



Marie Childs

November 18, 1929 - January 31, 2008

Marie Annie Pearl Childs, the daughter of the late Forest Harris and Signora Garrett Harris, was born in Dillwyn, Virginia on November 18, 1929. The Lord called her home on Thursday, January 31, 2008. She accepted Christ as her personal Savior and joined Chief Cornerstone Baptist Church at an early age. She received her education in the Buckingham County School System and received her high school diploma from Buckingham County Training School on May 30, 1947. She was a substitute teacher for a year before moving to Baltimore, MD. She then married Sydney Fowlkes, and from that union came her only child, Michael Thomas Fowlkes. She worked at Kmart for thirty-five years until she retired. Marie enjoyed dancing, casinos, and liked forward to spending time with her family in Virginia for Labor Day every year. Marie was a thoughtful, loving, considerate and generous woman who will truly be missed by all those she leaves to mourn. She was preceded in death by all five of her brothers, Howard Lee Harris (Skinny), Clifton Harris (Jug), Thomas Harris, James Harris (Baby Bear), and Albert Harris; one sister, Doris Bentley; and her husband, Percy Childs. She leaves to cherish her loving memory, her son, Michael Fowlkes; granddaughter, Nikki Fowlkes; two great-grandchildren, Kelli Ann Marie Pinkey and Kolbi Gaither all of Baltimore; two sisters, Mae James of Philadelphia, PA. And Signora Patterson of Dillwyn, VA. two brothers-in-law, George Bentley of Baltimore, MD. And Shirley Patterson of Dillwyn, VA. a treasured cousin, Ruth Austin; a beloved companion, Clarence Burke; a dear friend, Constance Foster; a host of nieces and nephews, great-

nieces and nephews and other cherished relatives and friends.

Tribute Wall



“ Marie Childs

March 25, 2023 at 10:25 AM



“ Marie Childs

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“ To the family and friends, I offer my condolences. It truly is unfortunate that we must experience the sorrow associated with the loss of one we love. May you find comfort and strength from the "God of all comfort" (2 Corinthians 1:3,4) who promises at Isaiah 66:13, "Like a man whom his own mother keeps comforting, so I myself shall keep comforting you people."###imported-begin##Gwen Winston###imported-end##

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“ Please accept my condolences for the loss of Mrs. Childs. The Bible offers much comfort and hope even during the dark days of our life such as the loss of a loved one.(Romans 15:4) The Bible lovingly assures us that "There is going to be a resurrection."-Acts 24:15 Also, the Bible teaches that sickness, death, sorrow and pain will be destroyed. (Revelation 21:3-5; Psalm 37;29) May you receive much hope, comfort and strength from these loving promises found in the Bible.###imported-begin##Sharon Hill###imported-end##

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