



Eloise Thompson

August 5, 1916 - February 13, 2015

ELOISE THOMPSON was the daughter of the late Charlie Barbour and the late Mildred Saunders. Eloise was born in Smithfield, North Carolina on August 5, 1916. She transitioned on February 13, 2015. The family moved to Baltimore when Eloise was a little girl. Eloise loved reading, traveling and interacting with others, especially her family. Through these mediums, she enjoyed a continuing education in the classrooms of life. Eloise did domestic work most of her life, while struggling to maintain a one-parent household. She retired from the Enoch Pratt library in 1976. Her relationships with those she worked with often evolved into enduring friendships. Due to some critical health issues, Eloise was moved to a Future Care facility in the Irvington area of Baltimore City. Eloise quickly became involved in the facility's daily activities, especially the day trips. Many of the staff and residents saw her as a mother or grandmother figure. Eloise was a prayer warrior and prayed daily for her peers and the staff. She was elected vice president of the Resident Council and served in that capacity until she was no longer able to do so. Eloise survived three husbands, the late Edgar Washington Sr., the late Walton Foote and the late John Thompson. Eloise and Edgar had four children, Doris Washington, Edgar Washington Jr. (transitioned), Arnetta Howard and Charles Washington. Eloise also leaves thirty-seven-plus grandchildren, a number of great-grandchildren; one surviving brother, Joseph Parham; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. She will be sorely missed.

Cemetery Details

Garrison Forest Veterans

11501 Garrison Forest Road
Owings Mills, MD

Previous Events

Public Viewing

FEB **23**. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Wake

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Tribute Wall



“ *Eloise Thompson*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *I am extremely sorry for your loss. I can not imagine the pain you have had to endure. May the God of comfort be with you now and in times to come. God's Word the bible promises the hope of seeing our dead loved ones again. That promise is at John 28,29 and also at Revelations 21: 3,4*

Shane Briscoe - February 26, 2015 at 09:53 AM



“ *We send our heartfelt condolences to your family. The God of the Bible promises to swallow up death forever at Isa. 25:8. May you be comforted in knowing what you are experiencing now will one day be no more.*

Armstrong Family - February 26, 2015 at 08:34 AM



“ *I am thankful to have known my great grandmother Eloise Thompson. I remember visiting her in Baltimore, MD as a little girl where she would share her humbling stories of how she grew up as a child. I am blessed to have had such the epitome of a classic, vibrant, and religious woman in my heritage. It has definitely trickled down throughout our enormous family tree. You will forever be missed. Watch over us and guide us to you as you rest in heaven. Until we meet again. Your great granddaughter, Erika Johnson.*

erika johnson - February 24, 2015 at 10:00 AM

AK

“ Great grand,
I'm thankful for the time we've shared. I remember traveling up highway 95 some summers to see my Auntie, cousins , Grand and you! I love hearing Grand talk about how classy and refined of a woman you were. I thank you for living a life that created my wonderful family. I know my Grand will miss you dearly ; I just ask that you comfort her heart and watch over her like my grandfather is doing. Rest in peace!!
Your Great granddaughter ,
Akeara J.

akeara.johnson@gmail.com - February 24, 2015 at 08:36 AM

SP

“ Its going to be really weird not taking our yearly trip to Baltimore Maryland. I usually take my grandmother Doris Washington to visit her mom. We spend some time together, laugh and reminiscing about old days. I can truly say I'm glad I had the opportunity to bring my daughters and nephew last year to meet her. Very grateful for being apart of the love she shared deeply with us all. She will be missed.

Sherrita Person - February 24, 2015 at 04:34 AM

AK

Sweet RiRi!

akeara.johnson@gmail.com - February 24, 2015 at 08:37 AM

BJ

We will truly miss your laughter, rest in peace now.

Barber Ann Johnson-Cheeseman - February 26, 2015 at 10:32 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Eloise Thompson.*



February 24, 2015 at 12:29 AM



“ *Nikita McNeal purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Eloise Thompson.*



Nikita McNeal - February 23, 2015 at 09:38 PM



“ *To Charles & the Family, May God surround each of you with His Light, keep you ever in His Sight, and forever Protect all of you With His Mighty Might.*

Samuel A Gary - February 23, 2015 at 07:43 PM



“ *Sentara Norfolk General Cardiac/OSDU Registration Family purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Eloise Thompson.*



Sentara Norfolk General Cardiac/OSDU Registration Family -
February 23, 2015 at 02:03 PM

*"But blessed is the one who trusts in the LORD, whose confidence is in him."
Jeremiah 17:7-8*

“ *God blessed her to be here for 98 yrs to live and learn life's lessons, sadness, happy times with family and friends. I will never forget the good times her and I had, all the conversations and laughs, all the family parties and get togethers. God rest her soul in Jesus` most precious name. I will truly miss her. My dear Mother-in-law Eloise :)*

Barbara Washington

Barbara Cunningham-Washington - February 23, 2015 at 01:51 PM

CM

“ *Arnette I am deeply sadden by your loss. May God strengthen you and your family during this time.*

Cynthia McZeal

cynthia mczeal - February 23, 2015 at 09:24 AM

LH

“ *Arnetta, words cannot express how saddened we are to hear of your loss. We pray the love of God enfolds you and that your loving memories of your grandmother will sustain you at this most difficult time. You and your family are in our prayers. "The Lord is close to the brokenhearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit."*

Psalms 34:18

All our love, Mount Carmel Baptist Church Praise & Worship Dance Ministry

Lanitha Hudson - February 23, 2015 at 09:20 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 - February 19, 2015 at 01:11 PM