



Elsie Ben

April 2, 1917 - March 4, 2006

Elsie E. Ben, beloved daughter of the late John West Fulwood and Lela Coher-Fulwood, was born April 2, 1917 in Lynchburg, South Carolina. She departed this life on March 4, 2006. Elsie received her education in the Sumter County Public School System and was a member of Mt. Sinai A.M.E. Church in Lynchburg, South Carolina, Sumter County. During the earlier years of her life, she met and married Ernest Ben, Sr. and born of their marriage is their son, Ernest Ben, Jr. Later Elsie and family moved to Baltimore, Maryland. She became a full-time employee at the Domino Sugar Plant. She went on to work full time in a Laundry facility, as a Presser, until she retired. Elsie joined Enon Baptist Church in 1950, where she was a member for approximately 56 years. She became a Cub Scout Leader; a member of the Female Usher Board; the Open Door Circle; and the Missionary Circle. She served at that capacity for many years. Elsie loved people and made friends wherever she went. Her special love was "the love of children." Elsie had a passion for gardening and she just absolutely adored nature, flowers and plants. She will be solely missed by all of us who knew and loved her. She may even have a reminder for someone here today "put the buttons on the coat". Elsie leaves to cherish her memories: one son, Ernest Ben, Jr., and daughter-in-law, Mary L. Ben; one brother, John Wesley Fulwood and sister-in-law, Wilhelmina Fulwood from Sumter, SC; children that she raised, Christine Chambers, Deborah Hall, and Markel Long; two in-law, Aunt Pearl Ben and Aunt Blanche Ben; two grandsons, Laurence A. Ben (wife, Robyn Ben); and Wesley Ben; one

granddaughter, Mary Bowman; a life long friend, Walter Wilson; a host of nieces, nephews, relatives, friends, and “Special Reconition” to Louise Witherspoon of Columbia, MD.

Tribute Wall



“ *Elsie Ben*

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“ *Elsie Ben*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Please accept my sincere condolences for your loss. I too have lost loved ones in death. Even though we know that death is inevitable, it is still difficult to accept. Death was not something that God intended for us. The thought of death is always distasteful and it always will be because Jehovah God has created within us the keen desire to live forever. We never get used to it. We feel deep down in our hearts that this should not happen because, “Even time indefinite he (God) has put in their heart,” says Ecclesiastes 3:11. One of the wonderful parts of his plan is the hope of the resurrection of dead loved ones. (John 5:25, 28, 29). Please be assured that Jehovah God loves us and wants the best for us. Take comfort in the promise that he has given us at Rev. 21: 3-5 of a new earth where there will be no more death.##imported-begin##Senita Swann##imported-end##*

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“ My deepest sympathy is with you during this time of great lost. It is always very hard to cope with the lost of a loved one. It is so important for us all to know we have a comfort, a comfort of a loving God who cares so very much about us. This is why he lets us know according to his word the bible that death will no longer have a place among the living. Jehovah will turn all the negative effects of death away from us all. Jehovah says according to Isaiah 45:18 he created the earth to be inhabited. Psalms 115:16 says he gives the earth to man. Why would God do such a thing because Jehovah is a God of love 1John 4:8 and being a loving God who loved us first he makes these provisions for those loving him that the righteous will reside upon the earth forever stated at Psalms 37:29. So, being God's purpose for us is to live forever than there is truly no place for death to reside among the living. That is why at Rev. 21: 3, 4 states death will be no more... and the things that causes death will be no more. Jehovah will also correct the damage of death by resurrecting all those who have died according to John 5:28, 29. What a joyous occasion when we will be able to enjoy the lives of those we love once again. This is Jehovah's promised hope from the beginning of mans creations. The hope of everlasting life on earth. Titus 1:2 May this bring comfort to your wounded heart.##imported-begin##Carter##imported-end##

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“ To the family of Mrs. Ben, may you have comfort for your pain from our loving heavenly father, who comforts all during their tribulation. May it also comfort you to know that your loved one will come to life in the promised resurrection. Jesus said, 'donot marvel at this, because the hour is coming when all those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice and come out, those who good things to a ressurection of life.' These words have always comforted my family in times of trials, and I pray that they comfort your family as well.##imported-begin##R Johnson##imported-end##

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“ I offer my sincere sympathy to the family of Ms. Ben. You may feel overcome with grief at times but remember, there is one who promises us comfort. This is the "Father of tender mercies and the God of all comfort..." mentioned at 2 Corinthians 1:3,4.##imported-begin##Gwen Winston##imported-end##

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“ I send my condolences to the family for your loss of Elsie. But please remember that the Bible offers a condolence that no one else can. Acts 24:15 tells us "there is going to be a resurrection of both the righteous and unrighteous". So you will be able to be with your loved one again, only the earth will be in a better condition (Revelation 21:4). May you be comforted.##imported-begin##Kendra A##imported-end##

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