



Marie Olive Jefferson

September 15, 1927 - April 8, 2022

Marie Olive Smith Jefferson was born September 15, 1927, to the late Samuel and Manilla Norman Smith. She was called to her eternal home on April 8, 2022.

*She professed her love for God and was baptized as a young child at First Baptist Church of West Mifflin, PA.

*Marie married Edmund Bruce Jefferson Jr. II. To that union were added four children - Harriet, Edwinna, Edmund Bruce Jr. III, and Keith.

*This loving, faithful, humble, hard-working wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother always kept God first in her life. She worked with children in her Church, Juvenile Court, Shuman Center, and day care centers.

*Marie was very active in her church. She loved going to church. She served as a choir member, usher, missionary, and Deaconess. As Deaconess Emeritus she continued her phone and card ministry of encouragement at her own expense.

*She enjoyed the Quilting Club, where she lovingly made quilts for all of her grandchildren, greats and many others. Other favorite activities were puzzles, cooking, fishing. Marie was an avid reader of books and magazines. She read the newspapers, cover to cover daily.

*She held the esteemed position of Daughter Ruler of the Duquesne Chapter of the Elks for many years.

*Marie was preceded in death by her husband, Edmund Bruce Jefferson Jr. II (Fats); two sons, Edmund Bruce Jr. III and Keith Jefferson; two grandchildren,

Anthony and Joanna Jennings; a sister, Nancy Todd, and two brothers, Donald and Floyd Smith.

*She leaves to love and cherish in memory her daughters, Harriet Washington and Edwinna Jennings; sister, Manilla Smith Hunter; grandchildren, Ralph Bolden, Anthony Jefferson (Carmen), Shawn Jefferson (Sachi), Matthew Sabbath, Terri Snoe, Asia Jefferson, Nikkia, Dena Henry (Charles), and a host of great-great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 15. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

First Baptist Church of West Mifflin
3427 Cypress Street
West Mifflin, PA 15122

Service

APR 15. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Interment

APR 15. 1:00 PM (ET)

Jefferson Memorial Park
401 Curry Hollow Road
Pittsburgh, PA 15236

Tribute Wall



“ *Marie Olive Jefferson*

January 29, 2023 at 12:45 PM



“ *Marie Olive Jefferson*

January 29, 2023 at 10:10 AM



“ *Brenda Keys lit a candle in memory of Marie Olive Jefferson*



brenda keys - August 05, 2022 at 08:52 AM



Sending heart felt condolences to the family. I worked with Ms. Jeff(that's what we called her at Shuman Ct.), and had some good times at the Duquesne Elks. RWG!

brenda keys - August 05, 2022 at 08:55 AM



“ *Damon, Aleta and Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Marie Olive Jefferson.*



Damon, Aleta and Family - April 14, 2022 at 01:12 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray* was purchased for the family of Marie Olive Jefferson.



April 12, 2022 at 09:58 PM

JW

“ TO MY FAMILY...
FOCUS...FOCUS.
PRAISE GOD IN ALL THINGS.
NOT FOR ALL THINGS THAT LIFE TO US BRINGS.
FOCUS...FOCUS.
GOD IS STILL IN CONTROL.
PRAISE HIM, STILL PRAISE HIM
AS BELLS OF DEATH HAVE ALREADY TOLLED.
FOCUS...FOCUS.
SPECIAL ANGELS WERE ASSIGNED.
THEY GENTLY GUIDED THE WAY
TO ETERNAL PEACE OF MIND.
FOCUS NO MORE ON DISEASE.
FOCUS NO MORE ON DISTRESS.
NO MORE ON DETERIORATION
OF BODY AND DIGNITY.
FOCUS ON A MIND THAT IS SOARING FREE!
FOCUS...FOCUS.
ON HEAVENLY BEAMS IN FLIGHT.
THAT GUIDED FROM A WORLD OF DARKNESS
INTO GOD'S PERFECTING LIGHT.

YOUR FAVORITE HYMN EXPRESSES THAT BLESSED
ASSURANCE...WE WILL MEET AGAIN...UNTIL THEN MISSING
YOU ALREADY.

JANE RHODA WALKER

JANE RHODA WALKER - April 11, 2022 at 04:18 PM

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“ *I truly can't say anything but, Aunt Marie, Aunt Marie. How your love changed so many hearts. I am so blessed to have just a small part of your love. You're words of wisdom, loving hugs but most of all your smile will remain in my heart forever. Memories are everlasting, no one can take that away. Thank you Aunt Marie. To God Be the Glory.*

Gerri Platt - April 11, 2022 at 08:12 AM