination of her mother and father. Everyone she met and everything she touched, she would bathe in elegant affection. Little Betty was easy going, outgoing, funny, open minded, inspiring, generous, pleasant, loving and committed to treating everyone like family. She was the life of every event. She enjoyed hosting huge family get togethers as often as possible; cooking plenty of tasty dishes, good music, lots of dancing, playing cards, funny jokes, good food, “talking trash” and family (even if they weren’t a relative).

On March 25, 1980 Little Betty and the late Lamont Patton became the proud parents of charming Lamonica Jeanette Patton. Shortly after having baby Monica, Little Betty found herself an overly devoted single parent. Being at

home with her daughter, she picked up a hobby and became an expert in home interior design. Betty knew the colors, organization schemes, shops, what was it in and what was it out in. Once baby Monica went to school, Betty went to work in nursing care for some years. Next, she was a cashier clerk at a grocery store and later, she worked at a condominium as a switchboard operator. She only embraced careers that allowed her to express her continuous melody of love.

In 1984, Betty would meet and greet a gentleman named James Jeffries. They started seeing each other and dating. They really enjoyed each other's company. The both of them came from totally different walks of life but committed accenting each other's lives completely. Betty had found the love of her life, Mr. Jeff. This romance would last for the rest of her life. She was very outspoken about her knight in full shining armor.

On April 11, 1947, Betty and James Jeffries became the proud parents of a delightful baby boy, Christopher Jeffries. Unfortunately for the couple, baby Christopher was born very sickly. Betty and James vowed to do the best they could for baby Christopher and daughter, Lamonica, to keep their family together. Mr. Jeff did whatever he needed to do to keep his Betty and his kids happy. The couple was very protective of their kids, baby Christopher being born sick made them that way. After a while their baby Christopher was a lot better and Betty graduated from computer school.

In 1994, the couple was getting themselves together to become grandparents. Betty would lose her mother almost at the same time, their daughter Lamonica would make them elated grandparents to Trinia. The family grew larger with the addition of Brea, Kaiyaun, Taiyaun, Troy, Madden and great-grandchild Janiya sealed their family completely. Betty was a daunting grandmother. Lamonica had the babies, but they were Betty's babies.

She leaves to mourn: her gentle loving husband, Mr. James Jeffries; her united band of children; her one and only daughter, Lamonica Patton; her four sons, Christopher, Roland, Sean and Jamie Jeffries; her three grandchildren, Trina Baker, Brea' Baker and Madden "Little Betty" Cooper; her three grandsons, Kai'yaun and Ti'yaun Leach and Troy Cooper III; her one and only great-granddaughter, Janiya Mosby; her three sisters, Theresa Smith, Nadine Harrison and Ruby Johnson; her five brothers, Anthony Marble, Michael Johnson, Garrett Johnson, John Johnson and Ehfrem Johnson; seven half sisters; two half brothers; her mother-in-law, Alice Jeffries; three sisters-in-law, Glennis Short, Glenda Frisby and Davia Johnson; two brothers-in-law, Theodore and James; one soon to be son-in-law, Troy Cooper, Jr.; nine aunts; six uncles; one great-aunt, Bernice Greene; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and family (everyone she knew).

# Cemetery Details

## Mount Zion

3900 Hollins Ferry Rd  
Halethorpe, MD 21227

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

AUG **24**. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore  
4300 Wabash Avenue  
Baltimore, MD 21215  
(410) 542-2400  
info@marchfh.com

## Family Hour

AUG **24**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore  
4300 Wabash Avenue  
Baltimore, MD 21215  
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## Wake

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AUG 25. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Zion Baptist Church  
1700 N. Caroline Street  
Baltimore, MD 21205

## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Betty Roxanne Jeffries*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



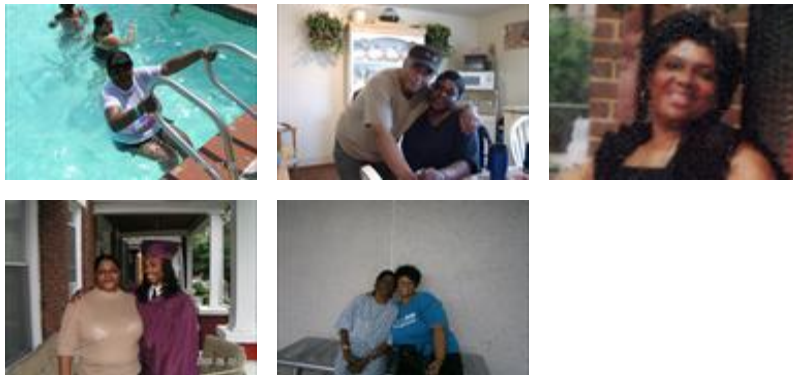
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**james jeffries** - February 06, 2013 at 09:16 PM



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**james jeffries** - February 04, 2013 at 12:34 PM

JJ

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**james walter jeffries** - September 03, 2012 at 12:40 AM



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**james jeffries** - September 01, 2012 at 08:15 AM

MS

“ *I'm so sorry for your loss and would like to offer my condolences to your family. Death is such a terrible thing for a family to go through, I actually lost my mom about 3yrs ago. I'm truly grateful that I have the truth about death and look forward to the future when there will be a resurrection of both the righteous and the unrighteous.*”—  
*ACTS 24:15. I'm sure you would love to see your dead loved one again in the coming Paradise here on earth! Again so sorry for your loss!!* ”

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**Ms Springer** - August 25, 2012 at 06:42 AM

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“ *Latanya Johnson lit a candle in memory of Betty Roxanne Jeffries*



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**latanya johnson** - August 19, 2012 at 12:35 AM

LJ

“ *Latanya Johnson lit a candle in memory of Betty Roxanne Jeffries*



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**Latanya johnson** - August 15, 2012 at 03:01 PM

HB

*To the Jefferies family; I had known Betty for a short time, and now I realize it only took a short time to get to know her. There was always something she said to make you remember her, Mine was when shen was at my house "LICKING THE POUND CAKE TAKER AFTER SHE FINISHED THE CAKE' THEN SHE SAID I CLEANED THE DISH. My love to all of you, God made a good decision to choose her as another "ANGEL" remember God is there for you all.....LOVE TO ALL OF YOU..HELEN BROOKS AND FAMILY..*

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**Helen Brooks** - August 17, 2012 at 10:14 AM

LJ

*“ WE WILL MISS YOU AUNT BETTY! I LOVE YOU SO SO MUCH, WORDS CAN'T EXPRESS MY FEELINGS. WHY! WHY! THE TEARS ARE COMING EVERY MOMENT EVERY HOUR, EVERY DAY SINCE YOU HAVE BEEN GONE!. NO MORE PAIN FOR YOU, ONLY TEARS I GAINED FROM LOSING YOU, THAT MAKES THIS A VERY SAD DAY. YOU ARE HOME WITH OUR FATHER AND HE WILL MAKE EVERYTHING OKAY AND MAKE SURE YOU HURT NO MORE. I WILL ALWAYS REMEMBER YOU AND THE SMILES AND LAUGHS YOU GAVE US. YOU ARE THE BEST! MY HEART IS VERY HEAVY RIGHT NOW, IT'S SO MUCH I WOULD LIKE TO SAY TO YOU LIKE, I'M SORRY, I LOVE YOU, I'M GOING TO MISS YOU. TELL GRANDMA, I SAID HELLO AND PLEASE LOOK OUT FOR ALL OF US. LOVE: LATANYA JOHNSON AKA (TONYA)*

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**Latanya johnson** - August 15, 2012 at 03:00 PM



*“ We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.*

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**March Funeral Homes** - August 15, 2012 at 12:03 PM

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*may God substain you in your hour that he is to just to do wrong and to wise to make a mistake be lifted up to know to be absent from the body is to be present with the Master New Life Fellowship Church N. William Lewis Pastor*

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**Pastor Lewis** - August 15, 2012 at 06:54 PM

WB

*May God keep his loving arms around you in this time of sadness. only met her once when she came to Richmond Va. and just that short time being around her it was a joyfull day.. Jeff we all know that you loved her. but dont forget in that great get up morning you will see her again.*

**LOVE WARREN AND LIZ YOUR COUSIN**

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**Warren Betts** - August 21, 2012 at 06:45 PM