



## Pearl May Sanford

April 22, 1920 - October 17, 2013

Pearl May Sanford of La Plata, MD (formerly of Oxon Hill, MD) died on October 17, 2013 at her residence. She was 93 years old.

Pearl May Kerby Sanford was born on April 22, 1920 in Washington, DC. She was the daughter of the late Mamie Barrett Kerby and the late Charles Kerby of Oxon Hill, MD. She grew up on the family farm with her parents, two brothers, Charles Kerby and Robert Kerby and her two sisters, Blanch Sanford and Violet Lawrence. She attended Eastern High School. She was a loving daughter, sister, wife, grandmother, great grandmother, and foster mother. She devoted her life to her family and showered them with the gift of her love.

She was preceded in death by her parents, two brothers, her sister Blanch, and her beloved husband, Lloyd George Sanford. She is survived by her daughter, Anita Cross and her husband Ken; her son, Ronald Sanford and his wife Diana; her grandchildren, Ken Cross, Tina America, Lorri Crabtree, Ronda Clift, and Diron Sanford; her step grandchildren, Chrissy Arbelaez and Gina Pappas; 11 great grandchildren; and three great-great grandchildren.

Friends were received on Tuesday, October 22, 2013 from 11AM until time of Funeral Service at 12PM at Raymond Funeral Service Chapel in La Plata, MD 20646 with Interment at St. Barnabas Episcopal Church Cemetery in Temple

Hills, MD. Pallbearers: Ronald Sanford, Diron Sanford, Ben Crabtree, Larry Pappas, Travis Davison, and Paul Small.

Memorial contributions may be sent to Alzheimer's Association, National Capital Area Chapter, 3701 Pender Drive Suite 400, Fairfax, VA 22030 OR The Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation, PO Box 650309, Dallas, TX 75265-0309. Condolences may be sent to the family at [raymondfuneralservice.com](http://raymondfuneralservice.com).

# Cemetery Details

## St. Barnabas Episcopal Church Cemetery

5203 St. Barnabas Road  
Temple Hills, MD 20748

# Previous Events

## Friends Received

OCT **22**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Raymond Funeral Chapel  
5635 Washington Ave.  
La Plata, MD  
business.office@raymondfuneral.com  
<http://www.raymondfuneralservice.com>

## Service

OCT **22**. 12:00 PM (ET)

Raymond Funeral Chapel  
5635 Washington Ave.  
La Plata, MD  
business.office@raymondfuneral.com  
<http://www.raymondfuneralservice.com>

## Burial

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OCT **22**. 1:30 PM (ET)

St. Barnabas Episcopal Church Cemetery  
5203 St. Barnabas Road  
Temple Hills, MD 20748

# Tribute Wall



“ *Pearl May Sanford*

October 08, 2023 at 10:45 PM



“ *Pearl May Sanford*

October 04, 2023 at 03:12 PM



“ *Celestial Love was purchased for the family of Pearl May Sanford.*



October 21, 2013 at 03:33 PM



“ *Mike, Lorri, Ben & Drew lit a candle in memory of Pearl May Sanford*



**Mike, Lorri, Ben & Drew** - October 20, 2013 at 12:44 PM

DS

“ *Donna Strong lit a candle in memory of Pearl May Sanford*



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**Donna Strong** - October 19, 2013 at 09:49 PM

DS

*Aunt Pearl was my favorite aunt, she was so sweet and good to everyone. She was one of Gods earth bound angels. If you knew her you couldn't help but love her, and her kindness. You will be missed, but we all will be with you again in time. Goodbye to a great lady. I LOVE YOU.*

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**Donna Strong** - October 19, 2013 at 10:23 PM



“ *Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Pearl May Sanford.*



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October 19, 2013 at 07:18 PM

LS

“ *My great grandmother was always good to me and I will always love her. Love from her great granddaughter.*

*Love,  
Lily*

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**Lily Sanford** - October 19, 2013 at 06:51 PM

LS

“ *Lily Sanford lit a candle in memory of Pearl May Sanford*



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**Lily Sanford** - October 19, 2013 at 06:42 PM

Ronda Clift

“ *Ronda Clift lit a candle in memory of Pearl May Sanford*



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**Ronda Clift** - October 19, 2013 at 09:23 AM

Tina Cross America

“ *Grandma, Thank you for all the wonderful memories you gave me through out my life. I have never known anyone more loving, caring, kind, considerate, unselfish and strong as you. I thank God everyday for giving me the most wonderful and precious Grandma in the Universe. You were the center of my heart and you always will be. I love you more and more and MORE!!!!*



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**Tina Cross America** - October 19, 2013 at 06:29 AM