



## Leona Delores Collins

August 2, 1932 - June 8, 2023

Leona Delores (James) Collins was born to the late Charles James and Leanna (Wescott) James on Tuesday, August 2, 1932 in Wardtown, Virginia. She departed this life on Thursday, June 8, 2023 at home.

She was educated in Northampton County, Virginia.

Leona was employed by Perdue Farms, Inc. until retirement. When she was up to it, for a while she attended Shady Pines Adult Center. She was a member and Missionary at Mills Memorial Church in Salisbury, Maryland.

In addition to enjoying watching her favorite stories, *The Bold and The Beautiful* and *The Young and the Restless*, Leona also enjoyed game shows and word search puzzles. She also loved going to gospel singing, family reunions, and going to the Hebron Carnival to play bingo.

Leona leaves to cherish memories: her children, Leona Roseann (Lester) Jones, Eva Shirley (James) Poorman, Gene Collins (Towonia) Donald Lewis Collins, and Annette Collins, all of Salisbury, Maryland; one brother-in-law Purnell Collins of Nassawadox, Virginia and one sister-in-law, Naomi Collins of Salisbury, Maryland; 10 grandchildren, Tanya Dennis, Tasha Douglass, Rhonda Williams, Arnetta Williams, James Poorman, Jr., Sam Collins, Donald Collins, Jr. Michelle Collins, Amber Bradford and Gennetta Bradford; 28 great

grandchildren; 31 great-great grandchildren and a host of nephews, nieces, cousins and friends.

She was preceded in death her husband, James Lewis Collins, son, James Anthony Collins, Jr., one sister Florence Mapp, one brother-in-law, Tommy Lee Mapp, Sr., nephew, Tommy Mapp, Jr. and brothers, Charles James, Jr., Luvell James and Harold Lee James.

LOVINGLY SUBMITTED ~ THE FAMILY

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 17. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Bennie Smith Life Celebration Center  
901 West Isabella Street  
Salisbury, MD 21801

## Funeral Service

JUN 17. 3:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

SJ

“ I remember this dear sweet lady when I worked downtown at Storer Cable and Comcast, I recently saw one of her daughters in Acme Market and I asked for her. She was always sweet and kind, I never forgot her a one of my dear customers. To the family, know that your mother and loved one was sweet and kind. Sheila Jones-Harmon

Sheila Jones-Harmon - June 17, 2023 at 11:11 PM

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“ Sheila Jones-Harmon lit a candle in memory of Leona Delores Collins



Sheila Jones-Harmon - June 17, 2023 at 11:06 PM

KW

“ Karen Jarvis Winston purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Leona Delores Collins.



Karen Jarvis Winston - June 14, 2023 at 08:54 PM

KW

“ Karen Jarvis Winston planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Leona Delores Collins.

Karen Jarvis Winston - June 14, 2023 at 08:54 PM

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“ *Sending sincere condolences to the Collins families. May you know friends are thinking of you. Debbie and Allan Collins*

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**Debbie Collins** - June 13, 2023 at 07:29 PM

GC

*Thanks  
Collins Family*

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**Gene Collins** - June 13, 2023 at 07:49 PM