



Doris Jenkins

March 9, 1926 - August 22, 2023

Doris Jenkins Obituary

The Lord called an angel home! Doris Jenkins was born March 9, 1926 in Newnan GA to late Thomas Levell and Mamie (Thompson) Levell. She was the 8th out of 11 children.

Doris graduated from Jacksonville Colored High School in Jacksonville, Ala. and attended Alabama State University in Montgomery, Ala.

Doris worked at Gadsden High School in Gadsden, Ala then moved to Cleveland, Ohio where she married Ulysses Jenkins (deceased) to this union 2 children were born. Over the years she worked and retired from The Union Club in Cleveland Ohio where she enjoyed working.

Throughout her 97 years, she was known by many as their mother, sister, grandmother and even great grandmother. Her kind heart and sassie sense of humor left an impression wherever she went. Doris was a Christian, and her faith served as a compass for her life.

Doris loved the Lord, and her church (Olivet Institutional Baptist Church) where

she served for 52 years under Rev Hoover, Rev Dr Otis Moss and present

Rev Dr Jawanza Colvin. She served as a missionary, bible study (list the other ministries). She was a faithful and dedicated church member and servant of the Lord. She put her heart and soul into any activity in which she participated even in her 90's. Her greatest hope is that she made a positive difference and impact in someone's life.

Doris was preceded in death by her loving husband Ulysses Jenkins, seven brothers: Edward, Elijah, Ezekiel, James, David, Emanuel and Walter and two sisters: Emel Canty and Oper Lee Harris.

Left to celebrate a life so graciously and lovingly lived is her sister, Seclonia (Jeannie) Morris of Alabama, her children: Stanley (Shirley) Jenkins of South Carolina, Yolanda (Albert) Bolden of Arizona, Shirley Barnes of Ohio and two special grandchildren: Eric (Sylvia) Cunningham and Tracee (Thurman) Powell all together 6 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren and one great great grandchild; and a host of nieces, nephews other family members and friends.

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“ Aunt Doris was a very special lady in my life. I always enjoyed talking to her on the phone. She provided so much wisdom. and encouragement to me. We would laugh and talk remembering my dad (Edd- her oldest brother) and some of the talks they use to have. She would always speak of God and how important it is to Trust God and Be string in our Faith. I truly cherish those conversations, and will forever feel her love in my heart. Ruby Ann Leavell-Hartley. ĩ,

Ruby Ann Leavell-Hartley - September 03, 2023 at 09:29 PM

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“ When I was made aware of Aunt Dot's passing, several emotions were evoked. I had to be reminded, Earth often pulls on our love ones to stay. However, when God's plan supercedes man's wants and desires, Earth has to release our love ones. My Great Aunt Dot was released and she is resting. I will definitely miss her beauty, smiles and encouraging words. Rest in Peace Aunt Dot.

Dr. Sheri Jefferson (Theresa's daughter) - September 01, 2023 at 10:02 AM

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“ To the family of DORIS JENKINS. I am wishing you peace, comfort, courage, and lots of love at this time. I shall never forget the many conversations that your mom and I shared over the years. Aunt Doris lived a long and good life, and for that i'm grateful. She will be missed by many, especially by her children, grands, sister, nieces, nephews etc. Now, it's her time to rest. I am sending my Love to All!! Niece, THERESA JONESHVS, AL

Theresa Jones - August 31, 2023 at 07:57 PM