



Jean S. Nixon

July 2, 1937 - February 27, 2013

Jean Frances Sharpe Nixon of Milford, passed away at Milford Memorial Hospital, Milford Delaware on the February 27, 2013.

She was born in Elizabeth City, NC on July 2, 1937, to the late Leroy A. Sharpe and Ella Marie Spellman Sharpe. Mrs. Nixon married her beloved husband Russell R. Nixon on March 30, 1980.

She was an avid member of the Bethel AME Church until an earlier illness prevented her from attending on a regular basis but received communion on a regular basis. She was employed by the State of Delaware at

Benjamin Banneker Elementary School for 35 years and developed many life long relationships with many of the staff and children that attended the school.

Throughout her life she enjoyed cooking, gardening and visiting with church family.

Jean was preceded in death by her parents; her brother, Leodis (Tomboy) Sharpe and son, Dwayne Kevin (Bunny) Sharpe.

Jean is survived by her husband, Russell R. Nixon; son, Derek Sharpe (Deborah) of Colorado; grandchildren, Brandon K. Sharpe, Elisse W. Sharpe,

Jordan C. Showell and great-granddaughter, Braelynn Sharpe; one sister, Frieda M. Randolph of New York; one daughter-in-law, Linda Showell of Milford; one aunt, Mary E. Sharpe; four uncles, James , Gilbert, Walter and Earl Sharpe; along with a host of nieces, nephews and cousins.

Tribute Wall

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“ You have my sincere sympathy for the passing of your love one. I pray you will find peace and comfort in knowing that Jehovah God is aware of your pain and He cares and will sustain you, during this time of sorrow. Jesus gives us a hope for those who have fallen asleep in death. There will be an earthly resurrection, when he restores those in the grave back to eternal life on the paradise earth.-John 5:28,29; 11:38-44. Just imagine the joy of being reunited with your love one.-Luke 7:11-15; 8:49-56. May you continue to find comfort from the God who comfort those who mourn.-Isaiah 66:13.

Mattie Jones - February 27, 2013 at 12:00 AM