



Ethel E. Grimes

November 15, 1953 - December 26, 2017

Ethel Elizabeth Grimes 64 was born in New Haven, Connecticut on November 15, 1953 to the late Isaiah Milton Grimes and Leona Elizabeth Troutman. She was raised 3rd of 6 children which included brothers, Isaiah Grimes Jr. II (Meltonia), and Dennis Grimes both of New Haven, CT Lawrence Grimes (Crystal) in Greensboro, NC, and sister Cheryl LeShore (Bobby) in Jonesboro, GA. She also has a brother Hugh Grimes and sister Eleanor Grimes Howard in Greenville, NC.

Ms. Grimes obtained her GED and provided Child Care for many children including her all her Grandchildren. She was also briefly employed in retail and secretarial positions.

Ms. Grimes leaves to cherish children Leona Rogers McMurray (William Sr) in Fayetteville NC, Doreen M. Grimes in Miami, Florida, Delores R. Jones (David Sr.) in Hamden, CT, Torrance Grimes (Karleen) in Fayetteville, NC, Felicia M. Grimes, Springfield, MA.

Twelve Grandchildren Christopher M. Rogers Jr. in Ellington, CT Anthony O. Boykin Jr, in New Haven, CT, Kristen L. Rogers in West Haven, CT. Davida Jones Roberts (Al) in Hamden, CT, Michelle S. Boykin in Hamden, CT David R. Jones Jr. in Hamden, CT, Sydney and Brooke Grimes, Marcus Grimes, all of Miami Florida, Torrance L. Grimes Jr. New Haven, CT, Dante C. Grimes

Fayetteville NC, Dylon R. Jones Hamden, CT and 5 great-granchildren.

She is also survived by a host of Family and Friends and special and close friends Deborah Tolson, Mary Francis, Barbara Benton, and Arlissa Cummings. Her Legacy lives on in the Dynasty she created of Social Workers, Federal Employees, Bankers, Factory Workers, College Graduates, Mechanical Engineers, CNA's, Child Care Workers, Behavioral Therapists, and many more to come.

She is predeceased by sisters Charlean Troutman and Edma Turnage and brothers Isaiah M. Grimes Jr I, Dallas Grimes, and Samuel Grimes. She was predeceased by a grandson Theodore Romelo Graham.

Cemetery Details

Hamden Plains Cemetery

Hamden, CT

Previous Events

Calling Hours

JAN 5. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Christian Union Full Gospel Church
426 Washington Ave
06516
West Haven, CT

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Grams,
*Its been 7 years since I have seen your face
and everyday i think about it.
I am missing you like crazy. i wish you could
have seen how big skai is, you would've have
loved her. we all miss you so much. I love you so much my beautiful
angel.*



vida - December 26, 2024 at 06:25 AM



“ Ethel E. Grimes

October 09, 2023 at 06:14 AM



“ To the Crimes family may your mom R.I.P you have our Hart felt
sympathy may GOD comfort and strengthen you Ethel will truly be
missed her smile brighten up the room.I'm glad I got to see her and
hug her on December 19th 2017 at my Aunt Cora 100th Birthday
everytime I saw Ethel we would laugh and talk about everything.
Stay encourage she will forever be in your harts from the
strother&washington family

cathy sttother - January 10, 2018 at 10:03 PM



“ Cathy Sttother lit a candle in memory of Ethel
E. Grimes



cathy sttother - January 10, 2018 at 09:48 PM

RR

“ To the family of Ms. Ethel Grimes. Your in my thoughts and prayers. May God be with you all at this time. Renee Robinson and family

Renee Robinson - January 08, 2018 at 10:52 AM



“ Rest peacefully auntie until we meet again I love you..Tiff



Tiffany Naylor - January 06, 2018 at 11:15 AM

PW

“ My condolences goes out to you and your family May your Mom RIP

PATTY WOOD - January 06, 2018 at 09:17 AM

PD

“ I am so sorry for your loss . Heaven has gained another angel. Prayers are with you Doreen and family, I know this earthly pain.

Paul Dolan - January 05, 2018 at 06:36 PM

 Michele Myers

“ Sending prayers to the family. From Mount Holly, NC..... MY SPADES PARTNER XOXO



Michele Myers - January 05, 2018 at 11:19 AM

BB

“ BBrown lit a candle in memory of Ethel E. Grimes



BBrown - January 05, 2018 at 08:06 AM

BB

Blessing God is able to do all things .give you the strength to press on at this difficult time.

BBrown - January 05, 2018 at 08:08 AM

TF

“ The Furlow family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Ethel E. Grimes .



The Furlow family - January 04, 2018 at 01:03 PM

Greta Johnson

“ God bless my long time friend 🙏 may you Rest in Peace. girl love you always. 🥰🥰



Greta Johnson - January 04, 2018 at 09:05 AM

SG

“ *Sanantha Myers Galberth lit a candle in memory of Ethel E. Grimes*



Sanantha Myers Galberth - January 04, 2018 at 01:33 AM

SG

You All had the Best Mom, sister, friend . I love this Family . We all was Close . God Bless . Never FORGOTTEN

Sanantha Myers Galberth - January 04, 2018 at 01:48 AM

BK

“ *Our Deepest Sympathy to all the Grimes Family. May all the wonderful memories you made remain in your hearts forever. Sending our love, thoughts and prayers to all.*

Bill and Linda Kardos - January 03, 2018 at 10:12 PM

TG

“ *Tanya Grimes sent a virtual gift in memory of Ethel E. Grimes*



Tanya Grimes - January 03, 2018 at 05:40 PM

TG

“ *Tanya Grimes lit a candle in memory of Ethel E. Grimes*



Tanya Grimes - January 03, 2018 at 05:37 PM

TG

“ *Tanya Grimes lit a candle in memory of Ethel E. Grimes*



Tanya Grimes - January 03, 2018 at 05:34 PM

CM

“ *To The Family Ethel Sorry For Your Loss You Have My Deepest Sympathy And Prayers Ethel Will Be Miss But Not Forgotten..*



Cynthia McCoy - January 03, 2018 at 02:38 PM

KR

“ *Karen Reid lit a candle in memory of Ethel E. Grimes*



Karen Reid - January 03, 2018 at 02:16 PM

MF

“ *Mr.&Mrs Tilma Kelly&Johnson Family lit a candle in memory of Ethel E. Grimes*



Mr.&Mrs Tilma Kelly&Johnson family - January 03, 2018 at 02:10 PM

HG

“ *HEIDI ROGERS GILBERT lit a candle in memory of Ethel E. Grimes*



HEIDI ROGERS GILBERT - January 03, 2018 at 11:15 AM

HG

“ *I am going to miss that beautiful smile and laughter. Ethel and I shared classes as we prepared for our GED . We graduated together it was such a great accomplishment for us both. She also let her daughter babysit for me. Tears! I am truly going to miss her I wished I had visited her more*

HEIDI ROGERS GILBERT - January 03, 2018 at 11:13 AM

WJ

“ *The Allen family sends there deepest condolences to the Grimes family.*

Willie Allen, Jr. - January 03, 2018 at 08:56 AM

RL

“ Our condolences to the family, May God give you all the strength, I am praying for you all, stay ENCOURAGE, God got you all, love you guy's... cousin Dot,.Rozzye (Atlanta, Georgia).

Roselyn Lockette - January 03, 2018 at 08:18 AM

BH

Prayers!! 🍷 Sorry for your loss!!💜

Barbara Hill - January 04, 2018 at 04:13 AM

DS

“ Condolences to the family of Ms. Ethel who always been like family to me. May God comfort you in these difficult times.

Dana Griffin Sr - January 03, 2018 at 06:52 AM

NG

“ My deepest Condolences to the Troutman and Grimes Family. Sleep in Peace Ethel.

Novena Gillians - January 03, 2018 at 06:19 AM



“ Cousin Ethel, I will always remember how Jazzy you were. I remember co Ming to your house and you all were so welcoming and kind. You laughing and joking someone yelling get Milton😭😭 I will also never forget when you walked your daughter down the aisle. She was a beautiful bride.



Nichole Wells - January 03, 2018 at 06:08 AM

RY

“ *Roe Young lit a candle in memory of Ethel E. Grimes*



Roe Young - January 03, 2018 at 05:55 AM

RY

“ *Felecia and the Grimes Family, please accept my heartfelt sympathy on your loss of your mother. "A mother holds her children's hand for awhile, and their hearts forever." May she R.I.P. My thoughts are with you during this difficult time.*

Roe Young - January 03, 2018 at 05:45 AM

DW

My condolences go out to family during your time of bereavement. Denis , Rhonda Wright and family.

Denis Wright - January 03, 2018 at 05:52 AM

CT

“ *Rest in Peace Cousin/Aunt Ethel!*

Cinque Troutman - January 03, 2018 at 04:18 AM

MG

“ My deepest condolences to the family of Ethel Grimes. Growing up in the Ashmun street projects together back in the 60's was something special. Ethel was a person that would share whatever she had and loved to sing and dance. Her warm beautiful smile would light up a room when she walked in. It doesn't seem real that she is gone, I saw her a couple of weeks ago and our conversation was always about the good old days, I will truly miss her and I'm praying earnestly for the Family, that God gives them strength to get through this. Til we meet again. RIP Love you, from the Gomes Family and Mr. & Mrs Marilyn Yvonne Green




Marilyn Yvonne Gomes Green - January 02, 2018 at 08:50 PM

BE

“ To the Ethel's family. I remember the days when Ethel and I swap would that good ole music, even when I moved south we continued to keep in touch and mail each other our favorites. I want you to know that my prayers are with you all at this time. Your mom was a wonderful lady who will truly be missed.

Becky - January 02, 2018 at 12:08 PM

 Kimberly Troutman

“ Sleep In Peace My Beautiful Twin Auntie



Kimberly Troutman - January 01, 2018 at 06:09 PM

DA

“ *The Atkins family sends prayers and condolences to the Grimes family. May you find peace, comfort and solace during this difficult time. Carrie, Connie and Denise Atkins*



Denise Atkins - January 01, 2018 at 05:51 PM

EP

“ *Ethel and I use to talking on the phone for a couple of hours, than I use to go over her house and listen to oldddddddddddd kool music, we would be dancing, and of course she would always cook a lot of food we would eat, or I would bring something to eat, we had so much fun, this hurts so bad to have lost one of my best friend, I'm gonna miss her soooooooo much, we talked before she passed, Rest In Peace my sista, love you*

evelyn jones penn - January 01, 2018 at 03:45 PM



“ *Yvonne Jones lit a candle in memory of Ethel E. Grimes*



Yvonne Jones - December 31, 2017 at 11:29 AM



“ *My dear Aunt Ethel I will miss you and our yearly conversations say hellol to my MOM and GRANA and all our other family members to my cousins I love you all and will continue to keep the family in prayer 🙏🕯️*

Yvonne Jones - December 31, 2017 at 11:28 AM

CS

“ Sis. I'm REALLY gonna miss you so so much are last hug and kiss Dec. 17th 2017th and I will never forget all the things we shared and laughed about talked about, with are sister Charlene and mommy, who God also called home, I know you are all smiling because has put you all together, tell mommy and Charlene I said hello . God has dwelt strength in me to keep the family together as a hold your kids and there kids, Charlene kids and there kids, and our brothers. Sis I promise to follow God's lead while we all are still on this earth, and keep love and happiness in this family until we are all smiling and together again. Love and missing you mommy and Charlene, always in my heart forever, your sister Cheryl Grimes LeShore



Cheryl Grimes LeShore (sister) - December 31, 2017 at 09:15 AM

CS

“ Cheryl Grimes LeShore (Sister) sent a virtual gift in memory of Ethel E. Grimes



Cheryl Grimes LeShore (sister) - December 31, 2017 at 08:33 AM

DG

“ Mom I love you. It hurts us all that you're not here with us now. I wish that you were able to meet Scarlett but one day we all will see you again. You have made a difference in so many lives and made your mark in this world. I love you and miss you mom. Sleep in Peace.
Doreen

Doreen Grimes - December 30, 2017 at 11:43 AM