



Pattie Mae Artis

April 7, 1929 - November 5, 2017

Pattie Mae Artis was born to the late John Dillard and Pearlie Bynum of Southampton, Virginia on April 7, 1929. On Sunday, November 5, 2017, she transitioned to the pearly gates of heaven to be reunited with her loved ones. She was preceded in death by her husband, Garnett H. Artis of 49 years; daughter, Cassandra Spruill; granddaughter, Jasmine Spruill and her son, Lester Artis.

Pattie received her education at Southampton County School in Virginia.

While employed at Southampton Memorial Hospital in Franklin, Virginia for 20 years as a custodial worker, she received a certificate as a Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA). In the early nineties, Pattie relocated to Richmond, Virginia where she was employed with St. Mary's Hospital for 20 years until she retired in July 2017. Even on the job, she was a mentor and confidant to many.

Pattie enjoyed singing, cooking, entertaining family and friends and she always had an open house. She loved working with the staff and doctors at St. Mary's Hospital and she was well loved by all of them.

She was a faithful member of Bryant Baptist Church in Courtland, Virginia for over 50 years until she relocated to Richmond, Virginia. While in Richmond she attended Good Shepherd Baptist Church. Pattie was one that was always

prepared to be in church on Sundays. She enjoyed receiving the word, listening to gospel music and you could always find her reading the Bible.

She was a dedicated wife, mother, grandmother, great-grand-mother, aunt and friend. Pattie touched the lives of so many people with her loving heart and untold compassion for others. Her smile would light up the room. She was very independent, generous, funny, strong, honest, and energetic.

She leaves to cherish her loving memory, daughters, Esther and Madeline Artis, Gloria Harding (Zebedee), Lofrandra Lewis (Darryl); 10 grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren, a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Bryant Baptist Church Cemetery

23375 Bryant Church Rd.
Courtland, VA 23837

Previous Events

Public Viewing

NOV 9. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home-Laburnum Ave.
2110 E. Laburnum Ave.
Richmond, VA 23222

Service

NOV 10. 12:00 PM (ET)

Bryant Baptist Church
23375 Bryant Church Rd.
Courtland, VA 23837

Tribute Wall



“ *Pattie Mae Artis*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Mrs. Artis you will never be forgotten i will missed our talks that we had you will turely be missed you are in heaven now*

Amelia Bynum - November 09, 2017 at 08:06 PM



“ *Magnificent Life Spray was purchased for the family of Pattie Mae Artis.*



November 08, 2017 at 09:55 PM



“ *To: The Artist Family.
Please accept my sincere condolences. May you find comfort in God's word the Bible. Jesus said: At John 6:40 For this is the will of my Father, that everyone who recognizes the Son and exercises faith in him should have everlasting life, and I will resurrect him (her) on the last day.
May the hope and promises in this Scripture bring you comfort and strength to endure the difficult days ahead.*

Rosemary - November 08, 2017 at 09:16 AM

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“ *My thoughts and prayers are with your family. Patty was an amazing lady and I am so lucky I got to know her at St Marys!! I have missed seeing her the last few months since her retirement and was so sorry to hear of her passing. Heaven has gained an angel and she is smiling down on you all.*

Mary St Marys Volunteer

Mary - November 08, 2017 at 12:22 AM



“ *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 - November 07, 2017 at 01:29 PM