



Etha Lucille Johnson

February 27, 1932 - April 8, 2020

ETHA L. JOHNSON, daughter of the late Daniel A. Noble Sr. and Ursula Suiter Noble, was born on February 27, 1932 in Brunswick County, Warfield, Virginia. She departed this life suddenly on April 8, 2020.

Upon completion of high school, she moved to Baltimore, Maryland. Etha worked in the school system. She was a dedicated food service employee of the Baltimore City Public School at Roland Park Elementary. She worked there many years until retirement.

After retirement, Etha became an entrepreneur baking cakes and pies. She also sponsored many trips to some of her favorite places to visit. But most of all, she really enjoyed baking. Her specialty cake was the “Sock it to Me” cake. She received many requests to bake that cake for birthdays, family gatherings, and weddings.

On May 10, 1953, Etha married the love of her life, the late John Johnson Sr. It was a beautiful 56 year union. Out of this union, four children were born. Her two oldest children, John Jr. and Debora preceded her in death.

Etha was the only girl with three brothers. Her two oldest brothers preceded her in death, Daniel Noble and Samuel Noble.

Etha loved people and made numerous friends wherever she went. Many people were drawn to her because of her infectious smile. She also had a sense of humor and loved to laugh. She especially enjoyed spending time with members of her church family, New Psalmist Baptist Church, where she was a member for over 30 years. She often shared words of encouragement and kindness with them either in person or by telephone. She often shared her beliefs with other married couples, of all ages, about the key to a happy marriage: to always communicate with one another and be able to listen, and to love and respect each other.

Etha touched the lives of so many people and will be sincerely missed by everyone who knew her. She was always a true friend and devoted wife, mother, sister, grandmother, and great-grandmother.

She leaves to mourn: daughter, Vontia Johnson; son, Nedrick Johnson; brother, Rufus Noble; daughter-in-law, Judith Johnson; sisters-in-law, grandchildren, great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Previous Events

Wake

APR 18. 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore
4300 Wabash Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215
(410) 542-2400
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Tribute Wall



“ *To View the Webcast of the Funeral for Etha Lucille Johnson, Please Click the Link below.*



March Funeral Homes - April 15, 2020 at 09:45 PM

CJ

I like to take this time out to say grandma, I love you and will never forget what love and teachings in the form of the blessings that you have installed in my life as well as the man you have made of me my heart bleeds with knowing of your departure I will always and forever hold the memories we have shared as well as the fact of you raising me most my life r.i.p grandma much love

*Your grandson
Craig J*

Craig J - April 18, 2020 at 03:05 PM

CJ



Craig J - April 18, 2020 at 03:06 PM



“ *Etha Lucille Johnson*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM

SN

“ The world has lost one sweet caring lady in Etha, I'll miss our talks and her laughter. She always talked about her children with great love and admiration. When I lost my husband her cousin McRaymond she was right there for me. My prayers go out to Vontia and Nedrick. Take comfort in the knowledge she's with your father in heaven.

Sheila Norrington - May 07, 2020 at 02:45 PM

JS

“ Ned and Vonnie, My deepest sorrow to you on the loss of your Mom. Nothing prepares you for the loss of that one special person whose bond with you can never be broken. When I lost my Mom, there was nothing that could ease the pain. Conversations with those who have lost their Mom brought a little soothing comfort knowing they understood that tremendous feeling of lost. The world keeps going and you just want the world to know that the most important person in the world just transitioned. I want you to know that at this moment I acknowledge that the world have lost someone very special and for that, I grieve with you. Juanita Scott

Juanita Scott - April 20, 2020 at 02:00 PM

HJ

“ To my cousins Vonnie and Nedrick. I am still in shock. I wasn't prepared for cousin Etha's passing. I will always cherish the memories of the family gatherings. Everytime Etha came over to the house. She would search for my son and talked to him about getting himself together. I really appreciated the conversations that she had with him. I am going to miss her laughter and smile. Cousin Etha rest in heaven. You received your wings from the highest.
Love Harry Jr

Harry Allen Jr - April 20, 2020 at 01:27 AM

GF

“ Gale Fulton lit a candle in memory of Etha Lucille Johnson



Gale Fulton - April 18, 2020 at 10:47 PM

TL

“ Trumella Logan sent a virtual gift in memory of Etha Lucille Johnson



Trumella Logan - April 18, 2020 at 04:23 PM

OB

“ Ned & Vontia Greg and I extend our sincere and deepest condolences to you and the Johnson Family. Cherish the memories and seek God for comfort in those difficult days and know she is resting in the arms of our Lord and Savior. Greg and Odyssey ❤️

Odyssey & Gregory Bean - April 18, 2020 at 03:39 PM

MA

“ Marie-Alice sent a virtual gift in memory of Etha Lucille Johnson



Marie-Alice - April 18, 2020 at 01:51 PM

MA

Vonnie - I am praying for you and your family during these hard times. Your mom will always be with you, she is now your guardian angel. Continue talking to her, reliving the memories, telling her goodnight before you go to sleep -- she is simply just watching over you. We'll always be here for you. Love, Marie-Alice

Marie-Alice - April 18, 2020 at 01:51 PM

SS

“ *My prayer to Vontia and Nedrick is God bless and keep you in his care. I love you and pray daily for you.*

Love Cousin Carrie and family

Sheila Simms - April 18, 2020 at 01:22 PM

LB

“ *Ned and Vonta, Eric and I send our sincere condolences and are praying for your strength at this difficult time. We loved Cousin Etha dearly. I will always cherish the times we had together on Cold Spring Lane and never forget the support she gave me with all her heart. Love you all. Tish*

Letitia Brown - April 18, 2020 at 12:33 PM

BJ

“ *She was a fantastic Aunt and always asked about myself and my family. I enjoyed talking to her and she always kept me on my toes. She will truly be missed. Love always, nephew Bert.*

Bertinus Johnson - April 18, 2020 at 12:32 PM

LB

“ Vontia, my deepest condolences to you and your family. I am here if you need me
Love you.

Lydia Burnett - April 18, 2020 at 12:21 PM

MM

“ Marsha Mackey sent a virtual gift in memory of
Etha Lucille Johnson



Marsha Mackey - April 18, 2020 at 09:25 AM

MM

“ Vonnie, please know I'm with you today in spirit. Thank you for sharing your beautiful mother with me throughout the years. May God bless you and your family.
Love Marsha

Marsha Mackey - April 18, 2020 at 07:19 AM

TA

“ Vonnie - my prayers are with you and your entire family. I pray for your comfort and your peace even now. I'll be with you for the service. (((Hugs))) Tasha Lee

Tasha - April 17, 2020 at 01:15 PM

DB

“ Vonnie, Cheryl & I are thinking of you, wishing you hope in the midst of sorrow, comfort in the midst of pain.

Dave Basham - April 17, 2020 at 08:31 AM

MM

*Vonnie know I'm with you in spirit. Thank you for sharing your beautiful mother with me throughout the years.
Love Marsha*

Marsha Mackey - April 18, 2020 at 07:10 AM

BB

“ *Barry Basham purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Etha Lucille Johnson.*



Barry Basham - April 15, 2020 at 02:57 PM

BB

“ *Barry Basham purchased the Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant for the family of Etha Lucille Johnson.*



Barry Basham - April 15, 2020 at 02:54 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 - April 15, 2020 at 10:44 AM

MM

*Vonnie and Ned please know I loved your mom just like my own. Your mom was very special to me. We often shared long conversations about life and her advice was always on point. I'd always love to get calls from her when she was just checking up on me. Thank you for sharing your beautiful and loving mom with me. God bless.
Love Marsha.*

marsha macley - April 18, 2020 at 07:06 AM

MJ

To Vonita and family may God give you the strength you need each day to carry on with loving memories of your Mom, friend, sister, and grandmother. Mrs. Johnson was truly a beautiful woman of God. She always had a smile on her face and had something sweet to say to you if your spirit was down. I will cherish the memories we have shared together. Be Blessed and Trusted that God will ease your pain.

*In His Name,
Marlene Johnson*

Marlene Johnson - April 18, 2020 at 12:28 PM