



## Ella Lewis

August 19, 1947 - January 14, 2015

On the evening of Wednesday, January 14, 2015, God saw that his beloved daughter had grown very weary and called her home to rest in “Glory”. Ella Louise Brown-Lewis of Harrington, DE departed this life at Milford Memorial Hospital following a long period of illness. Ella was born August 19, 1947 to the late James Reed, Sr and late Bessie Major.

Ella received her early education from Millsboro School and graduated from William C. Jason High School. After high school she worked over 20 years for Townsend Inc. She later returned back to school to further her education to become a Certified Nursing Assistant (CNA). After becoming a CNA, she became employed by Harrison Senior Living in Georgetown, DE for about two years.

In 1968, Ella married James Brown and became step mother to James, Gloria and Dorothy. James and Ella would have children Sandra, Brenda, David, and Vickie through their union. James passed away in 2003. Ella would later marry Lucius Lewis and blend their families together with Lucius’s sons O’Dongo, Darrell, and Darren.

In Ella’s free time, she loved collecting angel figurines, enjoyed cooking, shopped till she dropped, and cherished visiting and talking with family and friends. She had a green thumb; she had a passion for making plants, flowers,

vegetables and fruits grow. Ella enjoyed gardening.

During Ella's young adult years, she gave her life to Christ and attended St. John's Second Baptist Church in Millsboro, DE. Later Ella joined Landmark Baptist Tabernacle Church in Milton, DE, where the pastor is Reverend Leslie Freeman. Ella was a very devoted member to Landmark Baptist Tabernacle Church for 45 years and enjoyed singing in the choir.

Ella was a very humble person with the true heart of a caregiver. She loved her immediate and extended family dearly. Her family was her pride and joy; especially her grandchildren, great grandchildren, and great-great grandchildren. Those that loved and knew Ella will miss her dearly.

Ella leaves to cherish her loving memories: her husband, Lucius Lewis of Harrington, DE; her children, Sandra Toledo-Bailey (Howard) of Seaford, DE, Brenda Bendolph (Vincent) of Milton, DE, Vickie Brown of Milton, DE, and David Michael Brown, Sr (Tameka) of Evergreen, AL; her step children, Gloria Rawles of Dover, DE, James Brown (Ann) of Dover, DE, Dorothy Fisher (Raymond) of Dover, DE, O'Dongo Lewis (Lisa) of Dover, DE, Darrell Lewis of Harrington, DE, and Darren Lewis of Harrington, DE; 28 grandchildren, 29 great grandchildren, and 4 great-great grandchildren; her sisters, Edna Collick of Lewes, DE, Mary Bailey of Harbeson, DE, Arinthia Peacock of Millsboro, DE, Christine Maddox of Lincoln, DE, Bessie Wright (Daniel) of Millsboro, DE, Janice Dixon-Willis of Millsboro, DE, Anna Reed (Frankie) of Millsboro, DE, Cleo Redden (Thurman) of Dagsboro, DE; her brothers, Allan Major of Selbyville, DE, Peter Major (Rita) of Selbyville, DE, Alfred Reed (Genese) of Millsboro, DE, James Dixon (Ernestine) of Millsboro, DE, Leroy Reed (Barbara) of Millsboro, DE, James Satchell of Millsboro, DE, a paternal aunt Daisey Sturgis of Millsboro, DE, a special nephew Vincent Satchell of Millsboro, DE, a special sister-in-law Maxine Reed of Dover, DE, a special granddaughter Edna Brown of Harrisburg, PA, and a host of nieces, nephews,

cousins, and dear friends.

Lovingly submitted, The Family

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“ We will be praying for Gods peace and comfort to be with you in this time of bereavement. Remember that earth has no sorrow that heaven can not heal.

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**Elder Donald Isler** - January 23, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ Please accept my deepest condolences for the loss of Ella. God's word tells us: "Our days ebb away ...; And our years come to an end like a whisper. The span of our life is 70 years, Or 80 if one is especially strong... They quickly pass by and away we fly." (Psalms 90:9,10) This brings to the fore that no matter how long we live, it is not long enough, because man was not intended to die. (Genesis 2:17, 3:19) Rest assured God is aware of the pain felt when we lose a dearly beloved one. (John 11:33) God's word tells us: "He will swallow up death forever, And the Sovereign Lord will wipe away the tears from all faces." (Isaiah 25:8) This gives us hope of being reunited with our loved one who are sleeping in death. (Daniel 12:2) As dead ones come forth from their graves, the earth will be filled with joy as never before. (Mark 5:39-42; Rev. 21;13). It is my sincere hope that meditating on this future blessing will bring you comfort.

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**M. Starke** - January 16, 2015 at 12:00 AM