



Myrtle Lucy Morrell

October 13, 1926 - June 1, 2020

Executive Order in response to the COVID-19 Pandemic...we will only allow 10 individuals in at a time to enter the funeral home/cemetery. We must adhere to these guidelines so that we all can remain safe and secure during this crisis. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

Myrtle Lucy Morrell was born to the late Naomi Prosper and Uston Jones, on October 13th, 1926 in St. Georges Grenada. She was the first of four children: Jean Boston of Trinidad. Uma Jones of Grenada and Lewis Jones (deceased). Myrtle was a brilliant young girl. She attended St. Paul Model School, where she excelled in all her classes. She loved to sing and dance, but drama was her passion. She performed in many dramas at school and recalled such one, "Peter the Long Tail Blue." Myrtle continued acting, even as an adult. She loved to laugh and made others laugh as well. After her formal schooling in Grenada, she went to work at General Hospital, in the dietary department. She wanted to work in the hospital caring for her patients, sometime feeding the families of those who traveled great distances to see their hospitalized members. She was loved by doctors, co-workers, patients, and their families.

Myrtle was married to Joseph Jon Morrell in November of 1959. She relocated to St. Thomas, USVI in the early 1960's. While there, she worked at Queen Louise Home, as a nurse's assistant for thirty years before retiring. Myrtle loved people and was very generous and hospitable. She was lovingly called many names, just to name a few: Mother Mercy, Granny, Grandma, Muds, Mom, Tanty Myrtle and Myrtle the Great. Myrtle opened her door to those in need of temporary shelter and those who just wanted to be around her; listening to her jokes and advice when needed. Her home was always opened to children, waiting to be picked up at the end of the school day. In the meantime, lovingly preparing snacks to give to them before they leave. Many off island students, who came to college in St. Thomas, found her to be a mother and grandmother away from home. Her home was their home. She was a mother to many children who lived with her, while attending high school.

Myrtle was blessed with four children: Cynthia, Ralph, Stephanie and Wayne. She had thirteen grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. She also had many adopted children and grandchildren. Myrtle was a hard worker even as a child growing up in Grenada. She recalled when she would have to carry coal and garden produces on her head to the market. She also spoke about climbing trees to pick nutmeg, cloves, etc. She lived in St. Thomas several years after retiring, until she moved to Orlando, Florida to live with her daughter, Stephanie. Myrtle loved going to church where she made many friends with her contagious smile and her sweet words of "Okay Darlin." She lived a long and prosperous life. She loved Jesus, whom she knew as her personal Lord and Savior. On June 1st, 2020, mom peacefully departed us, at the blessed age of 93. She is now with her Lord and Savior and to God be the glory for her will lived life in His service.

Myrtle is survived by her sisters: Jean Boston and Una Jones; daughters: Cynthia Scott and Stephanie Johnson; sons: Ralph Alexander and Wayne Morrell; son-in-law: Anthony Johnson; daughters-in-law: Grace Alexander and Marissa Morrell; step-sons: Michael, Leroy and Ian; step-daughter: Alice; grandchildren: Franklyn, Sterle, Susan, Troy, Jason, Andre, Brandin and Christopher; Great Grandchildren: Shaquille, Amina, Catheann, Sterle, Jr., DeAndre, Chance, Cierra, Jazmyn, Kwan, Olivia, Troy, Jr., Cecillia and Nylah; adopted children: Corinthia, Jospephine, Roslyn, Sharon, Jeville, Clement, Lahai, Clive, Garvin, Polachek and family; Edwards, Dixon, Lennox, Michael M., Pam and many more too numerous to name.

Cemetery Details

Orlando Memorial Gardens

5264 Ingram Road
Apopka, FL 32703

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 13. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Kings Way Baptist Church
1000 22nd Street
Orlando, FL

Service

JUN 13. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Myrtle Lucy Morrell*

October 22, 2023 at 05:49 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Myrtle Lucy Morrell.*



June 11, 2020 at 09:35 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Myrtle Lucy Morrell.*



June 11, 2020 at 05:36 PM

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“ *From son Ralph (Grace) and all family in Canada purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Myrtle Lucy Morrell.*



From son Ralph (Grace) and all family in Canada - June 11, 2020 at 12:26 PM