



Addie Florine Robinson

February 21, 1922 - June 22, 2014

Addie Florine Waters Howell Robinson, was born on February 21, 1922 to the late Oscar and Eva (King) Waters of Allen, Maryland. She was the youngest of five children. Receiving her formal education in Wicomico County; she was a lifelong resident of Allen, MD. She met and married the late Samuel Jackson Howell. From this union two children were born, Claudia Florine and Samuel Leslie. Along with raising their two children, Addie and Samuel also raised Samuel's three siblings Hallowed Howell, Nathaniel Howell and Ruth Moody. Addie always said it was because after their parents had deceased, she did not want the siblings to become separated, so she raised them, loved them, and cared for them as her very own. This unselfish act has made her the matriarch of the Howell family. She was a devoted aunt to her brother Oscar's children and loved them as her own.

Later Addie met and married the late Willie Robinson who preceded her in death in December 2012. Prior to retirement, Addie was employed as a Government Inspector for the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) for many years. She was a lifelong member of Friendship United Methodist Church in Allen where she loved singing alto with the church choir. She also served as a youth choir director and was a member of the United Methodist Women. In her spare time she enjoyed puzzles and watching television (especially Game Show Network), but her greatest passion was spending time with her grandchildren and great grandchildren. She also liked

traveling to family events such as the annual Howell Family Reunion. Addie loved people and saw everyone as her friend.

Addie is survived by her daughter, Claudia Cook (Wilbert) of Salisbury, MD a son Samuel Howell (Deborah) of Upper Hill, MD; step-daughter Gwen Gatlin of McComb, Mississippi; two sister-in-laws Roberta Howell of Wilmington, DE and Estee Downs, Magnolia, MS; one brother-in-law Walter Robinson of Ft Worth, TX; two step-sisters, Darie Hall and Beatrice Evans both of Allen, MD; six grandchildren; fifteen great-grandchildren and five great-great grandchildren; “special” great nephew John Long (Paula), Allen, MD; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

In addition to her parents she was preceded in death by her first husband Samuel Howell, her siblings, Esther Dashields, Sedonia Thomas, Oscar Waters, Tivola Harper; in-laws Louise Barkley, Hollowed and Nathaniel Howell and Ruth Moody.

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“ Please accept my condolence. My heart goes out to you in your time of sorrow. May you find comforting Job 14:14, 15, which says, “If an able-bodied man dies can he live again? You will call, and I myself shall answer you. For the work of your hands you will have a yearning.”

Sherry - August 18, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ To all the family of this wonderful lady... I have just now learned of Addie's passing. We have been out of town and out of touch. I can't tell you how very much this saddens me. She was a "mother" to me also when I was small - some of you have heard one of her favorite stories about me. Please know how much I loved her and that I share your grief. I'm so sorry that I was not here for her services. You are all in our thoughts and prayers at this sad time. With much love...

Aggie Kolb Culp - June 30, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ In times of sorrow we have the hearer of prayer for comfort. We are deeply sadden by your lost

Evans family - June 30, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ *It is so sad to lose a dear loved one in death. Especially one who had so much love for others. Almighty God never forgets those who gives so much of themselves to help others as M's Addie did. Please take comfort in the bible during your time of grief, The bible gives us hope of seeing our loved ones again in the near future. (John 5:28&29) Until that time may your entire family be comforted and blessed.*

Doretha Sampson - June 30, 2014 at 12:00 AM