



## Johnnie Mae Morris

August 13, 1933 - January 1, 2012

JOHNNIE MAE MORRIS, was born on August 13, 1933 to the late Flemming Hemphill and Lucy Morris. She was raised in Chester, South Carolina by her Aunt Rose Mayfield, which she lovingly called Mama Rose and her grandfather Robert Morris, which she lovingly called Papa. Suddenly on January 1, 2012 during her battle with multiple illnesses, she surrendered peacefully and went home to be with God.

Johnnie Mae was educated at Friendly High School in Chester County, South Carolina. She attended Friendship Baptist Church regularly where she learned morals, values and to love God. At the age of 14, she departed from South Carolina to join her mother at 1821 N. String Street in Baltimore, Maryland.

Johnnie Mae loved her mother and this love for her mother compelled her to put her education on hold to work full-time to care for her ailing mother until her death in 1954. During this time, she met and fell in love with her soul-mate, Weaver Leander Dorsey. Weaver loved and adored Johnnie Mae and together they raised a family.

Between 1957 and 1962, Johnnie Mae gave birth to four who she loved and adored. She poured all of her energy into raising her children. She placed God, family and education as the foundation for their development, and constantly supported and encouraged them to be the best people they could

be. Due to her philosophy of god, family, and education, she was determined to complete her own education and attended Guilford Adult Education center where she worked hard on getting her diploma.

Miss Johnnie, Mama, Moms, Miss Johnnie Mae, Mommy, Sweetheart, Mother. She was known by many names, but the one she loved the most was Moms. Johnnie Mae served as a mother to many. She has fed, sheltered, lectured supported, and encouraged those that she encountered. She had a special love for people who needed a good word or just an ear to listen. She has always treated people with dignity this is the reason she is loved and is a testament to her personality. She will be sorely missed.

# Cemetery Details

## Baltimore Cemetery

Baltimore, MD

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

JAN 10. 8:30 AM - 8:30 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - East Baltimore  
1101 East North Avenue  
Baltimore, MD 21202  
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## Wake

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

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## Service

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JAN 11. 12:00 PM (ET)

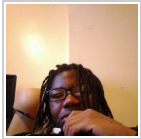
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Johnnie Mae Morris*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Weaver Dorsey sent a virtual gift in memory of Johnnie Mae Morris*



**Weaver Dorsey** - November 15, 2018 at 01:39 PM



“ *1 file added to the album For Our Family... Near & Far with Love*



**Johnnie Minor** - January 12, 2012 at 01:37 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** - January 09, 2012 at 10:01 AM