

In Loving Memory of
Ella Mildred Edmonds



Sunrise: December 31, 1938

Sunset: September 7, 2021

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2021 - 4:00 P.M.

Cotton Funeral Service

1025 Bergen Street • Newark, New Jersey

Obituary

Ella Mildred Scott Edmonds was born on December 31, 1938, in Halifax North Carolina. Birth to Viola Scott but raised by her aunt Maddie Harrell. Ella departed this life on September 7, 2021, at Beth Israel Hospital in Newark, New Jersey.

Ella grew up to become a nurturing and loving young lady and graduated from West Martin High School in Oak City North Carolina.

After graduating from high school Ella moved to Newark N.J. there, she married her ex-husband Leroy Edmonds in 1960 and through this union birth five children, their daughter, Daborah Edmonds, and four sons, Paul Edmonds, Levon Edmonds, Kenya Edmonds, and Rodney Edmonds.

Ella begun working for the Board of Education in 1968 working as a Lunch Aid. She was very much devoted to serving and nourishing the students around her. They would gravitate to her and call out her name every time they seen her, in the hallways at the school or out on the street, yelling "Hey Ms. Edmonds," while running up to embrace her in a hug. There was nothing that Ella would not do to help someone in need. If she could do it, she would, with a prayer and a song in tow and the people closest to her and the people in the community all saw this and felt the love that Ella gave and loved her back.

Ella became a member of the Pentecostal Church of Christ in Newark, N.J. in 1982. She was water baptized, in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins and later she was filled with the holy ghost with the evidence of

speaking in tongue. Ella was saved and she loved the lord with her whole heart. She developed a relationship with Lord and served Jesus Christ until her death.

Ella was proceeded in death by her mother Viola, and two granddaughters, Fatimah Edmonds, and Aamirah Edmonds.

Ella leaves to cherish her memories, is her five loving children, Three granddaughters, Zakkiyya Edmonds, Amaala Edmonds, Charnell Edmonds, and five grandsons, Abdul Shawkat Edmonds, Lamont Edmonds, Raymond Edmonds, Jeremiah Edmonds, and Joshua Edmonds and eleven great grandchildren, Jaleel Edmonds, Yasmeenah Hill, Jabril Edmonds, Quashia James, Zyell James, Zaniah James, Arie Doran, Saamire Edmonds, Jovan Edmonds, Giovanni P. Edmonds and Gianni P. Edmonds.

With her “tell it like it is” personality, Ella has left gaps in hearts that will never be filled and will truly be missed by her family, friends, co-laborer, her neighbors and each community she step foot in.

Order of Service

Opening Prayer

Minister Talya Wilson of Kingdom Fellowship Ministries

Reading of the Scriptures (old and New Testament)

A Prayer of Comfort

Minister Talya Wilson of Kingdom Fellowship Ministries

Music Selection - Mr. Emory Lee

Remarks (From Family & Friends)

Acknowledgements

Reading of the Obituary Talia Day

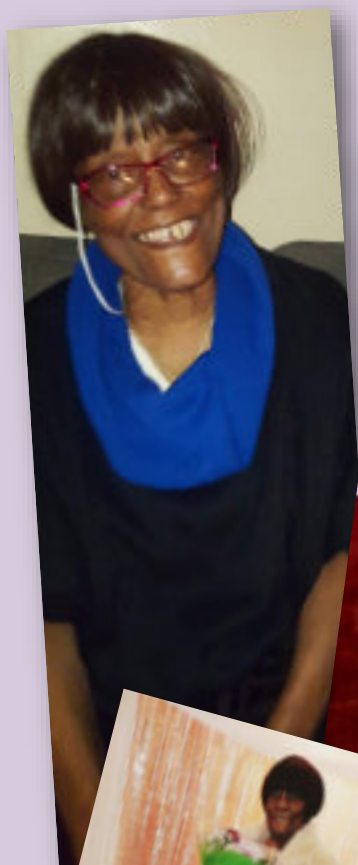
Music Selection - Mr. Emory Lee

Eulogy - Minister Georgia Johnson (Franklin St.

John United Methodist Church)

Interment
Evergreen Cemetery
Hillside, New Jersey









Fallen Limb

A limb has fallen from the family tree.

I keep hearing a voice that says, "Grieve not for me".

Remember the best times, the laughter, the song.

The good life I lived while I was strong.

Continue my heritage, I'm counting on you.

Keep smiling and surely the sun will shine through.

My mind is at ease, my soul is at rest.

Remembering all, how I truly was blessed.

Continue traditions, no matter how small.

Go on with your life, don't worry about falls

I miss you all dearly, so keep up your chin.

Until the day comes we're together again.

Acknowledgement

*The family acknowledges with deep appreciation all acts of kindness extended to them during this bereavement hour.
May God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.*

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