



Lillie Bell Laster

January 11, 1918 - November 22, 2004

Lillie Bell Laster, the daughter of the late Amos and Kattie Waller, was born on January 11, 1918 in Granville County, North Carolina. She peacefully departed this life on Monday, November 22, 2004 at Villa Saint Michael Nursing Home in Baltimore. She was the ninth of ten children. In December, 1934, she married Eugene Smith. From that union, two daughters were born. Affectionately known by relatives and friends as "Bell" she worked for various businesses in Baltimore and retired from the Enoch Pratt Library after twelve years of service. Bell enjoyed listening to music and dancing with friends at home and attending family gatherings. Bell's first marriage ended in divorce. In 1961, Bell married Earnest Laster, a union that lasted twenty-one years until his death in 1982. She leaves to cherish memories of her: two daughters, Katie Smith and Maxine Branson; the blended family, Ronald, Wallace, Terry, Tyrell Laster and April Polk; sister, Lucy Mae Elkerson; five grandchildren, Maxine Campbell, Michael Smith, Kimberlee Lewis, Jonathan Taylor, Shontrea Bazemore, among eleven more grandchildren; six great-grandchildren, five great-great-grandchildren, and a host of relatives and friends.

Tribute Wall



“ *Lillie Bell Laster*

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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 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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