

Obituary

Norma LaJuene Wells was born January 1, 1931 to Nettie Edwards and George Wells in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. She was preceded in death by her mother, father, two sons and two grandsons. She was the first grandchild of W.J. Edwards, founder of Edwards Addition.

Norma was a 1946 graduate of Douglass High School. After graduation, she was employed at the Black Hotel as an elevator operator for several years. She then began employment at St. Anthony Hospital as a unit secretary and gave 30 years of service to this employment prior to her retirement in 1996.

Norma became a member of Tabitha Baptist Church in the early 1950's. She was a loyal member of the Senior Choir and Mass Choir. She was a faithful tither, and participated in all activities of the church.

Sister Norma was quiet spoken and could always be found surrounded by her children and grandchildren. She enjoyed crocheting, reading and working word puzzles.

She leaves to cherish many wonderful memories, two daughters: Debra Oliver and Michelle (Reverend Horace) Scott; one sister, Patsy Wells; and grandchildren: LaQuese Henry, LaSandra Mixon, Janelle (Craig) Lasley, Bennie (Angela) Goines, Anthony Oliver, George (Sadae) Goines, Anya (Kentrel) Broom, Sasha Oliver, Ricardo Johnson; great grandchildren: Nia Talley, Brianna Goines, Aysa Oliver, Jalen Goines, Jaden Goines, Kendra Broom, Daiseana Lasley, Kendall Mixon, Lela Broom, Amare' Oliver, Devin Goines; best friend, Marie Brazel; special friends: Alice Albritton, JoAnn Bowler and Shirley Loggins; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Her Favorite Scripture:

Proverbs 3:5-6

"Trust in the LORD with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding. In all thy ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct thy paths."