



## Helen Marie Mitchell

January 31, 1939 - October 10, 2004

Helen Marie Mitchell, the daughter of the late Helen Rachel Goodwin and William Goodwin was born in Roanoke Rapids, N.C. on January 31, 1939. On Sunday, October 10, 2004, the weather was perfect. It was like a spring day. Marie decided she wanted to go shopping, and she called her friend, Bernice to take her shopping (for her grandchildren). They spent a few hours out enjoying the weather, and then they decided to stop to pick up some food. Marie sat at the table to eat her food while Bernice went to get silverware, but the food was never eaten by Marie. Marie received her elementary education in the Halifax County public school and joined the Piney Grove Baptist Church as a child. Marie moved to Baltimore in 1956, where she attended Frederick Douglas High School but dropped out to get married and to have her first child, Sterling Hugh Mitchell. Marie was a very determined person who had strong feelings about education. She attended night school where she received her GED, then went on to get her BA degree at what was known as Coppin's State Teacher's College. After finishing Coppin's State's Teacher's College, still determined, Marie attended Johns Hopkins University where she received her Master's Degree. Marie also received some credits towards her Ph.D. Marie was divorced from Wellington H. Mitchell early on. She later married Donald Nolan who predeceased her. Marie was employed in Baltimore City Public Schools, teaching Special Education, tutoring and also teaching adults at night. She retired in 1999 due to her illness. Marie was a devoted grandmother before and after retiring. A conversation could not start

without her speaking of her grandchildren. She was a member of the Christian Community Church of God. Those left to cherish the memories of her love are her children, Sterling Hugh Mitchell, Sr., Cynthia Jones; her step-children, Donald Nolan, Jr. and Brenda Jenkins; her grandchildren, Sterling H. Mitchell, Jr., Cortni Joes, Mark Jones, Jr., and Dmitri Fulton; her brother, Willie L. Goodwin of Baltimore; sisters, Anne S. Savage of Baltimore and Cozie M. Lassiter of Germany; her two aunts who she was devoted to: Mary Goodwin Bowser, and Margaret Goodwin People; her sister-in-law, Dorothy Goodwin; nieces, nephew, and cousins. Marie also leaves to mourn three devoted friends (Bernice Hocker, Jerene Butler, and Michael Fulton) were there for her every moment of the day and night, who could tolerate her sometimes curt ways, and never asked for anything but her friendship.

# Tribute Wall



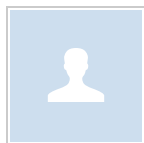
“ *RIP grandma from your baby boy Dmitri i love you and will never forget you my heart*

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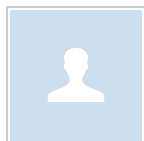
“ *Each and every day of my life, I miss you. You were a sister, friend, and mother to me. Rest in peace and may God bless you for all of the good things you have done for others. Love, Cozie M. Goodwin Lassiter*

Cozie Lassiter - December 10, 2022 at 10:59 AM



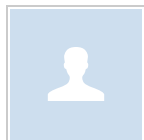
“ *Helen Marie Mitchell*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Dear Family: I am sorry for your great loss. I send the family my condolences. But the Bible also offers us a hope found at John 5:28,29. I tells us "all those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice and come out". So we now must anxiously await the day Jehovah fulfills his promise and reunites us with our dead loved ones.##imported-begin##Vanessa Adams##imported-end##*

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“ *TO THE FAMILY YOU HAVE MY CONDLENCE MAY GOD BE WITH ALL OF YOU AND KEEP YOU IN HIS CARE.##imported-begin##LaQuasia Burns##imported-end##*

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“ Hello Family & Friends, I am so sorry to hear of your loss and I am offering my condolences. The scriptures can be of great comfort to us all. I am reminded of the scripture at Revelation 21:3,4 where Almighty God says that he is going to wipe the tears from our eyes and death will be no more neither will mourning nor crying nor pain be any more. The Bible also promises that we will be able to see our dead loved ones again by means of a resurrection. (John 5:28,29) It is my hope that you will be comforted by these scriptures.##imported-begin##Sophia Briscoe##imported-end##

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“ My deepest sympathy during your time of sorrow but know that the God of comfort is with you all during this time of tribulation. (2Corinthian 1:3-4) Due to the many unforeseen occurrences that brings tragedy to our lives Jehovah God promises one day soon Death will be no more (Rev 21:3-4) and his son have been given the authority to bring all those in the memorial tombs back to life. John 5:28-29 Just think there will come a time not only will death be no more but Jehovah promises that no one will have to say I'm sick according to Isaiah 33:24. I feel the need to express these words of hope because so many of us today treasure the gift of life and we do all we can to maintain it to hold on to it. That is why it hurts so badly when our loved ones die. With so many of us desiring life today no matter how good or bad it is we still want life here on earth. No one looks forward to that time of death. That is why I am under obligation by the spirit and love of God to share that hope that is in our near future that the righteous shall inherit the earth and reside upon it forever according to Psalms 37: 29 along with the above stated promises on a paradise and peaceful earth. We all can hold true to this everlasting promise because Isaiah 55:11 states all the words Jehovah have spoken WILL NOT RETURN WITHOUT RESULTS. What a wonderful prospect for our future especially enlight of the fact that Hebrews 6:18 States of God, it is IMPOSSIBLE for him to lie.##imported-begin##Carter##imported-end##

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