



Elsie Taylor Davis

March 17, 1917 - June 11, 2012

Elsie T.Davis was born March 17, 1917 in Richmond Virginia, to William and Pearl Ross. She graduated from Armstrong High School in 1935 and attended Smith-Madden Business College. She worked for Friedman- Mark as a seamstress and the Defense Distribution Depot Richmond making parachutes. She later worked at Defense General Supply Center in production. Mrs. Davis was an active member of the AFGE local union and served as the Shop Steward. She retired from federal service in 1978. After retirement, she was a member and served as president of both the Bellwood Retirees and AARP, Inc. Chapter 5395 of Southside Richmond.

In 2011, Mrs. Davis joined the Mountain of Blessing Christian Center. Over many years, she has also been a member of the First African Baptist Church, Lutheran Resurrection, and Richmond Christian Center. She has served as a church elder, a Deacon, a choir member and on various ministries including the Senio'rs Ministry and Helps Ministry.

Mrs. Davis lived life to the fullness and enjoyed shopping, gardening, fishing, socializing with friends and especially traveling. She frequently organize cruises and bus trips for her senior's groups and often took her grandchildren on vacations. Most recently she was planning to take a week long trip to New Orleans at the end of this month.

Mrs. Davis continues to be a blessing and inspiration to all she encountered. She always reminded us to stay focused on God and his Son Jesus Christ. Through them we will overcome whatever challenges come our way.

Mrs. Elsie T. Davis, 95 went peacefully in her sleep to be with the Lord surrounded by family Monday, June 11, 2012. She was preceded in death by three of her children, Clarence Taylor Jr., Frederick Taylor, Sr. and Joyce Thornton. She is survived by one son, Gene Taylor(Rosetta); grandchildren, Walter Burton,Jr.(Iris), Rene Burton-Brown(William Jr.), Kevin Burton(Kim), Patricia Joyner(LeVon), Frederick Taylor,Jr.(Ronnie), Wendy Taylor, Jean Raychel Pittman(Marvin), Marthenia ,Keith and Tanya Goodson; a host of great-grandchildren, great-great-grandchildren; one great- great- great grandchild; daughter-in-law, Angeline Taylor; devoted cousins, Nanny B. and William Smith; and other relatives and loving friends.

Cemetery Details

Oakwood Cemetery

3101 Nine Mile Road
Richmond, VA 23223

Previous Events

Public Viewing

JUN 15. 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - Laburnum Chapel
2110 E. Laburnum Avenue
Richmond, VA 23222
(804) 321-4200
info@marchfh.com
<https://www.marchfuneralhomevirginia.com/>

Family Hour

JUN 15. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Service

JUN 16. 12:00 PM (ET)

Mountain of Blessings Christian Center
4700 Oakley's Lane
Richmond, VA

Tribute Wall



“ *Elsie Taylor Davis*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *I'm so sorry for your loss and would like to offer my condolences to your family. Death is such a terrible thing for a family to go through, I actually lost my mom 3yrs ago. I'm truly grateful that I have the truth about death and look forward to the future when there will be "a resurrection of both the righteous and the unrighteous."—ACTS 24:15. I'm sure you would love to see your dead loved one again in the coming Paradise here on earth! Again so sorry for your loss!!*

Ms Springer - June 24, 2012 at 06:57 AM



“ *Rev. Harriet P. Massingill lit a candle in memory of Elsie Taylor Davis*



Rev. Harriet P. Massingill - June 17, 2012 at 07:00 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 - June 12, 2012 at 06:43 PM

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To Marvin, Jean and Alana Pittman

*We, prayerfully, extends to you these words of Heartfelt Sympathy
In the loss of your Dearly Beloved Grandmother, Mrs. Elise Taylor
Davis*

“Earth has no sorrow that heaven cannot heal”

*Whereas, on Monday, June 11th 2012 – God called Mrs. Elise Taylor
Davis*

From her earthly labor to receive her just reward

*Whereas, Elise Taylor Davis was Loyal, faithful and dedicated
to her family, friends and especially to her loving and devoted children
and grandchildren to whom she shared so many wise and noble
thoughts.*

*She was committed to the work of God; she cared for her community,
she trusted God for her strength and guidance. She never faltered in
Thanking*

God for saving her and caring for her family.

*Whereas, she demonstrated her love for Jesus through prayers,
fasting,
and supplications, her courageous fight to live and her undying
devotion to
her family and her extended family who was a very important part of
us.*

*Whereas, she testified her belief in the saving power of Jesus the
Christ.*

*May you find comfort in knowing that your grandmother is now resting
in the*

*loving arms of Jesus Christ, her creator and Redeemer. She fought a
good*

*Fight, she kept the Faith. And pressed toward the mark of the high
calling,
and she finished her course.*

*Therefore, be it Resolved, that she will always be remembered as a
loving*

*Mother, Grandmother, Friend and a True Mentor to all who knew her
and loved her.*

*Be it further resolved that Mrs. Elsie Taylor Davis is relieved
from all duties in this present world, to spend eternity with our heavenly
Father which is in heaven.*

Humbly submitted in Prayer and Supplication,

The Taylor, Massingill and Pittman Family
Hemingway, South Carolina

Wilhelmenia Pittman Pressley - June 15, 2012 at 11:02 PM