



Essie Lee Lewis

July 5, 1943 - November 7, 2014

Essie Lee Lewis, the youngest daughter of the late John Henry Harden and Roxie Anne Robinson, was born on July 5, 1943 in Baltimore, Maryland. She departed this life on November 7, 2014.

Essie was educated in the Baltimore City Public School system, where she graduated from Douglas High School in 1961. Upon graduation Essie's first job was as an Optical Technician at Penn Optical Care.

June, 1966 Essie was joined in Holy matrimony to Ivery Lee Lewis and from this union of love a son was born.

Essie then went on to work at Social Security Administration (SSA), in Woodlawn, Maryland. While working at SSA, she decided to advance her education and career by attending the Community College of Baltimore City where she excelled both in academia and in her career. She retired from SSA as an Administrative Officer after 31 years of service.

Essie was always the optimist. Vibrant, and outspoken, her smile and laughter would light up a room. She was always there to motivate and encourage you to follow your dreams and ready to help or assist someone when needed. If she could lighten your burden, she would do so without hesitation. Essie was a very funny, loving, affectionate woman whose light shone on all whom encountered her presence.

Essie had a style that was all her own. Always immaculate, she loved to dress. She took pride in her appearance and stayed sharp at all times. This carried over into her decorating skills. She had a passion for interior design

and could make any room in your home look showroom ready.

Essie loved to bake and those of us who had the pleasure of sampling her baking expertise could never get enough of her brownies, cakes, sweet potato pies, or her quiche's. Essie also loved adventure and was always traveling with her family or friends, whether it was an outing with her granddaughters, a quick getaway with her sisters or one her special trips with her Goddaughter. She cherished all of those moments.

Essie loved her family, but it was her son, Brent Lamont Lewis, who brought Essie her greatest joy. The friendship and love between the two was very evident in how lovingly she would speak of him and the joy that he and his wife Monica along with her grandchildren, Brittney, Morgan and her great-granddaughter, Brianna brought to her life.

Essie, Momma, Grandma, Sister, Aunt will surely be missed by her family and friends ..

She leaves to cherish her memory: her son, Brent Lamont Lewis; one, daughter-in-law, Monica Lewis; two granddaughters, Brittney Lewis and Morgan Lewis; one great granddaughter, Brianna Gomez; three sisters, Dorothy Wright, Mildred Spencer and Freida Harris; two brothers, Henry Harden and Joseph Harden, one sister-in-law, Marlena Harden; Goddaughter, Reva Harris; and a host of nieces, nephews and friends.

Cemetery Details

King Memorial Park Cemetery - Grand Heritage Chapel & Mausoleum

8710 Dogwood Rd.
Baltimore, MD 21244
(410) 944-8300
info@kingmemorialpark.com
<https://www.KingMemorialPark.com>

Previous Events

Public Viewing

NOV 14. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore
4300 Wabash Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215
(410) 542-2400
info@marchfh.com

Wake

NOV 15. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

March Life Tribute Center
5616 Old Court Rd.
Randallstown, MD

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Essie Lee Lewis*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Essie Lee Lewis.*



November 13, 2014 at 05:12 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Essie Lee Lewis.*



November 13, 2014 at 03:51 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Essie Lee Lewis.*



November 12, 2014 at 03:11 PM



“ 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 - November 11, 2014 at 11:41 AM