



## Flossie Mae Davis

February 24, 1926 - March 10, 2018

### Flossie's Life Story

The story of Flossie Mae Sheppard Davis began 92 years ago. She was the second of four children born to the late Helen Drummond Sheppard and the late Charlie Sheppard. She was reared by her paternal grandparents, from a young age, after the death of her mother.

At the age of 15, she met and later married the love of her life, Frazier "Fred" Earl Davis. From this union, seven children were born. Although life was not always easy for her, she never lost focus on her desire; to be the best wife and mother she could be. She was a devoted wife until her dear Fred died and continued to be a mother until the day she departed this earth.

Flossie was affectionately known by family and friends as mom, grandma, granny, Mother "J", and Faded Rose. She would fit the role of "Big Momma" as her home was always the place where all of the family loved to gather to eat, and she would do anything to keep the family together and at peace. She had a nurturing heart and was always willing to help someone in need. Flossie raised her children, some grandchildren, and would take in anyone who needed a home.

She was known for her sense of humor right up to her last days. Her funny

was so funny because she would be so serious and matter of fact. She possessed the gift to lift your spirits when you were down and could make you laugh even when you did not want to. She was by far a shining star.

She was a manual laborer, with one of her jobs being an oyster shucker. She perfected her craft and was one of the fastest around; she took pride in that. In fact, she was just a proud woman and willing to work for what she wanted. She also earned an honest living by doing seasonal work, and housekeeping. As she was a phenomenal cook, she also worked in restaurants.

Flossie's heavenly father decided to end her final chapter and rescue her from her pain and suffering. She quietly and peacefully slipped away to take her eternal rest and peace with her heavenly father on Saturday, March 10, 2018 at her home in Pocomoke, Maryland.

In addition to being preceded in death by her parents and her husband, she was preceded in death by two sons, Charles Davis and Richard Davis (Rosemary-widow) and her siblings, Howard Blackson, Hannah Sheppard, Robert Sheppard, and Herbert Sheppard, and one granddaughter, Kelly Harmon.

Left to cherish many beautiful memories of her long life are: her children, Audrey Pearl Davis of Pocomoke City, MD, Lowell Thomas Davis (Nancy) of Temperanceville, VA, Fred Davis, Jr. of Oak Hall, VA, Helen Mae Campbell (Andrew) of Temperanceville, VA, and Tyrone Melvin Davis (Theresa) of Parksley, VA. She will also be cherished by 16 grandchildren, 24 great-grandchildren, and 8 great-great grandchildren.

Lovingly Submitted ~ The Family

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# Tribute Wall

HF

“ My deepest condolences for the loss of your dear loved one. While nothing will completely take away your grief by meditating on Gods promises found in the Bible you can find real hope and the strength to keep going. My family and I have found the scripture at Isaiah 25:8 to be especially comforting. Here it promises that God "will swallow up death forever and the Sovereign Lord Jehovah will wipe away the tears from all faces."

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**H. Fields** - March 19, 2018 at 12:00 AM

GR

“ My dear wife and I would like to extend our condolences for the loss of your loved one. We send this condolence with the sure hope the Bible provides all of us at difficult times like this. As recorded in the Bible, God's only-begotten son, Jesus promises that one day he is personally going to bring back to life all those who have died (John 5:28, 29; 11:43, 44). As death is an enemy to us, it is also an enemy to Almighty God (1 Corinthians 15:26). For that reason, as well as others, He promises to remove from this earth FOREVER all the pain, suffering, wickedness, and DEATH that mankind has had to endure for thousands of years (Revelation 21:3-5; Psalm 37:10, 11, 29). What a glorious day that will surely be! It's a reality and a sure hope that we can trust in because it is absolutely impossible for God to lie (Titus 1:2). My wife and I sincerely encourage you to look up and meditate on these noted scriptures in your own Bible (1 Timothy 4:15, 16; 2 Timothy 3:16, 17). You will surely be encouraged and comforted by the marvelous hope our Grand Creator has in store for us (John 17:3). Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you.

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**George & Christine Ragusa** - March 17, 2018 at 12:00 AM

MJ

“ I am sorry for your loss, please accept my sincere condolences. I hope the family 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 more 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.

M Jones - March 15, 2018 at 12:00 AM

JO

“ I am so sorry for the loss of Ms. Flossie Davis your loved one and I would like to extend my deepest condolence to the family. May you find comfort in God's words in (Revelation 21: 4.)

JoyceA - March 14, 2018 at 12:00 AM

IR

“ Sorry for the passing of your love one. Read Isaiah 41:10 for words of comfort and peace.

Irene - March 14, 2018 at 12:00 AM

TW

“ Sorry For Your Loss!

Thomas & Libby Widgeon - March 14, 2018 at 12:00 AM