



## Elva Mae Jacobs

March 15, 1919 - October 3, 2015

Elva Mae Stanford Jacobs departed this life on October 3, 2015 at the age of 96 in the Easton Hospital in Easton, MD with her family by her side. She was born in Ridgely, MD on March 15, 1919 to the late William Ervin Stanford and Grace Idella Stanford. She was preceded in death by four brothers: John, William, Raymond and James Stanford; two sisters: Idella and Novella Stanford and one son, Percy Leroy Jacobs.

Elva is survived by two daughters: Iris M. Johnson and husband, Robert A. Johnson, Jr. of Chestertown, MD and Grace E. King of New Castle, DE; three sons: William W. Stanford and wife, Georgie Stanford of Queen Anne, MD, James C. Stanford of Cambridge, MD and Curtis J. Jacobs of MD; one sister-in-law, Marguerite Potts; one brother-in-law, Louie Murray (both in-laws are of Queen Anne, MD); 15 grandchildren; 41 great-grandchildren; 22 great-great grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, church family (including Allen AM.E.) and many friends.

Elva attended and graduated from the Queen Anne's County public schools. She did domestic and seasonal work. She was also employed at Playtex, Caroline Poultry and retired from Campbell's Soup in Chestertown, MD after 28 years of service.

She devoted her life to taking care of her children. She loved singing and praising the Lord. Her favorite hymns were, "This Little Light of Mine" and "Climbing Jacob's Ladder." Late at night and early in the morning, you could hear her singing, "Glory, Glory, Hallelujah, since I laid my burdens down. I'm

going home to be with Jesus, since I laid my burdens down."

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# Tribute Wall

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“ Please accept my deepest sympathy in the loss of your loved one. the bible gives us hope of being reunited with those we have loss in death. Acts 24:15 says "there is going to be a resurrection of both the righteous and the unrighteous" also, Revelation 21:3&4 tells us that soon Almighty GOD will remove death, sickness and pain. So please look forward to these promises, and may your entire family be comforted and blessed at this time.

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**Doretha Sampson** - October 10, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ I am sorry for your loss, please accept my sincere condolences. I hope you will find some comfort and strength in Jesus promise of the earthly resurrection(Acts 24:15)and the renewed Paradise earth, where death will be no imore and no family will mourn the death of a loved one.-Revelation 21:3,4;John 5:28,29;Luke 23:43. May GOD(Psalms 83:18)grant you peace and comfort now, during this grievous time.-Matthew 5:4.

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**M Jones** - October 06, 2015 at 12:00 AM