



Mrs. Marjorie H. Price

November 28, 1924 - May 17, 2022

Highlights of a life well-lived:

Marjorie Roberta Hopkins Price was born November 28, 1924 in Rocky Mount, VA to Rev. Morton Harrison and Eura (Claytor) Hopkins. She was the fifth of seven children born to this union.

After graduating from high school in Franklin County, Marjorie attended Virginia State College. She graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in Home Economics. After completing her studies, she taught for a period in Charlotte Courthouse, VA.

Marjorie married Charles L. Price, also a graduate of Virginia State College, in 1948 and settled in Roanoke, VA, where she was a stay-at-home mother for several years to Charles Morton (deceased), Harold, and Claudia. Once Claudia began school, she resumed teaching. She taught home economics at Harrison Elementary. Her husband taught and coached at Lucy Addison High School.

The family relocated to Alexandria, VA in the early 1960s, when they both secured teaching positions in Fairfax County Public Schools. Marjorie taught upper elementary grades, primarily fifth and sixth grade. She taught at Eleven Oaks and Stratford Landing schools. She was appreciated by her students' parents for her continuous focus on academic excellence for all of her students. She was an active member of the Fairfax Education Association, serving as the school representative. She remained employed in Fairfax County until her retirement.

Marjorie served her community as president of the Randall Estate Civic Association for an extended period. During those years she increased her knowledge of how the county government worked, serving on different committees and encouraging neighbors to serve as well to ensure that the community would be involved in the decision-making processes.

Marjorie pledged Alpha Eta Chapter (Virginia State College) of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. in 1946, her senior year. She later affiliated with the Alexandria Alumnae Chapter, now known as Northern Virginia Alumnae. She served for a period of time in the 1970s as the chapter treasurer. She also served on the fundraising committee and supported various chapter activities. She recently celebrated 75 years of membership in her sorority.

Marjorie was a member of Shiloh Baptist Church. Through the years she supported the Education Ministry, teaching Vacation Bible School and tutoring. She served for several years as a member of the Scholarship Committee. She also served as one of two members of the Tape Ministry, responsible for making cassette recordings of the church services. She was active with the Hospitality Ministry.

Marjorie was not one to seek "the limelight" in any role, instead preferring to work diligently to accomplish whatever task she had accepted.

Marjorie is survived by her children, Harold and daughter-in-law Susan Price, Claudia and husband Ronald Covington, grandchildren Harrison and Jessica Price. She has one sister Vesper H. Edwards and numerous nieces and nephews. She is also celebrated by numerous friends and neighbors.

Many thanks to the numerous caretakers from ACC Family, Inc. who assisted her over the past five years. Special thanks to Ms. Rozina Workagegnhu, who provided weekday care for the past three years.

Previous Events

A mask must be worn to enter the funeral home

JUN 2. 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM (ET)

Raymond-Wood Chapel
10684 Southern Maryland Blvd.
Dunkirk, MD 20754

Viewing

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Graveside Service

JUN 3. 1:00 PM (ET)

Mt. Comfort Cemetery
6600 So. Kings Highway
Alexandria, VA 22306

Delta Sigma Theta Omega Service

JUN 4. 10:00 AM (ET)

Shiloh Baptist Church
1401 Jamieson Ave
Alexandria, VA 22314

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Private Family Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Phillip Bell Sr. and Winona Morrissette-Johnson Funeral Service, P.A. created a Webcast in memory of Mrs. Marjorie H. Price*



Phillip Bell Sr. and Winona Morrissette- - May 30, 2022 at 09:55 AM

CB

“ *Charlotte Harris Branch lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Marjorie H. Price*



Charlotte Harris Branch - July 01, 2022 at 06:06 PM

CB

“ *Rest well, Delta Dear/My Soror! My Sincere Condolences to the family. Soror Price was a beautiful person, whose Legacy of kindness will be remembered and cherished.*

Charlotte Harris Branch - July 01, 2022 at 06:05 PM

SS

“ *Susie Smith lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Marjorie H. Price*



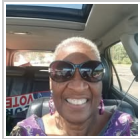
Susie Smith - June 04, 2022 at 04:13 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Marjorie H. Price.*



June 03, 2022 at 04:03 PM



“ *Harold and Claudia,
I'm so glad I returned to Shiloh in time to spend some time with Ms. Marjorie. She has been a significant part of my growing-up years, as both of you have. Her delightful personality and quirky sense of humor will be missed by many. I pray for your spiritual strength and comfort in the coming day, months, and years. Love you both,
Octavia Stanton Caldwell.*



Octavia Caldwell - May 31, 2022 at 02:29 PM

SS

To Sister Marjorie Price's Beloved Family,

If you knew Sister Marjorie like I knew her, You knew she "loved her family". Marjorie would go (sometime driving herself), far and near for hers' and Brother Charlie's Family. Distance was no obstacle, if she could get there she would.

I considered Marjorie "My Friend". Even, with our age difference....., we had much to laugh and talk about. Marjorie and I worked together with the Tutoring Ministry at Shiloh for over fifteen years, and the Scholarship Ministry. Marjorie, worked just as hard as if she was the Leader, but, Marjorie was always content to work along side you, to help and Do any task assigned

Marjorie always had a sweet smile, and something nice to say to me. We would always comment on what colors, we each wore. She got a "good laugh" whenever she saw me "in red", and I too, when she wore "pink or green". Sometimes, she couldn't wait for me to say something... she would say "You see what color I'm wearing today, Your favorite color". I had a special nick name for Marjorie, and whenever I addressed her, most of the time, I would call her by that "special nick name". She would laugh and let me know she liked me calling her by that special nick name.

Marjorie loved "Celebrations", and this last Celebration, My Friend, is for You. I won't disclose your special nick name, cause you're not here to hear me call you by that special nick name, but, I just whispered It. Farewell, My Special Friend.

Susie Smith

Susie Smith - June 04, 2022 at 04:03 AM

DM

“ To Claudia & Harold ,

We were saddened to hear of the departure of your beloved mother, Mrs. Marjorie H. Price . For we know that earth hath no sorrow that heaven cannot heal . We remember your mother from your dad's service. She was a delight & very knowledgeable. She had never met us, but she recognized us from a picture she had seen,. She never hesitated to come over & greet & hug us. What a beautiful person. With the passing days, weeks & months, I want you to know, if you share your feelings with GOD, He will bear them & take you through. You certainly have our continuous prayers .

Pastor Vinson & Dorothy Morrisey

Dorothy M. Morrisey - May 30, 2022 at 12:53 PM