



Edith Viola Weirs

June 6, 1931 - November 23, 2016

EDITH - origin (Anglo-Saxon) meaning (Rich Gift)

Edith Viola Weirs so many of our lives were blessed with the "Rich Gift" of knowing Edith Weirs. She was "Mama Edith" to many and "Grandma" to others. This anointed woman of God helped raise so many children, instructed so many young women how to be good wives and mothers and so many young men how to be good husbands and fathers. She was a mother to the motherless. She opened her heart and her home to countless people, from the runaway wife to the runaway pastor. Whether Bishop L.C. Grant just wanted a good old pig feet dinner or Dr. Ruby Prideaux just needed a "staycation" to be pampered, she was available. Her sweet spirit was present until the end, so much so that God's people in the hospital, the nursing home, and the home care workers were calling her Mom or Mama.

Mother Edith Viola Weirs (nee Jones), the daughter of the late Melvin Jones and Ezell (nee Grey) Jones Dennis was born in Elkhorn, West Virginia June 6, 1931. She departed this life Wednesday, November 23, 2016. She was preceded in death by her loving husband George E. Weirs, her daughter Barbara A. Weirs and two siblings Sarah Saunders (nee Jones) and Moses Jones.

Edith received her elementary education in West Virginia. Due to a long childhood illness she did not complete her education but began doing

domestic work at an early age alongside her mother. At the age of 18 Edith moved to Baltimore with her oldest sister Sarah. She worked for a brief time in the kitchen of a downtown hotel and eventually got a job at Johns Hopkins Hospital in the housekeeping department.

After she got married and started having children Edith became a stay at home mom for several years doing occasional "day work" for \$35 and car fare to help her husband out. When her baby boy started going to school full time she reentered the workforce in housekeeping at Lutheran Hospital and eventually retired from Liberty Medical .

Mother Weirs accepted the Lord at an early age but she backslid. God being married to the backslider gave her another chance and later in life, after her husband died, she rededicated herself to God and he took her back in the fold. She was a member of the Trinity Apostolic Faith Holiness Church, Inc. under the pastorate of the late Bishop Lois Cleveland Grant and Bishop Ivan L. Grant. While at Trinity she was faithfully and quietly served, doing what her hands found to do. She later joined the Blessed Trinity Church of Deliverance. There she served under the pastorate of the Late Dr. Ruby A. Prideaux and Elder Lawrence E. Holland. In 2004 Edith was ordained as the Mother of Blessed Trinity Church of Deliverance. This was the public acknowledgement of the anointing that God had already put on her life.

She leaves to cherish: her children Reginald Jones (Judy), Janice Holland (Lawrence), Sylvia Weirs- Gilmore (Jamie), Chris Weirs (Susan); grandchildren Sophia Williams (nee Jones), Reginald Jr., Edward Weirs, Candice, Ashley and Paul Holland, George and Lily Weirs; Three great-grandchildren Reginald III, Brianna and Caitlin Williams, siblings Melvin Jones (Shirley), Clayton Jones, Lena Fields, Betty Conway; godchildren, nieces, nephews, and a host of family and friends.

Cemetery Details

King Memorial Park Cemetery - Grand Heritage Chapel & Mausoleum

8710 Dogwood Rd.
Baltimore, MD 21244
(410) 944-8300
info@kingmemorialpark.com
<https://www.KingMemorialPark.com>

Previous Events

Public Viewing

DEC 2. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

March Life Tribute Center
5616 Old Court Rd.
Randallstown, MD

Wake

DEC 3. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Blessed Trinity Church of Deliverance
4535 Old Court Road
Baltimore, MD 21208

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Edith Viola Weirs*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Please accept my heartfelt sympathy in the loss of your loved one .
May the fond memories shared and resurrection hope Jesus spoke
of in the Bible at John 5 : 21,28,29 be a source of comfort doing this
time of grief and pain .*

D Allen - December 06, 2016 at 04:48 AM



“ *Gone but not forgotten. Watch and remember the wonderful life of
Edith V. Weirs.*

*On behalf of the entire Jones Weirs family, I'd like to thank everyone
for their kind expressions of love and kindness shown to us during
our time of bereavement.*



Sylvia Weirs - December 04, 2016 at 02:37 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Edith Viola Weirs.*



December 02, 2016 at 10:55 PM



“ *To Lady Sylvia Gilmore and Family I send you my deepest sympathies. We know that she is resting with the one whom she loved, Resting with the Eternal. We are praying for you all. May God comfort you with His Love and Peace.*

Lydia Schroeder - December 02, 2016 at 12:40 PM



To Pastor Gilmore, and family, My Deepest Sympathy. May God comfort you in your loss of your loved one.

Linda K Case - December 03, 2016 at 07:29 PM



“ *We are deeply sorry to hear about the loss Of Mother Weirs. We are thinking of you and your family at this time and want to send our heartfelt condolences. We pray the love, peace and strength of God uphold you through this time of bereavement. Wihing you peace to bring comfort, courage to face the days ahead,and loving memories to forever hold in your hearts,
We will be praying with you. Peace, Prayers and Blessings,
Margo M. Anderson & Family*

Margo M. Anderson - December 02, 2016 at 12:27 PM



“ *Bountiful Memories Casket Spray was purchased for the family of Edith Viola Weirs.*



December 01, 2016 at 01:51 PM



“ *With my deepest condolences to the family of Edith Weirs. May the Almighty, the God of tender mercies and of all comfort, who comforts us in all our trials,(2Cor.1:3,4) comfort you and your family in this time of need.*

D Barnes - November 27, 2016 at 02:36 PM



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Sylvia Weirs - November 26, 2016 at 04:58 PM



My sincere condolences goes out to Janice, Sylvia, Chris, and the other family members. My heart was sadden to hear of the passing of Mother Edith V. Weirs. Oh, how I can remember her beautiful smile and sweet voice. She was a special Mother to many who came in contact with her. I will always treasure my time spend in the home with the family. Your fond memories are precious and oh, how they will ever be with me. Praying for the family in this hour and in the days a head.

Minister Teresia Smith - November 26, 2016 at 09:44 PM

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“ I wish to send you and your family my deepest sympathy during time. I would like to encourage you and your love ones to find comfort in God's(Jehovah) written word the Bible. When time permits maybe you can read Revelation chapter 21 and verse 4 and 5 where is speaks of death being no more. Then there's John chapter 5 verses 28 and 29 there's going to be a resurrection of all those in the memorial tomb. Isn't that a comforting thought. Also we can visit JW. ORG for more spiritual and up building support.

anonymous - November 26, 2016 at 11:05 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, 2016 at 04:43 PM