

Expression of Gratitude

*Our family wish to express our sincere appreciation for the numerous calls, visits, prayers and all other acts of kindness and love shown during our period of bereavement.
May God continue to bless you all.*

Fellowship

*The family will receive friends following the service
in the Raymond T. Stith Fellowship Hall*

Safely Home

*I am home in Heaven, oh so happy and so bright
There is perfect joy and beauty in the everlasting light
All the pain and grief is over, every restless tossing passed
I am now at peace forever safely home in Heaven at last
There is work still waiting for you, so you must not idly stand
Do it now while life remains you shall rest in God's own land
When that work is all completed, he will gently call you home
Oh the rapture of that meeting of the joy to see you come*



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Celebrating the Life of Mother Mary J. Hyman

*Sunrise
June 30, 1919*



*Sunset
July 15, 2019*

*Monday, July 22, 2019 - 11:00am
New Jerusalem OGC
118 Bishop Thoroughgood Avenue
Virginia Beach, VA 23451*

Elder Curtis Hopkins, Eucelist

Life Reflections

Mother Mary J. Hyman, a beloved wife, mother, sister, grandmother, aunt, and friend, was called home to be with the Lord, on Monday, July 15, 2019.

Mother Mary, 100 years young, was born on June 30, 1919 to the late Charles and Sallie Mae Sutton in Edenton, NC. She had a vivacious personality and loved everyone whom she had the pleasure of knowing.

Mother Mary accepted Christ at an early age. She served faithfully well over 45 years at New Jerusalem Church of God in Christ. Mother Mary was one of the original builders of the church, she purchased their initial carpet and painted the building alongside her husband. She was a Reverend, a nurse and worked as security. She loved the Lord and enjoyed serving, ushering and being a Church Mother to many members of the congregation. For her hard work and dedication, Mother Mary's name was memorialized at the church.

Mother enjoyed chewing her juicy fruit gum, soft peppermints and a good cold diet pepsi. She also enjoyed and loved her family, good southern cooking, gardening, bingo and boy did she love her some good ol' pig-feet. If you had the pleasure of knowing her, then you know she loved the Lord and was a dedicated worker who was truly committed to the task at hand. Mother had a great sense of humor, and always lifted the spirits of those around her.

Besides her parents, she was predeceased by her husband, James Johnson; one sister, Frances Hurdle; one son, Dwight Earl Hyman and close special family friend, Johnny Manning.

Mother Mary also leaves to cherish her memory, grandchildren, Alethea Woodley (Almanzo) of Chesapeake VA, Alester Beans of Virginia Beach, VA; adopted children, Laura Crews, Norman & Gregory Sharpe all of Virginia Beach, VA; six great grandchildren; a host of nieces and nephews; close special friend, Helen L. Manning and family and a host of other relatives and friends near and far.

Order of Celebration

Musical Prelude	Organist
Processional	Clergy & Family
Opening Prayer	Clergy
Hymn of Comfort	Clergy
Reading of the Holy Scriptures Old Testament & New Testament	Clergy
Prayer of Comfort	Clergy
Musical Selection	
Acknowledgements	Church Clerk
Expressions of Love	
Musical Selection	Norman & Gregory Sharpe
Eulogy	Elder Curtis Hopkins
Mortician's Brief	Beach Funeral Staff
Committal	Elder Curtis Hopkins
Recessional	Clergy, Family & Friends

