



Lorretta Virginia Dorsey

August 8, 1934 - December 25, 2020

Lorretta Virginia Dorsey, 86, of La Plata, Maryland transitioned to eternal life on Friday, December 25, 2020 at University of Maryland Charles Regional Medical Center, La Plata, Maryland. Lorretta was born in Newport, Maryland on August 8, 1934 to the late James Benjamin Dorsey and the late Mary Rebecca Dorsey Thomas. She was affectionately called “Lo” or “Aunt Mimi” by her family and close friends.

Lorretta attended Charles County Public Schools. Lorretta in her early years worked as a respected laundry attendant at the La Plata Hospital serving both patients and professionals. After serving time at the hospital, Lorretta moved on to become a professional caretaker for several elite families in the Southern Maryland area. She was diligent, accountable, professional, detailed and consistent. Lorretta’s tremendous dedication and love for people was always displayed through her outward giving and care for others, especially her family and close friends

She was a great companion to her friends at the La Plata Manor Complex. She also enjoyed watching the Washington Football Team. She loved Al Green, gospel music, crossword puzzles and reading. She loved talking to her seven grandchildren every Sunday.

She is survived by children, Helen R. Hill, Alma T. Dorsey and Janice M.

Turner (Wayne); her grandchildren, Marketta Smith, Wayne E. Turner, Jr. and Kashawn Dorsey; seven great-grandchildren; her sister, Ollie J. Thomas; sister-in-law, Margaret Dorsey; brother-in law, Bernard Wilson; and host of nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

Loretta was preceded in death by her brothers, Joseph Preston, James Carl, and John Wills Dorsey; and sisters, Helen R. and Mary V. Dorsey, Frances V. Wilson, Eva Green and Margaret Cecilia Tolson; and her great grandchild, Naomi M. Smith.

Visitation on Tuesday, January 5, 2021 from 10AM until time of Wake Service at 11AM at Holy Ghost Issue Catholic Church, 15848 Rock Point Road, Newburg, Maryland 20664. Interment to follow in the church cemetery.

Face masks are required for all services and social distancing is to be observed with limited attendance.

Cemetery Details

Holy Ghost Catholic Church Issue Cemetery

15848 Rock Point Road
Newburg, MD 20664

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 5. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Holy Ghost Catholic Church Issue
15848 Rock Point Road
Newburg, MD 20664

Wake Service

JAN 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Lorretta Virginia Dorsey*

October 08, 2023 at 10:45 PM



“ *Lorretta Virginia Dorsey*

October 04, 2023 at 03:12 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Lorretta Virginia Dorsey.*



January 03, 2021 at 03:22 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Lorretta Virginia Dorsey.*



January 03, 2021 at 01:38 PM



“ *We love you grandma your strength love and constant encouragement will be with us all the days of our lives. Sweet Lady I miss and will always love you so much. Love your #1.*

Marketta Smith - January 02, 2021 at 08:15 AM

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“ *From Terita Davis, Alma’s friend and Co-worker. purchased the Pink Potpourri Bouquet for the family of Lorretta Virginia Dorsey.*



From Terita Davis, Alma’s friend and Co-worker. - December 30, 2020 at 04:41 PM