



Julia Joyce Dockins

March 25, 1930 - March 28, 2009

Our beloved Julia “Joyce” Dockins was born to the late Mary Dodd and Alexander Smith on March 25, 1930 in Baltimore, Maryland. On March 28, 2009 God felt it was time to bring her home to rest. As the youngest of four siblings, she was educated, worked, and lived in Baltimore City. She united with Frank Haskins and they had three children, Harold, Rosalyn, and Phyllis Haskins. Later, she was united in marriage with the late OZ Dockins. From that union came five more children, Annette, Myra, Eric, Darlene and Cheryl Dockins. She was affectionately known as “Joyce”, and also known as Mama, Grandma, and Grampsey. As a youngster she was a talented piano player and loved to sing and dance. Some of her hobbies were playing computer solitaire, electronic video games, solving find-a-word puzzle books and there was no jigsaw puzzle that she couldn’t put together. She treasured her huge collection of photographs of family and friends. She joined His Way Christian Fellowship under the leadership of Kelly Smith. As the oldest member, she proudly served an important role as Mother of the Church until she was no longer physically able. A family matriarch, devoted to raising her children, grandchildren and her great-grandchildren, and her great-grandchildren, her warm easygoing spirit gave her the ability to develop special relationships with everyone she encountered. She leaves to cherish her fond and loving memories; brother, William Dodd; sister Shirley Jones, five children, Harold Haskins, Rosalyn Irby, Jerri Annette Holland, Myra Dockins and Cheryl Dockins; daughter-in-law, Constance Haskins; nine grandchildren, Carla,

Charmaine, Sean, Dirk, Patricia, Shawan, Khadiedre, Erica and Eric; fourteen great-grandchildren; two special trusted devoted friends, Valerie Bruce and Barbara Smith-Talley, a host of nieces, nephews, other family and friends.

Tribute Wall



“ *Julia Joyce Dockins*

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“ *May the peace of God and the memories of your mother give you a since of peace in this difficult time. Love Cousin Bubba##imported-begin##Andrew Greene##imported-end##*

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“ *You are greatly missed Mother Joycie. I will miss the phone conversations and your smile. My God encamp angles around your family. Love you, Kimberly M.##imported-begin##kim##imported-end##*

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“ *God bless this family in their time of sorrow and just know that you all are in our thoughts and prayers. God bless each and everyone of you. I pray that strength and unity will be exercised during this difficult time. GOD BLESS!!##imported-begin##Ms. Glo##imported-end##*

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“ Hi Myra, Carla, & Shawan, Sorry for the lost of someone so very special to all of us. Ms. Joyce was like family to us. When we would visit from South Carolina we could always count on seeing her smiling face. We are going to miss her, know that you are in our prayers and we love all of you! Love, Lavonda, Gloria, & Antwain Darlington, SC###imported-begin##Lavonda T. Green###imported-end##

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“ May you recieve much support, strength, and comfort from our loving heavenly father above during this difficult time. He cares for us and loves us more than we could ever know. He gives us assurance of his loving care at Isaiah 66:13, "Like a man whom his own mother keeps comforting, so I shall keep comforting you people." One day we will never have to say goodbye to our loved ones anymore, because God will end this enemy, death, which causes us so much grief. 1st Cor15:26. One day we have the hope of seeing our loved ones come back to life. Death is not the end, but we need an all-powerful God to restore the life force back to the dead ones. Jehovah, the Almighty has that power as well as the desire to raise our loved ones from the dead. Psalm 68:29 in the New World Translation says: The true God is for us a God of saving acts, and to the Sovereign Lord Jehovah belong the ways out from death. ONe day the dead will hear the voice of Jehovah's Son, Christ Jesus, and they will come out of the memorial tombs. Please be comforted by your wonderful memories. John 5:28,29###imported-begin##R Johnson###imported-end##

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