



Edna Fairfax Harris

July 30, 1932 - March 31, 2002

Edna Harris, (69) of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, departed this life on March 31, 2002 at Anne Arundel Maryland Medical Center after a long period of illness. Born in Pittsburgh's Hill District on July 30, 1932, she was the daughter of the late Henry Morris and Elizabeth Washington and the wife of the late Robert Sherman Harris. Edna was educated in the city's public school system and graduated from Fifth Avenue High School, class of 1950. Edna also studied Early Childhood education at Pittsburgh Point Park College. Before retiring in 1990, Edna was a twenty-year employee of St. Margaret's Hospital. Edna was first introduced to the Lord at an early age and baptized at Ebenezer Baptist Church, in Pittsburgh. She enjoyed cooking, music, and spending time with her family and friends. She was well known in the community for opening her home to all and sharing her good will. Edna was civic minded and belonged to various community organizations. She leaves to mourn; four sons and two daughters, Mary Elizabeth of Detroit, Mich., Robert Sherman II, Warren Ross, Brian Keith and Kimberly Ann of Washington, D.C. and Alan Ross of Philadelphia, Pa.; two daughters-in-law, Carla and Elizabeth; seven grandchildren, George Edward, David Christopher, Robert Sherman III, Brian Keith Jr., Brandon Alan, Shenelle Monet, Tevin Keith and Sherman Alexander; two sisters and a brother survive her, Betty Jean, Ethel Joan and John Henry of Pittsburgh, Pa.; and a host of other relatives and friends. "Mom, although we grieve and have a heartfelt sense of loss, we are joyous that you have found peace. We love you dearly!"

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“ *Edna Fairfax Harris*

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“ *Edna, You know that I will miss you the most because I believe that we always had a special bond. You will always be dear to my heart. I will always remember your wisdom, your strength, and your sassy attitude. I just only wish that we had more time together. Edna rest in peace and I know that we will meet again. I miss you so much. Love your Daughter- in-law Carla Harris##imported-begin##Carla E. Harris##imported-end##*

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“ *Mom, it's been two weeks now since your passing so I've had time to reflect on what you meant to me and my family, and the love that so many had for you. You were our matriarch, our example of strength and fortitude. I love you, and treasure having you as my mom for 41 years. Please rest well my dear mother, as you are now in the Lord's care. I will miss you dearly. Your loving son, Brian.##imported-begin##Brian Harris##imported-end##*

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“ Mother-- Words cannot express the deep loss I feel right now, but I know that you are still looking over me and the kids. We will remeber all the good times and love you for the sound advice and judgement you instilled into us. Sleep well my love--until we meet again. Love you. Your Daughter-- Kimberly###imported-begin###Kimberly Harris###imported-end##

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“ I am the Resurrection and the Life says the Lord. Whoever believes in me, though he may die shall not die forever. Edna went home to be with the Lord on Easter Sunday morning. Each year as we celebrate Christ's resurrection we'll remember that she too will rise again.###imported-begin###Elizabeth Harris###imported-end##

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“ Know that others care and are with you at this time. She will live in our hearts.###imported-begin###Sharon D. Morris###imported-end##

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“ Love you; rest knowing we'll always be thinking of you and remembering you with much love.###imported-begin###Floyd & Roberta Morris###imported-end##

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“ Love Ya Chief!###imported-begin###Michael Morris###imported-end##

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“ Grandma, You are up in heaven with the angels where you truly belong. I know that God will enjoy your company, as everyone you met on earth did. Love, Brandon##imported-begin##Brandon##imported-end##

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“ Grandma, I love you and thank you for being the matriarch of the Harris Family. You have truly surpassed being a virtuous woman, and have been a loving grandma and a true friend. I love you, BJ grandchild#4##imported-begin##Brian Keith Harris II##imported-end##

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“ You were one of my favorite aunts. I'll miss your signature smile and your favorite line about how are the kids doing when I arrived at Murray Towers to deliver the mail. I will truly miss you. I love you, but god loves you best.##imported-begin##Linda Jean Ricketts##imported-end##

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“ Aunt Edna, you sure will be missed. Your sassy attitude and the way you made us laugh will stay with us. You'll be loved in spirit and in our hearts. Love, Lisa and Family##imported-begin##Lisa M. Phillips##imported-end##

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“ Sleep on dear Sister, take your rest. I love you, but God loves you best.##imported-begin##Betty Jean Morris##imported-end##

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“ I would like to extend personally a heartfelt appreciation to the family for allowing me to serve you in your hour of bereavement. I will continue to keep the family lifted up in prayer. Family, as you come to the end of Mrs. Harris chapter of life, after closing the book, I encourage you to remember the story. Thanking God for the life, the times shared and for the memories that are now left behind. Sincerely...##imported-begin##Ms. Rebecca E. Rose, LFD##imported-end##

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“ May God bless you and be with you in your time of sorrow. May He give you strength and hope to meet each new tomorrow. He has said I will never leave thee nor forsake thee... Hebrew13: 5##imported-begin##The March Family and Staff##imported-end##

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