



Lizzie Oney

April 11, 1933 - January 20, 2019

Lizzie Mae Badger-Perkins, better known as “BABE”, daughter of James and Isabelle Badger-Perkins, was born Tuesday, April 11, 1933, in Nassawadox, Virginia. She departed this life, Sunday January 20, 2019, at the age of 85, at Harbor Healthcare in Lewes, Delaware.

She received her education at Northampton Public School in Northampton, Virginia. While she was in Virginia, she attended New Allen Memorial A.M.E. Church in Franktown, Virginia. After attending school, she began working in the agriculture field in Virginia. At the age of 18, she traveled from church to church singing hymns. She even said that her role model was Mahalia Jackson. After working in the agriculture field, Lizzie moved to Delaware, where she started working at the Doxsee Clam House in Lewes. After leaving Doxsee's, she worked at Cargill and Perdue, both poultry plants in Sussex County, Delaware.

In the 1950's, while in Delaware she became a full time mother of six children: James Jr, Diana, John, Noah, Sheila and David. She also became a member of the Seventh Day Adventist Church. She later became a member of St. John 2nd Baptist Church, under the leadership of Reverend C.N. Sample. She began singing in the Senior Choir and became the Vice President, then shortly after, she became the President. She also was a faithful deaconess.

Lizzie was a loving, wise, kind, sweet, patient, straight forward and God-fearing woman. She enjoyed doing her daily phone ministry making sure someone heard a word from the Lord. She loved eating and cooking, especially her famous yeast rolls. She enjoyed watching Jimmy Swaggart programs and for a little laugh, Family Feud. She made sure that not a day went by that she didn't do a word search. She always made time to worship God with songs like, JESUS PAID IT ALL, PRECIOUS LORD TAKE MY HAND and THE LORD WILL MAKE A WAY SOMEHOW.

She was preceded in death by her parents, James and Isabelle Badger-Perkins; brother, Cecil Wise; sisters, Gladys Mae Wise & Ethal Mae Wise; sons, James Collins, Jr. and Noah Lee Collins.

Lizzie leaves to cherish her memory, four children, Diana Collins of Millsboro, DE, Sheila Collins and John Collins (Brenda) both of Laurel, DE and David Collins of Bridgeville, DE; godson, Vaughn Trammell; sisters, Elizabeth (Leroy) Mullen and Rosie Perkins of Georgetown, DE; 14 grandchildren; 18 great-grandchildren; a host of nieces, nephews, family & friends, including her loving home health aides & CNA's of Harbor Healthcare.

Tribute Wall

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“ Thanks everyone for showing my family love in our time of celebration of my grandma life. My grandma was the core of our family. My biggest memory of my grandma is when she taught me the Bible and she made sure I understood it and I could memorize it. Grandma "Peanut" Sing and Dance in Paradise. I love you. Love, Pudding

Patience Drummond - February 26, 2019 at 05:16 PM

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."

H. Fields - January 27, 2019 at 09:54 AM

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“ Dear Family, Grief can be so hard at times, but our cherished memories help to cope. Hold tight to those memories. Lean on each other for support. And may you find comfort in God\u2019s promise at (John 5: 28, 29).

joyceA - January 22, 2019 at 05:46 PM

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“ Sorry For Your Loss Jesus Christ Loves Me We Love You

Thomas Widgeon - January 21, 2019 at 06:33 PM

JO

“ We are so sorry for your loss. When this happens in our family we need more than human strength. God and his Son can provide what we need. Please review these scriptures : John 5:28-29 \u201cDo not be amazed at this, for the hour is coming in which all those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice 29 and come out, those who did good things to a resurrection of life, and those who practiced vile things to a resurrection of judgment.\u201d Revelation 21:4 \u201cAnd he will wipe out every tear from their eyes,and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away.\u201d

Joe - January 21, 2019 at 12:37 PM