



## Mary S Jolley

August 1, 1934 - November 10, 2018

### Obituary

Mary Sylvia Jolley (Church), on Saturday, November 10, 2018, exchanged her rugged cross for her crown. God was merciful and called her home after a short illness.

Born in Quantico, Maryland, she the daughter of the late John and Edna Church (Gattis) on August 1, 1934. Mary was educated in the Wicomico County public school system. She was a faithful and dutiful member of Mount Zion United Methodist Church in Quantico, Maryland. She was a member of the trustee board and supportive of numerous organizations.

Mary was dedicated to both the Wicomico County school bus system and Peninsula Regional Medical Center (formerly Peninsula General Hospital) in Salisbury, Maryland. She greeted all her students and co-workers with a cheerful smile and jokes.

During the summer, Mary was a dedicated Activities Coordinator with the Wicomico County Department of Recreation and Parks. All the children looked forward to her arts and crafts projects.

Mary had a real affection for “knick knacks” displayed throughout her home,

which she started collecting as a teen. She was also known for her festive attire for various holidays. Mary was affectionately known as Mary Sylvia, Mickey and Mary Jolley by those in the community.

Those left to cherish her memory include: six daughters, Illease (Harry) Davis of Philadelphia, PA, Gilda Church of Salisbury, MD, Cecilia (Thomas) Etheridge of Lansdale, PA, Theresa Jolley and Pauthenia Jolley, both of Mardela Springs, MD and Angelia (Columbus) Johnson of Salisbury, MD; one son, Pennell (Trina) Church of Princess Anne, MD, fourteen grandchildren, thirty-four great grandchildren; one sister, Delores Church of Salisbury, MD, one aunt, Ruth Brittingham of Salisbury, MD and a host of nieces, nephews and friends.

She was preceded in death by two daughters, Patricia Jolley and Edna Narcinda Church, three grandchildren, Terry, Tekia, and DeRon, one sister, Maria Nutter and one brother, Johnny, Jr.

Lovingly Submitted ~ The Family

To send flowers to the family of Mary S Jolley, please visit our Heartfelt Sympathies Store.

# Tribute Wall

MI

“ So very sorry to hear of the loss of your dear loved one. Please accept my deepest condolences. May the Father of tender mercies and God of all comforts, comfort you at this grievous time. 2 Corinthians 1: 3, 4

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**Mildred** - November 30, 2018 at 11:43 AM

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** - November 19, 2018 at 08:04 AM

RJ

“ We can't know why some things happen...but we can know that love and beautiful memories outlast the pain of grief. And we can know that there's a place inside the heart where love lives always...and where nothing beautiful can ever be forgotten. Those we cherish will always live on in memory.\r\n\r\nWith Deepest Sympathy\r\nRuth A. Jones

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**Ruth A. Jones** - November 16, 2018 at 03:25 PM

FG

“ Polly, Cee Cee , Angie, Teresa and the rest of the gang, I am so sorry for your loss. I will miss Mary Jolley telling me something silly and making me laugh. I had a chance to take care of her for a while and I treated her just like she was my mom with love and care. I will indeed miss her being her. Family just know that I love you and if you need me I am here for you. Again I am very sorry for your loss.

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**Faith W Gattis** - November 16, 2018 at 01:50 PM

IR

“ Sorry for your loss of a loved one. Read Psalms 34:18 for words of comfort and peace.

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**Irene** - November 15, 2018 at 11:14 AM

TW

“ Sorry For Your Loss\r\nJesus Christ Loves Me\r\nWe Are Special

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**Thomas Widgeon** - November 13, 2018 at 06:35 PM

JO

“ \r\nI would like to offer my personal condolences to the family. I hope that you will be able to find strength in God\u2019s promise at Matthews 5:5.

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**JoyceA** - November 13, 2018 at 03:57 PM