



Evelyn Percella Belle

February 2, 1932 - July 12, 2019

Evelyn Percella Belle was the seventh of thirteen children of Percy and Lucille Anderson, born February 2, 1932 in Harlem, New York. She was educated in the New York Public School System.

Evelyn was married to James T. Belle who preceded her in death. From this union one daughter and three sons were born: Lavarra Anderson (deceased), James T. Belle Jr. (Sheila), Reginald Belle (deceased) and Darrell Belle.

Evelyn was affectionately known as Nana. She loved entertaining, cooking and dancing. She loved hosting Pokeno Night. Nana wouldn't hesitate to help whenever or wherever she was needed. She was full of wisdom and was eager to share her thoughts. Nana didn't sugar coat, she always gave her honest opinion, like it or not. Nana worked at the daycare until she became ill and couldn't do so, but that didn't stop her. She ran things from her room and she enjoyed having the kids come up and spend time with her. She had a heart of gold and taught us unconditional love. She was the glue that held us all together.

Evelyn P. Belle transitioned from this life to her eternal home on Friday, July 12, 2019. She fought hard and long. She will be missed.

Nana leaves to cherish her memory: her sons, Jimmy and Darrell; her sister,

Marion; 10 grandchildren; 13 great grandchildren; 4 great great grandchildren; a host of special nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Nana's Famous Quotes

"Don't count your chickens before they hatch."

"DID I SLEEP WITH YOU LAST NIGHT?"

"You're not a pretzel." "You can't buy a bag of common sense."

"You went to the end of the earth to find him/her."

Cemetery Details

Virginia Veterans Cemetery at Amelia

10300 Pridesville Road
Amelia, VA 23002

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 17. 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home -Laburnum Chapel
2110 E. Laburnum Ave.
Richmond, VA 23222

Celebration of Life

JUL 18. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Evelyn Percella Belle*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *With love to the family. Calvin and Carolyn Hemphill*

Carolyn Hemphill - July 18, 2019 at 11:49 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Evelyn Percella Belle.*



July 17, 2019 at 01:13 PM



“ *Love Always, Tim & Gwen Green purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Evelyn Percella Belle.*



Love Always, Tim & Gwen Green - July 16, 2019 at 10:56 PM

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“ Our condolences and deepest sympathy go out to the family of Evelyn Belle. Nana as we were known to call her was a sweet spirited woman. I reflect on the many conversations and laughs that we shared. She was surely loved by all the lives she touched and will truly be missed. May God continue to comfort you and the family in your time of loss.
Marilyn and Kirk we Love you guys!!! Always Tim and Gwen Green

Gwen Green - July 16, 2019 at 10:34 PM

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“ It's with my deepest sympathy and condolences for the family of Evelyn Belle. She was a beautiful and wonderful person. Her legacy lives on with the many lives she touched. May God bless you and keep you all. Love Always Kelli & Shania



Kelli Payne - July 16, 2019 at 09:01 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Evelyn Percella Belle.



July 16, 2019 at 02:53 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Evelyn Percella Belle.*



July 16, 2019 at 12:05 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Evelyn Percella Belle.*



July 16, 2019 at 11:58 AM



“ *On Behalf of the Jeter and Simpson Family,*

We would like to send our sincerest condolences to the family of Mrs. Belle. Words cannot begin to express how she will be missed by our family, as the bond was made tight years ago. She was loved by us and was more than just a friend to the family, but WAS family to us. We extend our deepest prayers, our love, and our support during this difficult time. May she continue to live in your heart as she will forever be in ours.

With love, Ms Pat (Patsy as Mrs. Belle would say), Yolanda (Landi as she would say) and Crystal (Chrissy as she would say)

Rest in Peace Mrs. Belle and "join the gang" They have been waiting for you. We love you.

Yolanda Jeter - July 16, 2019 at 11:20 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 - July 15, 2019 at 01:47 PM