



Ella D. Stevenson

September 11, 1921 - January 29, 2002

Ella Stevenson, daughter of the late Oscar and Liza Ann bunting-Davis, was born September 11, 1921 in Leland North Carolina. She was one of the youngest members of a large family that included eleven children in all: five girls and six boys. Her sisters were Bell McCoy, Hester Duggley, Polly Davis, and Maggie Moore (“Minkie”), and her brothers were Frank Davis, Fred Davis, James Davis (“Buster”), Walter Davis (“Lil Son”), Lynn Davis and Tom Davis. When she was still a girl, Ella came to Baltimore with her Aunt Ella Bunting “Little Ella”, as she was affectionately called- and worked in various jobs around Baltimore. While employed at a dry cleaner, she met and married her husband, the late Alexander Stevenson. From this union two daughters were born Geraldine and Cecilia. Not happy with work at the dry cleaner, Ella applied for work at the Continental Can Company. She was turned down initially, but after repeated attempts, she was granted employment and worked there for 33 years as a packer. As a young woman, Ella attended and joined Morning Star Baptist Church where she remained a faithful member until her illness. She held her pastor in high regard and loved the church. Her faith in the Lord was strong and sustained her through many ordeals. Ella loved her family most of all. She was hard worker and believed in giving her all to help others. This was evidenced by the people she took care of during her lifetime; the late Dawson Andrews, the late Louis Small, her grandson Lester Howard, and Terrence and Darien Walker. She also loved to cook and care for her flowers. She departed this life on January 29, 2002 after a lengthy illness. She

leaves to mourn: two daughters, Geraldine Stevenson-Howard, and Cecilia Stevenson; one son-in-law, J.D. Howard; four grandchildren, Denise Howard-Johnson, James D. Howard Jr., James Edward Brogden Jr., and Lester Howard; one sister, Maggie Moore; one niece, Mary Andrews; one grandson-in-law, Michael Edward Johnson; one granddaughter-in-law, Motoko Honda-Howard; one great granddaughter, Latavia Alexandria Watson; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Tribute Wall



“ *Ella D. Stevenson*

March 25, 2023 at 10:25 AM



“ *Ella D. Stevenson*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Denise and family: my condolences(sp?) on the loss of your grandmother. Even though I had never met her, I had heard alot about her and know that she was a very kind person and that you all loved her very much. I am sad for the loss of someone so close to you. Best wishes, Dorian##imported-begin##Dorian Shotwell##imported-end##*

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“ *Denise: I love the picture: I remember that day of your grandmother's birthday party: it was very nice. You know that I am here for you should you need anything at all. I love you: you and your family have been like a family for me here in Baltimore and I appreciate you all. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Love, Kara##imported-begin##kara##imported-end##*

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“ *She was a lovely Lady and we are thinking of you all. A Friend Joe and Pat##imported-begin##Joe and Pat Taylor##imported-end##*

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“ *Gherri: May God be with you and your family in your time of sorrow. Love, Dorothy*###imported-begin###Dorothy Taylor###imported-end##

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“ *To Ms. Gherri: I wish to express my sincere condolences to you and your family. Please know that you are in my prayers. Sincerely, Deborah Gilmore*###imported-begin###Deborah Gilmore###imported-end##

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“ *Hi Gerri, Rev. 2:10 - And it was only right that God-who make everything and for whom everything was made-should bring his many children into glory. May God Bless you and keep you and your family in this time of lost.*###imported-begin###Mrs. Joyce A. Young###imported-end##

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“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you during this time of loss.*###imported-begin###Victoria Arbaugh###imported-end##

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“ *To the Family, May God continue to bless and keep you during this time of great lost. God Bless*###imported-begin###Miriam M. Summers###imported-end##

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“ Dear Denise, My deepest sympathy for the loss of your grandmother. Our prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Manohar Hegde##imported-end##

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“ Although you have sustained a great loss, be comforted by knowing that when your beloved departed this life, she ascended into the waiting arms of the Lord. Now she has an eternal song that she can sing with a host of angels to assist her. May God grant you with the peace that only He can give at this time.##imported-begin##Karen G. Laws##imported-end##

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“ MY PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU.##imported-begin##PEARL CLARK##imported-end##

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“ Dear Denise, my deepest sympathy for the loss of your grandmother, she sounds like she was a wonderful person with a good heart I know she will be missed.##imported-begin##martha mcgronan##imported-end##

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“ My love and prayers to you all who loved her. Praise she is with our Father. God Bless!##imported-begin##Rosalyn Easton##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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