



Josephine Murphy

September 17, 1935 - January 14, 2018

Josephine Murphy, age 82 of New Haven, Connecticut, passed away on Monday, January 14, 2018. She was born to the late Leroy Spell, Sr. and Louise Davis Spell on September 17, 1935. Family and friends were Josephine's passion and delight. She was raised in Pitt County where she attended school. Josephine was an active and longtime member of Mount Calvary Church in New Haven, Connecticut. Josephine was preceded in death by her husband, Julius Murphy, Sr., her son, Ronald Murphy and six brothers; John Wesley Spell a/k/a JW, Leroy Spell, Jr., Clifton Spell, Willie Eddie Spell, Willie Arthur and James Earl Spell and two sisters, Estella Hill and Robena Lane. Josephine is survived and cherished by daughter, Schneska Murphy of New Haven, Connecticut; three sons, Douglas Spells (Diane) of Stamford, Connecticut, Bennie Murphy (Crystal) of Meriden, Connecticut, Julius Murphy (Natasha) of Hamden, Connecticut, two sisters, Verna Grant and Judy Dupree (Blaney) of Greenville, North Carolina; a brother Radford Spell of Greenville, North Carolina.; a host of grandchildren, great-grandchildren, great-great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, family and friends.

Cemetery Details

Hamden Plains Cemetery

Hamden, CT

Previous Events

Calling Hours

JAN 22. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Morning Star Church
125 Dixwell Avenue
New Haven, CT CT

Funeral Service

JAN 22. 11:00 AM (ET)

Morning Star Church
125 Dixwell Avenue
New Haven, CT CT

Tribute Wall



“ *Josephine Murphy*

October 09, 2023 at 06:14 AM



“ *Jeanette Williamson lit a candle in memory of Josephine Murphy*



Jeanette williamson - January 21, 2018 at 01:56 PM



“ *My sincere sympathies to the family for the loss of your Loved one. Romans 12: 12 encourages us to keep hope alive. The resurrection is a guarantee because Jesus Christ was raised up in 3 Days.*

The Carthens - January 15, 2018 at 08:50 PM