

In Loving Memory of



Mary Etta Ellis

Sunrise:
October 22, 1940

Sunset:
June 7, 2023

FRIDAY, JUNE 16, 2023 - 12:00 PM
Cotton Funeral Service
130 Main Street • Orange, New Jersey
Rev. Ronald Allen, Officiating

Obituary

Mary Ellis (Mae) was born on October 22, 1940, in North Carolina, to James Hall Sr. and Mary Lou Hall (Everett).

Mae, as she was affectionately known, married Clinton Leroy Ellis in March 1985. Mae is preceded by 5 children Kelley, Kathy, and Wilson Hall, Sheril and Melissa Ballard.

Mae was raised in Newark, NJ. She was educated in the Newark Public School system. She lived and worked in New Jersey at the plastics factory, the post office, and DMI Cosmetics.

She was an advent athlete in her prime, she played softball for Columbus Home Projects. She loved reading, when she was reading her glasses were in her mouth. Mae also loved to fish. Fishing was one of her favorite pass times.

Mae had 6 grandsons, Larry Hall, Jason Ballard, Yusef Hall, Derrick and Darrin Ballard, and David Hall, 13 great-grandchildren, Iyianna, Kyanna, Canasia, Derrick, Daziah, Zaaki, Jabez, Sincere, and Naveah.

Mae leaves to mourn, spouse Clinton Leroy Ellis, 2 brothers James Hall Jr. (Alberta) William Hall; 6 grandsons; 13 great-grandchildren; aunts Ella Everett and Geraldine Fields. She is preceded by sisters Marguerite Hatcher, Shirley Cobb, and brother Eugene Hall. A host of nieces and nephews cousins and friends.

Order of Service

Reading of Scriptures - Kayanna Ballard

Old Testament - 23 Psalm

New Testament - John 13:34

Acknowledgements - Iyianna Ballard

Remarks 2 minutes please

Selection - Staff

Obituary - Doris Guess

Eulogy - Staff

Selection - Staff

Pallbearers

Yusef Hall

Darren Ballard

Derrick Ballard

Jabez Hall

Larry Hall

David Hall

Final Viewing

Interment

Evergreen Cemetery

Hillside, New Jersey

A good friend is like a four leaf clover

Hard to find but always lucky

The Ellis Family Thanks You.

Repast: The Club House 205 Spruce Street

Newark, N.J. 07108

Psalm 23

The Lord is My Shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures; He leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul. He leadeth me in the path of righteousness for His name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies. Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

Acknowledgement

The family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour. May God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.

Professional Services Provided By

COTTON FUNERAL SERVICE
130 Main Street
Orange, NJ
973-675-6400

1025 Bergen Street
Newark, NJ
973-926-6400

COTTON-PARKER FUNERAL HOME
37 Clinton Avenue
Jersey City, NJ
201-433-1000

