

SAFELY HOME

I am home in Heaven, dear ones:
Oh, so happy and so bright!
There is perfect joy and beauty
In this everlasting light.
All the pain and grief is over,
Every restless tossing passed;
I am now at peace forever,
Safely home in Heaven at last.
Did you wonder in so calmly
Trode the valley of the shade?
Oh! But Jesus' love illumined
Every dark and fearful glade.
And He came Himself to meet me
In that way so hard to tread;
And with Jesus' arm to lean on,
Could I have one doubt or dread?
Then you must not grieve so sorely,
For I love you dearly still:
Try to look beyond earth's shadows,
Pray to trust our Father's Will.
There is work still waiting for you,
So you must not idly stand;
Do it now, while life remaineth —
You shall rest in Jesus' land.
When that work is all completed,
He will gently call you Home;
Oh, the rapture of that meeting,
Oh, the joy to see you come!

IN LOVING MEMORY



Luda Louise Kemp

MAY 24, 1920 - DECEMBER 23, 2018

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 29, 2018
10 AM VISITATION - 11 AM SERVICE
HOUSE OF DAY FUNERAL SERVICE
2550 NEBRASKA, TOLEDO, OH 43607

INTERMENT: HISTORIC WOODLAWN CEMENTARY

OBITUARY

On Sunday, December 23, 2018, Luda Louise Kemp, affectionately known as Grandma Kemp and Aunt Louise, went home to be with the Lord at age 98.

She was born from the union of Carrie Hughey and Rudolph White on May 24, 1920 in Texarkana, Texas. Louise was raised by her grandmother, Pearlee Hughey, aka Mama Hughey, due to her mother's death when she was 2 years old. Louise married Wilton Ellis of Ozan, AK and to that union was born her only child Jimmy Ray Ellis. Following her divorce to Wilton, Louise moved to Toledo, OH where she met and married the love of her life, Joseph Calvin Kemp on October 14, 1950. Louise was a great wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother. Their home was a welcoming stop for all her neighbors, family and friends. She and Joe were known for their Sunday dinners, passing down many amazing recipes to future generations with macaroni and cheese being a crowd favorite.

Louise worked at The Lion Store retiring after 30+ years. She had an amazing voice, as confirmed by the nursing staff at Genacross Lutheran Village as she serenaded them on many nights. She belonged to both St. Mary's Baptist Church and Inspirational Missionary Baptist Church and found Christ at a very early age. Louise was preceded in death by her husband Joseph Calvin Kemp and her son Jimmy Ray Ellis. Living to cherish her memory are her five grandchildren all of Toledo, Ohio; Robin Chaney, Bridget (Steve) Anderson, Anthony (DeAnna) Ellis Sr., Stayce Fowler and Maria King, fifteen great-grandchildren, nine great-great-grandchildren, one very special daughter-in-law, Shirley Ellis and many other family members and awesome friends. The family would like to acknowledge and thank the special friends who assisted in her care over the years.

ORDER OF SERVICE

WELCOME SHIRLEY ELLIS

SCRIPTURE READING

— PSALM 23 PHILLIP ANDERSON

MUSICAL SELECTION ,,,, ARTHUR JOHNSON

OBITUARY/POEM ALEXIS FOWLER

REMARKS FAMILY & FRIENDS

MUSICAL SELECTION ARTHUR JOHNSON

EULOGY PASTOR CLIFFORD MAYES

PALLBEARERS:

ANTHONY ELLIS SR. MIKE ANDERSON

ANTHONY ELLIS JR. PHILLIP ANDERSON

ALBERT PRINCE BELL WESTON WEBB

Family and friends, thank you for coming. The fact that you all are here shows she has touched your lives in some way. Please know your kindness and generosity has not gone unnoticed. On behalf of her and our family, we say thank you and God bless you.