



Vera O. Jacobs

February 22, 1932 - March 31, 2006

VERA O. JACOBS, the oldest daughter of nineteen children of Odessa Carter and the late Jesse Carter, was born in Fayetteville, N.C. on February 22, 1932. She departed this life at University Hospital after a successful aneurism stomach surgery on March 31, 2006. Vera attended school in North Carolina and then moved to New York City. In 1960 she moved to Baltimore, Maryland where she married Joseph Jacobs, and out of that union she had one child, Catherine Jacobs. Vera worked in many fields but she loved being a personal care provider the most. She retired in 1990 from the Maryland Personal Care Providers Medical System. Vera always had an abundance of love to give to everyone. Although her granddaughter Renasha (Nay-Nay) was the light of her life along with her care provider Tena Jackson (Tate) which she called Cat Jr. Her life was totally complete every time she came home and was greeted by her cat "Misty." Left to cherish her memory are: daughter, Catherine Jacobs-Leeper; granddaughter, Renasha Antoinette Whitfield; son-in-law, Elwood E. Leeper Jr.; care provider, Tena Jackson; ex-husband and devoted friend, Johnny E. Evans; goddaughter, Jean Young; five sisters, Joe-Ann Carter, Myrtis Carter, Shirley Carter, Mary E. Carter, (sister Katrina White preceded her in death); nine brothers, Jesse Carter, Franklin Carter, Antonio Carter, Larry Carter, Tony Phillips, (brothers Theodore Carter, Bobby Carter and James Phillips preceded her in death along with three unnamed brothers); eight sisters-in-law, Althea Carter, Barbara Watson, Carolyn Carter, Joyce Carter, Rose Carter, Sugg Jacobs (Charlotte Carter and Delores Carter

preceded her in death); six brothers-in-law, Dewit White, Burgess (Wilbert Jacobs, James Jacobs, John Jacobs and Richard Evans preceded her in death); nieces, Michelle Anderson, Lucinda Beverly, Lisa Beverly, Kawanjii Felder; nephews, Clemmie Anderson, Marvin Hart, (Percy Johnson and Dante Watson preceded her in death); a special aunt, Mrs. Mary McCoy along with a host of other aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and friends.

Tribute Wall



“ Vera O. Jacobs

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Mama I thought this would get easier as the years went on but I see its actually gets harder and harder. I'm hanging in here and still in Pennsylvania but I'm sure that you already know this because you're up there watching over me and I love you so much for that.
Rest in Heaven
Love you Forever
Kitty-Cat*

Catherine Jacobs Leeper - April 06, 2017 at 03:14 PM



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Catherine Jacobs - July 23, 2012 at 09:23 PM



“ *Mama I miss you so much and life has not been the same without you here with me. I know you are watching over me and seeing me through everything. Well you now have two grandchildren (Leah 2 and Jaiden 7mts). Renasha has moved back home in PA and she's working back at Bayview. I'm still at MV and taking that long drive to get there but you know I love it. Mama I really do miss you but I have come to realize you are in a better place but I'm still trying to understand why you had to leave me by myself.*

Love Always Kitty-Cat

Catherine Jacobs-Leeper - October 19, 2010 at 12:15 PM

CJ

Well mama today is mama dessa's birthday and if she was here with me she would have been 100 years young. Missing you and her hurts so much but I'm glad of the woman you and her made me. I'm glad to have been raised by two strong black women who had so much knowledge.

Love you always Kitty-Cat

Catherine Jacobs - July 23, 2012 at 09:28 PM



“ Please accept my sincere condolences for your loss. I too have lost loved ones in death. Even though we know that death is inevitable, it is still difficult to accept. Death was not something that God intended for us. The thought of death is always distasteful and it always will be because Jehovah God has created within us the keen desire to live forever. We never get used to it. We feel deep down in our hearts that this should not happen because, “Even time indefinite he (God) has put in their heart,” says Ecclesiastes 3:11. One of the wonderful parts of his plan is the hope of the resurrection of dead loved ones. (John 5:25, 28, 29). Please be assured that Jehovah God loves us and wants the best for us. Take comfort in the promise that he has given us at Rev. 21: 3-5 of a new earth where there will be no more death.##imported-begin##Senita Swann##imported-end##

July 02, 2010 at 02:21 PM



“ I am so sorry you had to experience the pain of losing a loved one. Death is something we should never have to go through. It was never a part of God's purpose, because his desire is for us to live forever in peace and happiness. One day, according to Rev.21:3,4 Jehovah is going to wipe out every tear from our eyes and death will be no more. The former things will have passed away. So hold those words dear to your hearts, because soon they will be a reality.##imported-begin##R Johnaon##imported-end##

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“ The lost of a loved one has an overwhelming impact on all and especially the immediate family. The pain and suffering alone is very hard to bear and no one should ever have to experience such a dark and sad time in life. However it seems to be no escape no matter the cause. I extend my deepest sympathy and thoughts of encouragement from the one who can remove such pain and grieving sorrow from the human family, that one is the Almighty Jehovah God. Jehovah is saddened over how life has turned due to the course of actions of our first parents Adam and Eve. However, because Jehovah is a loving God he has promised the offspring's of Adam and Eve a way out. In the near future He said death will be no more and the things that causes death will be no more according to Rev 21:3-4. This promise of life has always been Jehovah God's purpose for mankind according to Titus 1:2. This is a promise he can't lie about. Hebrews 6: 18 states of Jehovah God, it is impossible for him to lie. That is an encouraging hope. Also for those who suffer with all sorts of illness Isaiah 33:24 says it will come a time no one on the earth will say they are sick and the lame will walk Isaiah 35:6, the blind will see, Isaiah 35:5 and the greatest promise of them all will be when Jesus Christ will call all those in the memorial tombs to come out. Yes our loved ones will be blessed with a resurrection to life right here on earth. John 5:28-29 Yes Jehovah will resurrect those back to life to enjoy everlasting life with all their families and friends Ps 37: 10 states the meek will inherit the earth and reside upon it forever according to Ps 37:29. It's truly understandable since our heavenly father created the earth for man to live according to Isaiah 45:18. We can truly trust in God's written word because nothing he says will not return without results Isaiah 55:11. So we can dry our eyes due to the tears of sadness but tears of joy will flow when we can once again enjoy the lives of our loved ones temporarily lost to death.##imported-begin##B
Carter##imported-end##

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“ To the family, I offer my sincere sympathy. May you find comfort now and in the days to come from "the Father of tender mercies and the God of all comfort who comforts us in all our tribulation." 2 Corinthians 1:3,4.##imported-begin##Gwen Winston##imported-end##

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“ Cat...My prayers are with you...I loved her too...She was my Aunt Ree, my Dad's Big Sis....##imported-begin##Jeanette Williams (Faith)##imported-end##

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“ I will truly miss you. You were one of a kind always telling it like it was, and always stayed out of others business. Love you even tho we did not spend alot of time over the last several years, you were always near and dear to me, and will always remember the good ole days in N.Y. and Baltimore. Sleep on and take your rest, you are in God's garden now showing your eternal love to all who cross you path. Love you family, we must keep in touch !##imported-begin##Rose Carter##imported-end##

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