



Evelyn C Perry

April 12, 1922 - February 7, 2016

Evelyn LaJerald Copeland Perry was born in Suffolk, Virginia, April 12, 1922. She was the daughter of the late Exum and Ada Copeland.

In 1943, Evelyn married her childhood sweetheart, James W. Perry of Suffolk, Virginia. From that union 5 children were born. Three children lived: Corentheis "Connie" Perry-Simon, B.S.N., M.S.N ret. Baltimore VA Medical Center; Dr. Larry Steven Perry, M.D. Cardiologist; and Tony Reagan Perry, B.S. scientist, ret. Aberdeen Md. Evelyn was also the sister of the late Freddie and William Copeland.

Evelyn's family moved to Baltimore in 1928, where she graduated from Dunbar Senior High School. In 1959, She became an L.P.N., graduated from the Baltimore City Hospital School of Nursing. Evelyn was a well known business woman, founding, owning and directing "The 7 Dwarfs Day Care Center" in 1969.

Evelyn joined the congregation of St. Mark's Institution Baptist Church over 50 years ago under Reverend Spencer G. Dobson, Sr. While at St. Marks, Evelyn was President of the Missionary Society for many years. Furthermore, Evelyn was served in multiple roles in her Edmondson Village neighborhood; including Block Captain and Chaplin for The Evergreen Protective Association for years. She was a member of The Enoch Pratt Library Edmondson Branch

and served as an Election Judge for the City of Baltimore.

In 1995, Evelyn joined congregation of First United Church of Jesus Christ Apostolic [Now known as Transformation Church] on under Bishop Monroe R. Saunders, Sr. Evelyn loved First United Church, the Pastor, and church family and rarely missed a Sunday. She joined The Nurses Guild in 1996 and took great pride whenever she was called upon to serve. At First United, Evelyn founded the Annual Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Fellowship Luncheon at Transformation Ministries Church. In addition, Evelyn was a member of the widow support group, The Bernard E. Mason Golden Age Club and The Evergreen Protective Association. She also enjoyed college basketball, current events and news, eating out, and The Young and Restless soap opera. She loved to work with flowers and gardening. Evelyn also was a NAACP Representative at Transformation Church.

Upon her 90th birthday, she was recognized by President Obama, Babrara Milkulski, Govenor O'Malley, Lieutenant Govenor Brown, the University of Maryland College Park Basketball Team and the cast of The Young and The Restless.

Evelyn leaves to cherish her memories 3 devoted children, Connie Perry-Simon, Dr. Larry S. Perry, and Tony R. Perry; 11 grandchildren Dawn Simon-Matthews, Carla Simon-Pittman, Lynn K. Simon, Michael N. Simon, Lisa LeJerald Perry, Leah Copeland Perry, Lynda Perry, Larry Steven Perry, II, Tony Steven Perry, Marcus Rudolph Perry, and Sarah Legerald Perry. 3 nephews: Brian Copeland, Bill Copeland, and Douglass Copeland. 11 great-grandchildren. 2 daughters-in-law: Delmeta Johnson Perry and Inez Braye Perry. A devoted cousin, Rev. Joseph Copeland of Portsmouth, Va. 3 granddaughters-in-law: Mia Perry, Candice Perry and Letta Simon. 3 grandsons-in-law: Keith Matthews, Don Dyer, and Kevin Pittman. A devoted friend, like a son, Cortez Bryant of Baltimore and a special cousin, Mary Willis Murphy of New York City and many, many other cousins and friends.

Cemetery Details

Arbutus Memorial Park Cemetery

1101 Sulphur Spring Road
Baltimore, MD 21227

Previous Events

Public Viewing

FEB 14. 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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

Family Hour

FEB 14. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

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Wake

FEB 15. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Transformation Church Of Jesus Christ
5150 Baltimore National Pike
Baltimore, MD

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Evelyn C Perry

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ Mother Perry was a pleasant and sweet lady. Always giving words of encouragement. If she thought that you were down, she had a way of lifting your spirits. I thank God for her youthfulness and long life and the blessing that she was to everyone that she met.

Eunice Richardson - February 17, 2016 at 08:38 AM



“ We will always remember cousin Evelyn sharing her time with my sister Joyce. Our prayers are with you. The Pitts Family.

The Pitts Family - February 16, 2016 at 05:53 PM



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George & Ruth Dunham - February 16, 2016 at 02:47 PM



“ Thoughts & prayers are with you & the family

Cousin vernice thaniel in Richmond, va. - February 15, 2016 at 01:44 PM

HP

“ *HILDA PHILLIPS lit a candle in memory of Evelyn C Perry*



HILDA PHILLIPS - February 15, 2016 at 01:04 PM

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“ *You thought me more than words can express. You are forever with me
Love
Lynn*

Isimon - February 14, 2016 at 09:17 AM

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“ *Cousin Evelyn Perry lived her life to the fullest. To God be the Glory great things he has done.*



Pastor Henry Edens and Family

Beverly Edens - February 13, 2016 at 06:20 PM

LL

“ *Lynne LeVere lit a candle in memory of Evelyn C Perry*



Lynne LeVere - February 12, 2016 at 08:32 PM

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“ Clifford and Doris Jeter, Sonja Jeter Ellis and Family purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Evelyn C Perry.



Clifford and Doris Jeter, Sonja Jeter Ellis and Family -
February 12, 2016 at 10:46 AM

JO

“ Please allow me the chance to express my deepest condolences for the loss of your most precious loved one Evelyn Perry. I know that this is a most difficult time for you but I pray that the loving support of caring friends will encircle you and that you will know how much others care and share your pain. Our loving heavenly father Jehovah assures us of his love. John3:16 He is always ready to help and provide us with whatever we need to endure our trials. How good to know that one day all suffering, pain and sorrow will end. Rev21:3-4 Do not let your hearts be troubled. Believe in the promises of God and find inner peace and contentment.

Joy - February 10, 2016 at 01:17 PM

SB

“ Sheila Butts lit a candle in memory of Evelyn C Perry



Sheila Butts - February 10, 2016 at 01:11 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 - February 09, 2016 at 06:14 PM