



## Virginia M. Wise

November 17, 1945 - December 5, 2016

Virginia M. wise, 71, of Princess Anne, Maryland departed this life to be with our Lord and Savior on December 5, 2016 at home. Virginia was the daughter of the late William Sturgis and Hilda (Price) Bailey who both preceded her in death. Virginia was the grand-daughter of James and Ethel Price who also preceded her in death.

Virginia attended Salisbury High School in Salisbury, Maryland, graduating with the class of 1963. After High School she went to New York City to pursue a career in cosmetology. Due to her grandparents failing health, she returned home to care for them.

Virginia worked tirelessly as a caretaker and devoted grand-daughter to her grand-parents until their passing. She was employed for a number of years at Roland Dixon Farms alongside her brothers. She began working some years later for the Purple Pony Shirt Company as a seamstress, where she was treated like family and considered a loyal and valued employee and friend. Virginia retired from the Purple Pony Shirt Company after many years of service.

Virginia has 5 siblings; Sherman (Pee-Wee) Sturgis, who preceded her in death, Albert Sturgis (Bunky) of Salisbury, MD, William (Butch) Sturgis who preceded her in death, Janie Bailey, who preceded her in death, and Douglas

Bailey and  
spouse Lakeisha of Pocomoke, MD.

Virginia married George Walston, and to this union 2 children were born;  
Gerald Walston of Delmar, MD and Anita Walston of Salisbury, MD.

Virginia married a second time to Charles Wise Sr. and to this union 3 children  
were born; Charles L. Wise Jr., who preceded her in death, Carlos L. Wise  
and spouse Latisha, of Princess Anne, MD, Robert L. Wise Jr. and spouse  
Lowanna of Princess Anne, MD.

Virginia has 13 grandchildren; Shynell Ward, Shanae Leonard, Robert  
Leonard III, Brittany Walston, Gianni Wise, Tavian Wise, Ashley Chilous,  
Monique Ewell, Andre Ewell-Wise, Talala Collins, Rayonna Jones, Robert (Rj)  
Wise Jr. and Clarissa (CJ) Wise. Virginia has 5 great-grandchildren; Brandon  
Collins Jr., Colin Collins, Shamyia Leonard, Kevin Dykes Jr. and Robert  
Leonard IV; and a host of nieces, nephews and adoptive family.

Virginia was a loving and dedicated mother and grandmother who loved to  
knit fashionable pillows as a craft and small business venture. She loved to  
make dresses for her grand-daughters when they were young. She especially  
loved to dance, play cards, and enjoy family gatherings in her home where  
even friends of family were considered family. She was the voice of reason by  
comedian standards. Her overwhelming spirit, laughs and love will be missed  
by all who knew her.

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *Extending deepest sympathy to family and friends in this time of sorrow. Please find comfort in knowing that soon all those in the memorial tombs will hear Jesus' voice and come out. (John 5:28,29) Until that blessed day, may the GOD of all comfort grant you peace while many fond memories warm your hearts.*

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**A. Wingfield** - December 13, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JE

“ *To the family,  
Please accept my heartfelt condolences for the loss of Ms. Virginia. In times like this, the Bible is a true source of comfort. John 5:28,29 talks about a time when dead loved ones will be raised up back to life in conditions free from sickness and death. Yes, Almighty God who cannot lie has promised to do this.*

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**Jess** - December 12, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MJ

“ *I am sorry for your loss, please accept my sincere condolences. I hope the family will find some comfort and strength in Jesus promise of the earthly resurrection(Acts 24:15)and the renewed Paradise earth, where death will be no more and no family will mourn the death of a loved one.-Revelation 21:3,4;John 5:28,29;Luke 23:43. may GOD(Psalms 83:18)grant you peace and comfort now, during this grievous time.-Matthew 5:4*

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**M Jones** - December 06, 2016 at 12:00 AM