



Charlye M. Smith

March 17, 1928 - July 25, 2020

Charlye Mae Smith was born March 17, 1928, in Cross Roads, North Carolina, to Charlie and Viola Joyner. She departed this life on Saturday, July 25, 2020. She was preceded in death by her husband, Oree Smith, her parents Charlie and Viola Joyner, and her brother Rudolph Joyner. Charlye Mae was educated in the Martin County public school district of North Carolina and graduated from Williamston High School in 1945. Upon her graduation, Charlye Mae relocated to Baltimore, Maryland, to attend Morgan State College. While in Baltimore, she met and married Oree in 1952. They resided in Baltimore for many years before relocating to Philadelphia, PA. While in Philadelphia, she accepted a position with the Temple University Hospital as a clerk and remained employed until her retirement in 1990. Charlye Mae was a faithful member of Vine Memorial Baptist Church in Philadelphia, where she regularly attended. Throughout her life, her faith in God remained steady as she held fast to her favorite scripture, Psalm 27. Her gracious hospitality and generosity will live in the memories of those who knew and loved her. She leaves to cherish her memory a devoted cousin Billy Little, who remained a close friend from their childhood; three sisters-in-law, Martha Smith of South Carolina, Minnie Lee Smith of Delaware, and Mary Joyner of Baltimore; two aunts, Birdie Raye Little and Ollie Ruth Dozier of Baltimore, and a host of other nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends. Charlye Mae's remains will be interred in the Fernwood Cemetery and Mausoleum located in Lansdowne, PA, next to her beloved husband, Oree.

Tribute Wall



“ *Charlye M. Smith*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *2 files added to the album Memories Album*



Raye Little and Family - August 18, 2020 at 06:02 PM



We are thankful for the memories we have shared. You will be missed. Love you Aunt Raye & Aunt Ruth.

Raye Little and Family - August 18, 2020 at 06:16 PM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers go out to Cheryl from her First Baptist Family in the lost of her dear aunt. A long life well lived!*

Barbara and Earl King - August 04, 2020 at 10:38 AM

CW

“ 8 files added to the album Memories Album



Cheryl Wilson - July 31, 2020 at 03:39 PM

GL

I really miss you, Charlye May. From your neighbor at Park View at Woodlawn. Gloria Earket

Gloria - August 04, 2020 at 01:19 PM

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Bertha Gorham - July 31, 2020 at 11:53 AM

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Bertha Gorham - July 31, 2020 at 11:50 AM

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Bertha Gorham - July 31, 2020 at 11:38 AM

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Reynolds Smith, James Smith and Aunt Charlye Mae...taken around 1955- BG

Bertha Gorham - July 31, 2020 at 11:40 AM

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Bertha Gorham - July 31, 2020 at 11:16 AM

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Bertha Gorham - July 31, 2020 at 11:14 AM

KR

“ Dear Auntie,

You were a bright light of love, laughter, and always willing to welcome your family with open arms and great food in your home! I will miss your smile, joy and excitement every time you saw your nieces. May you rest well and give my Uncle O’Ree a hug for me!

Love, Krystle “Kryssy”

Krystle - July 30, 2020 at 03:37 PM

BG

“ Bertha Gorham lit a candle in memory of Charlye M. Smith



Bertha Gorham - July 30, 2020 at 02:48 PM

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“ Aunt Charlye Mae,

The sound of your laughter, humor, and insightful thoughts have passed with you. I miss your honesty and sharp wit, your acceptance of all who cared enough to stop for a moment and listen. You are sorely missed and will always hold a special place in my heart. There is only one Aunt Charlye Mae, and I am blessed to have known and loved you. I pray that your unfailing faith in the living Lord Jesus has rewarded you with much peace and rest. I cherish your memory and thank you for being such a wonderful, loving aunt to me, my siblings, and our families.

Love you forever,

Bertha Smith Gorham, Niece

Bertha Gorham - July 30, 2020 at 02:43 PM

LJ

*To a beautiful, kind, living n generous great aunt...will miss ur hugs, smiles and ur conversations...may u Rest n Peace.....Luv.
LaTanya*

LaTanya johnson - July 30, 2020 at 06:17 PM

CW

“ Cheryl Wilson lit a candle in memory of
Charlye M. Smith



Cheryl Wilson - July 30, 2020 at 02:07 PM

CW

“*Dear Auntie,
Our family chain is now missing another precious link. But we look forward to the day when we will be reunited with you in our heavenly home. I will miss your wonderful smile, your endless stories, and the love you always showed for your family and others.*

“Even as the Son of Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give His life as a ransom for many.” Matthew 20:28

*Love always,
Cheryl Wilson (great niece)*

Cheryl Wilson - July 30, 2020 at 01:59 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.*

March Funeral Homes - July 29, 2020 at 08:08 AM