



Edwina Hill

July 3, 1936 - December 11, 2012

Edwina Hill was born on July 3, 1936 in Goldsboro, North Carolina to the late Percy Sr. and Pearl Faison. She was the youngest daughter of nine siblings. After a short illness she peacefully entered into eternal rest on Tuesday, December 11, 2012. Her compassionate and comedic attitude, along with her feistiness, earned her the nickname "The Mayor" and was also affectionately known by family & friends as "Weezy." These personality traits are what made her adored by many.

Edwina attended Dillon High School in Greensboro, North Carolina. After moving from New York, where she lived most of her adult life, she moved to Alexandria, Virginia, in 1995. She was employed by GSA as well as Abraham & Strauss in New York. She was also employed by Goodwin House in Alexandria for many years until she made the decision to leave this employment to take care of her daughter, Clarissa.

Edwina was united in holy matrimony to the late Charles Hill on November 30, 1953. Their union was blessed with three children. Her long time companion, the late Willie Lee Sharpe, became a strong father figure to her children, as well as his own four children. Edwina enjoyed traveling, sports, watching soap operas and spending time with her family. She dedicated her life to God and studied her bible faithfully every day. Edwina was preceded in death by her parents, Percy and Pearl Faison; husband, Charles Hill; Son, Wilbert Sharpe; daughter, Maryanne Wade; sisters, Emma Marie, Eunice Rose and Eliza "Baby Ray" Faison; and brothers, Percy Faison and Rudolph Faison.

Edwina leaves to cherish her memory: three daughters, Joni Diggs, Clarissa Hill and Lorraine "Mick" Howard; two sons, Ronnie Hill and Willie Lee; two sisters, Pauline Seabury and Mary Gore; one brother, James "Rant" Faison; one son-in-law, Lloyd Diggs; one sister-in-law, Phyllis Faison; twelve grandchildren, Taraya Parrish, Guy Hill, Keshana Hill, Mylindra Diggs, Jonique Hill, Nicole Wade, Lynette Wade, Steven Gonzalez, Shawn Gonzalez, Tameka Williams, Simone Copes and Abdur "Pop" Sharpe; twenty-three great-grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and dear friends. The viewing and visitation will be held at Mt. Jezreel Baptist Church, 317 N. Payne St., Alexandria, Virginia on Tuesday, December 18, 2012 from 10 a.m. until time of service at 11 a.m.

Comments



“ Keshana Hill sent a virtual gift in memory of Edwina Hill



Keshana Hill - April 12 at 01:08 AM



“ We miss you very much Grandma, I wish you were still here with us. Love You.

Keshana Hill - April 12 at 01:10 AM