



Eddie Elaine Jasper

April 5, 1958 - November 2, 2023

Eddie “Elaine” Mecay Washington Jasper, 65, formerly of Franklin, Tennessee, passed away Thursday, November 2, 2023, in her Antioch, Tennessee residence. She was a graduate of Franklin High School and received her certificate in Nursing. In 1984, she started her tenure with Dr. Elliot and Cynthia Himmelfarb, serving as the nanny to their children, Cara and Eric Himmelfarb. When the children grew up and left home, Elaine took on the role of housekeeper. She remained a dedicated worker for the Himmelfarbs (39 years) up until her health challenges prevented her from doing so. Elaine professed her faith in Jesus Christ at an early age and was baptized at the age of seven and becoming a member of Fowlkes Street Church of Christ. She would later become a member of Limestone Baptist Church in Franklin and maintain that membership until her death. Elaine was preceded in death by her husband, Walter Jasper; mother and stepfather, Esther and Felix Wilson; father, Clifford Washington, Sr.; brothers, Clifford Washington, Jr., William “Buzzy” Washington, and James “Cowboy” Wilson; best friend, Rena Terrell; sister-in-law, Tamera Wilson; brother-in-law, Tommy Murdic; goddaughter, Briana Terrell; cousins, Ervin E. Denkins, Jr. and Ervin E. Denkins, III. Survivors include her daughters, Ashley White and Amber Jasper (Larisha Johnson), both of Antioch, TN; grandson, Armani Hough of Antioch, TN; sisters, Deborah Murdic of Franklin, TN and Mary (Stanley) Trice of Nashville, TN; brothers, Wayne Wilson and Richard Wilson, both of Nashville; nieces, Cathy Murdic, Tiffany Taylor, Stacey (Kevin) Watkins, and

Stephanie Hardison; nephews, Nicholas (Tanae) Murdic, Edward (Leeann) Murdic, Vandell Patton, Brent Washington, Clay Washington, and Carter Washington; loving friends, the Himmelfarbs, Walter Olive, Rita Jenkins, Lynette Russ, Barbara Sowell, and Teresa Demumbran; godchildren, Leka Leach, Bliss Thomas, Quinia Steele, Tia Terrell, Lafonda Sowell, Shavonna Cannon, Quita Dodson, Kayla Baugh, Omar Terrell, and Justin Reffeggee; and a host of "adopted" grandchildren; great-nieces and great-nephews; and other relatives and loved ones. Elaine will lie-in-state on Saturday, November 18, 2023, from 10:30-1:00 p.m. at Waters Mortuary. She will then lie-in-state from 2-3 p.m. at Limestone Baptist Church with the funeral service to follow at 3 p.m. with Pastor Wayne McCullough officiating and Brother John R. Taylor, Sr. as the eulogist. Arrangements are by Taylor Funeral Home of Chattanooga, Inc.

Directions to Live Stream: 1. Go to Your Facebook Page 2. Type: [taylorfuneralhomeofchattanooga](#)
3. Click 'Like' or 'Thumbs Up' 4. Scroll down to view the service

Previous Events

Lie-In-State

NOV **18.** 10:30 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Waters Mortuary
1408 Columbia Avenue
Franklin, TN 37064

Lie-In-State

NOV **18.** 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Limestone Baptist Church
1613 W. Main Street
Franklin, TN 37064

Service

NOV **18.** 3:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ 1 file added to the album *Funeral Service-Elaine Jasper*



Taylor Funeral Home of Chattanooga, Inc. - December 09, 2023 at 03:45 PM

DC

“ *Derek & Lorri (Frierson) Cotton purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Eddie Elaine Jasper.*



Derek & Lorri (Frierson) Cotton - November 17, 2023 at 01:52 PM

RP

“ *Roxie Patton sent a virtual gift in memory of Eddie Elaine Jasper*



Roxie patton - November 16, 2023 at 01:23 PM

SE

“ I know that we must all go this way at some time or another, but there are some people who are called too soon. My cousin Elaine was one of those people. I still cannot process the fact that this 'life of the party, larger than life' young lady is gone from us. No one can ever begin to fill her shoes because she was so many things to so many people. She lived her life to the fullest and she made her presence known! RIP cousin.

Sharon Edd - November 15, 2023 at 05:29 PM

SD

There are no amount of words to express the shock , void and hurt I feel. Diva was one of the best ever ❤️, there will never be another. I 🙏 pray I expressed to her on our numerous years and times together how much I loved her. This one will be truly missed. Until we get together again.

Sharon Maye-Jordan (Sharon Dee) - November 18, 2023 at 11:03 AM



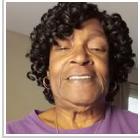
“ Elaine was my favorite paternal cousin and all our family knew it. We all love hard and genuine, but there was just something special about Elaine. When she and I were in the same room, a good gut busting laugh was guaranteed. I feel like a huge chunk of me is missing and will never be replaced. She left a beautiful footprint in the life of so many. Never another Eddie Elaine Washington Jasper.

Dorothy Young - November 14, 2023 at 08:59 PM

TM

“ Sending my condolences to the Jasper family. Elaine was such a fun, loving, charismatic woman. She loved her family and friends dearly. May she rest in heavenly peace 💕🙏. Tammy McNeal from Michigan.

Tammy McNeal - November 14, 2023 at 05:09 PM



“Cousin Elaine, you were very much loved and will truly be missed. You were such a vibrant and loving person with a big heart who always did whatever you could for anyone you met. The people in your life could always depend on your being there for them, regardless of what was needed. My heartfelt sympathy to my cousins who remain. "Hold to God's unchanging hand!"
Love, Cousin Barbara (BJ)

Barbara Easter Holmes - November 14, 2023 at 08:06 AM

JH

“To The Family Very Very Sorry For Your Loss
(From The Harlan Family James-Alice
Hughes-Kortney Harlan).



James Harlan - November 06, 2023 at 05:07 PM