



Mrs. Elveta White

August 9, 1943 - November 18, 2014

Elveta White was born August 09, 1943 to the late Ruby White and the late Estella Dildy White in Farmville, NC. Elveta departed this life on November 18, 2014, at home with her loved ones.

Elveta graduated from Greene County Training School in 1962. Shortly thereafter in 1963, she moved to Washington, DC, where she furthered her education and began employment with the U.S. Postal Service.

Wanting to see new places and have new experiences, Elveta moved to the San Francisco Bay area in 1970. She lived there for forty-four years and retired from her supervisory position with the Postal Service in 2001.

During her years of employment with the Postal Service, Elveta also served thirteen years as a Naval Reservist. Among her many achievements, Elveta became a certified paralegal. Her hobbies included reading, theater, shopping, enjoying her friends and enjoying her life. She believed in experiencing life to the fullest, frequently traveling and vacationing nationally and internationally in places such as Hawaii, Alaska and the Caribbean Islands.

Life's fullest experience came when Elveta accepted Christ as Lord and Savior. On December 31, 2002, she joined St. John Missionary Baptist Church, pastored by Dr. Kevin B. Hall, in San Pablo, CA. She was baptized on January 5, 2003. She served in both the Hospitality and Wedding Service Ministries. Her service extended beyond the walls of the church and into the lives and needs of elderly and sick acquaintances. After retirement, she volunteered with Kaiser Hospital for thirteen years. Sometimes working the equivalent of a full-time employee, Elveta served faithfully until failing health no longer allowed her to volunteer.

Three thousand miles did not stop Elveta from being concerned and involved in the lives of her loved ones - just ask any of her nieces and nephews. Family was important to her

and she always said she wanted to move back home to spend her latter years. Suddenly, those years were condensed into weeks, but home she came. Opting for quality of life over quantity, each smile, each embrace, each shared moment was purchased with a dear price and we love her for each moment. Elveta leaves to cherish her memory, two sisters, Lovell W. Matthews, Lothian Maryland, Ruby W. Payton and husband, Charles Payton, Greenville, NC; two brothers, Leamon E. White and wife, Ruby C. White, Lothian Maryland and Ricky White, Lizzie, NC; two close friends and care givers, Mary Simmons and Barbara Brown, San Pablo, CA; a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Cemetery

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Comments



“ My deepest condolences go out to Veta's family. I was a little girl when I first met Veta, she was always so kind, loving and caring. She would pick me up, take me shopping, to eat and I would spend the night with her. (On numerous occasions) She was kind beyond words, a beautiful person inside and out. My parents as well as myself loved her. What a void in my life. R.I.P. Veta! I love you!



Georgina Atchison - August 11, 2015 at 05:12 AM



“ Greetings.
I just wanted to send belated and heartfelt condolences to your family. Elveta was a great friend to my dad Joseph Reshaw. She was by my side, and drove in from Richmond to San Francisco after midnight, to hold his hand when he was passing from a massive stroke. I will always remember her humor and warm giving spirit. I am inspired by her dignity and am so glad that she was able to spend time with her family.

Blessings to all.
Regards,
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