



Doris Louise Lewis

August 8, 1922 - November 21, 2013

Doris Louise Lewis was born August 8, 1922 in Brunswick County, Virginia to the late Robert Leonard Lewis and Nora Byrd Lewis. Doris was one of seven children. She was preceded in death by two of her three sisters, Virginia Pearson and Mary Freeman; and her two brothers, Bill and Leonard Lewis.

Doris attended and graduated from St. Paul's High School in Lawrenceville, VA before moving to Richmond in the 1940's. Upon her arrival in Richmond, she joined Fifth Baptist Church where she remained a member for more than 60 years. She was an active member of her church serving the Lord in many ways. She was a member of Usher Board #2, active in the Mission Ministry, sang with the Voices United and became a member of the Fantastic Seniors until her health failed. She remained devoted to her church until her death.

When she first arrived in Richmond, she was employed by the Albemarle Paper Company until the company closed its doors. Afterwards, she worked at a number of full and part-time jobs, the Jefferson Hotel, Virginia Union University (McVicar Hall), the Virginia Highway Department from which she retired on June 1, 1985 at the age of 63. She spent her retirement years fishing for spots and croakers, growing and picking vegetables and fruits, collecting cans, cooking and spending time with her family and friends. She also decided to go back to work at the Central Virginia Food Bank (FEEDMORE) as its

oldest employee where she worked for approximately 2 years.

She leaves to mourn her loving daughter, Rosalyn Key-Tiller, devoted son-in-law, James Edward Tiller, Sr.; her devoted and loving sister, Nora Pearson Lewis of Valentines, VA; two nieces, Crystal Parsons and devoted niece Cleopatra Battle; three nephews; Robert Abdul-Karim, Ennis Pearson and Leon Pearson (Veronica); and a host of other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Calvary Cemetery

1401 S. Randolph St.
Richmond, VA 23220

Previous Events

viewing

NOV **26.** 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home-Laburnum Chapel
Richmond, VA 23222

Family Hour

NOV **26.** 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home -Laburnum Chapel
2110 E. Laburnum Ave.
Richmond, VA 23222

Service

NOV **27.** 11:00 AM (ET)

Fifth Baptist Church
1415 W. Cary St.
Richmond, VA 23220

Tribute Wall



“ *Doris Louise Lewis*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Our family would like to express condolences to your dear family. May you find comfort from Jehovah God's Word The Bible. He assures us at 1 Corinthians 15:26 that "the last enemy death will be brought to nothing." Our prayers are with your family.*

Linn & family

linn family - November 28, 2013 at 11:26 AM



“ *In these troubled times, we face many challenges. There are economic hardships, depression, failing health, the loss of a loved one in death - such do attack us all at one time or another, and sometimes we cannot avoid them. It moves us to see persons who appear quite frail show surprising strength and endure such onslaughts. Often, faith is the key (James 1:3). Another key is hope (1 Thessalonians 4:13), there is the hope of the resurrection (John 5: 28, 29; Acts 24:15). This knowledge gives us hope, that hope, in turn, gradually softens grief. It helps us to endure. You can certainly find more encouraging Scriptures @www.jw.org. May God continue to comfort your family in this stressful time of need.*

bdavis - November 26, 2013 at 10:43 AM



“ 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 - November 25, 2013 at 03:45 PM