



Mary Henderson

April 20, 1946 - July 19, 2013

Mary Ellen Henderson was born April 20, 1946 at Milford Hospital to mother, Lulu Marie “Sis” Perry-Russ. Mary departed this life on Thursday, July 18, 2013 at Bayhealth-Dover. Mary graduated from James H. Grove in Woodside, Delaware. She retired from Bayhealth-Milford Memorial Hospital after 30 years of service as a Nurse Assistant.

Mary was a faithful member of St. Paul AME Church in Harrington, Delaware. Mary was a true compassionate caregiver who faithfully assisted endless families with personal care of their loved ones. She served as treasurer for the Sunshine Foundation (Grant a wish for terminally-ill children). Mary loved spending time with family and friends. Her favorite pass time was playing Bingo and riding around with Cousin Cathy just because. She was a collector of Ethnic/African American figurines especially Angels.

Mary was preceded in death by her mother, Lulu “Sis” Perry-Russ and a brother, William Conaway.

She leaves to cherish her memories two children, Cecelia Russ of Smyrna, DE and Theresa Henderson of Harrington, DE; two brothers, Harold Russ, Sr. and Samuel Russ (Lula Russ) all of Indianapolis, IN and a sister-in law, Shirley Conaway of Harrington, DE; two uncles, Harold Perry (Mary Perry) of Frederica, DE, Issac Perry (Yvonne Perry) of Harrington, DE; four

grandchildren, Ceirra Hopkins (Shawn Hopkins) of Cheswold, DE, DeShawn Dixon (Jessica Dixon) of Smyrna, DE, CaSondra Russ of Smyrna, DE and DeJon Henderson of Harrington, DE; three great-grandchildren, Jerome Jenifer III, DeShawn Dixon, Jr. and Isaiah Dixon; one godson, Jason James, Jr. of Wilmington, DE and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Tribute Wall

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“ Sending our condolence and know you will have your mother in your heart forever. Please accept our deepest sympathy to one and all.

Jim and Lois Todd (parents of Dedorah Todd) - July 25, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ I am so sorry about the loss of your loved one. Please take comfort in the scriptures during your time of grief. John 5:28&29 tells us about the resurrection hope. We have a chance to be reunited with our loved ones again. Please take comfort in the scriptures at this time and may your whole family be strengthened and blessed.

Doretha Sampson - July 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MJ

“ You have my deepest sympathy for the passing of your dear loved one. I hope you will find comfort in knowing the hope that Jesus holds out for all those who are now sleeping in death; the resurrection(Acts 24:15)when the dead will be raised up and restored back to life on the renewed Paradise earth.-John 5:28,29; Luke 23:43.

Mattie Jones - July 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ Please accept my condolence. My heart goes out to you in your time of sorrow. I hope you find comforting Job 14:14,15, which says, “If an able-bodied man dies can he live again? You will call, and I myself shall answer you. For the work of your hands you will have a yearning.”

Sherry - July 19, 2013 at 12:00 AM