



Minerva W. Williams

April 10, 1915 - August 28, 2005

MINERVA WESLEY WILLIAMS was born April 10, 1915 in Williamsport, Pennsylvania. She went to sleep in God on August 28, 2005. She was educated in both public and parochial schools. She graduated from Douglass High School in 1933, then attended Coppin Teachers College receiving her Teaching Certificate in 1936. She taught in Baltimore public schools. She then returned to school in the late 1960's and received a Bachelor of Arts Degree from Morgan State College in 1968. Minerva also had time in her life for her family and married Granville Williams; from this union they had two daughters, Re-Elda M. Williams and Granvillette L. Kestenbaum. Minerva dedicated much of her time and energy through the years, but always maintained many warm relationships with friends and family. She was a true giver, always ready to help when called upon. Through all her life she always maintained a continuing faithful walk with God. She had been a member of the Church of St. Mary the Virgin for over thirty years. She was very proud of her faith and wrote about it even during her declining years. In February of 2005, Black History Month, she was honored by the University of Maryland's Psychiatric Department as an "Outstanding American." She leaves to cherish her memory: two daughters, Re-Elda Williams and Granvillette Kestenbaum; one granddaughter, Lauren M. Kestenbaum; a devoted pupil of sixty years, Dorothy W. Spriggs; and many devoted relatives and friends.

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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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“ I wish to express to the family of Ms. Williams my deepest sympathy. Comfort, love and support in this most difficult can help individuals cope. The bible too gives us a comforting hope. John 5:28,29 promises "Do not marvel at this, because the hour is coming in which all those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice and come out"..... This will soon be reality by means of God's Kingdom.##imported-begin##K. D. Smith##imported-end##

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“ ReElda and Family, We want to send our deepest sympathy on the loss of your lovely Mother. We are thinking of you during this time. Your Friends at the B-144 (5-5787)##imported-begin##Dechen , Juanita , Helen and the Nutrition office Staff##imported-end##

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