



Delphina Greenwood Davies

October 3, 1931 - November 19, 2011

DELPHINE THERESA GREENWOOD – DAVIES, affectionately known as “Mama” was born on October 3, 1924 and her life departed suddenly on November 19, 2011. She was born to the late George Greenwood and Adella Lattibeaudaire Greenwood. Unfortunately both of her parents passed away at a very young age and she was then raised by her Aunt Naomi.

Delphina grew up in Barracks River, St. Mary Jamaica. She was educated in the Jamaican private schools system. She attended Beecham Hill Government, Oxford Commercial School, and later graduated from Buxton College. She then moved to Kingston Jamaica and learned the trade of a seamstress.

Delphina loved to care for people and often would say that when she cared for people when she was young she did her best because she knew it was one day she would be in the same place and needed care for her self. Indeed she did need care and her children cared for her themselves. In addition, she worked at various Nursing facilities including Long Green Nursing Home and Bent Nursing Home. To assist in the care for her children, she also took on several part time positions.

Delphina gave birth to eleven children but three children preceded her in death. A set of twins who died at birth and a daughter who also passed at the

age of one. She later migrated to the United States with her eight children. Delphina married Elmer Ross Jr., who didn't have children of his own but helped care for her children. She was later re-married to William Davies.

Delphina was an active member of the Glen Neighborhood Improvement Association and received the President's Certificate of Achievement in recognition of her dedicated services. She went on to continue her education and later received the Johns Hopkins University School of Continuing Studies Certificate.

Mama as we would call her was an avid gardener who won numerous prizes for beautiful gardening. She was an excellent cook and sometimes would engage herself in the Preakness Festival Volunteer Program in Baltimore. Mama was an activist for her community and would fight to uphold the neighborhood she loved so much. She had a tremendous love for animals, especially cats. Her favorite cats were Winnie and Beans.

Delphina loved to care for people and always would say to treat people well. She said, "you will never know when you will be in the same place."

Delphina Theresa Davies Greenwood, we love you and adore the legacy you left behind. You will never be forgotten.

Mama leaves to cherish eight wonderful children: Clement Holness, Vivienne Wong, Anthony Holness, Dawnwttw Sodipo, Donald Spencer, Doreen Gomez, Dervent Spencer, and Brenette Sabedra Campbell (Lucky). She is also survived by her husband William, 33 grandchildren, and 54 great-grandchildren, good friends Mr. Ross, Mrs. Carmen, nieces, nephews, son in law, daughter in law, other relatives and a community of friends.

Cemetery Details

Druid Ridge

Previous Events

Public Viewing

DEC 2. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Wake

DEC 3. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

Ark Church
1263 E. North Ave.
Baltimore, MD 21202

Service

DEC 3. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Delphina Greenwood Davies*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *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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“ *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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