



Irene "Reni" Collins

October 21, 1948 - October 7, 2018

Irene "Reni" Collins, 69 of Zanesville, died, Sunday, October 7, 2018, at The Oaks at Bethesda following a brief illness. She was born Thursday, October 21, 1948, in Clayton, AL, the daughter of Daisy Bell Collins. Reni moved to Cincinnati at a young age to live, and was raised by her aunt and uncle: Annie L. & Otis Harris.

Irene went to grade school at the 7th Day Adventist Church, in Cincinnati, and at the age of eight transferred to the Hamilton County School for the Handicapped. When she turned 18 she became an employee in the school workshoppe. Irene confessed her belief in Jesus Christ, and was baptized by the late Rev. Fred L. Shuttlesworth on May 5, 1977, and became a member of the Greater New Light Baptist Church. After moving to Zanesville to live with her cousin: Denise Brown, Reni attended Greater Apostolic Church of Christ. She enjoyed going to the Carr Adult Day Care Center, coloring pictures, singing and working puzzles.

Irene is survived by many cousins including Denise & Terrence Brown of Zanesville, and one aunt: Tracy Collins of Atlanta, GA.

Irene was preceded in death by her mother: Daisy Bell Collins and her aunt & uncle: Annie & Otis Harris

Friends may call 5:00 to 7:00 PM, Friday, October, 12, 2018, at the Greater Apostolic Church of Christ, 1651 State Street, Zanesville, where Funeral Services will follow at 7:00 PM, with Elder Terrence Brown officiating. Entombment will follow in the Garden Mausoleum at Spring Grove Cemetery, Cincinnati, at a later date.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 12. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Greater Apostolic Church of Christ
1651 State St.
Zanesville, OH

Funeral Service

OCT 12. 7:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Irene "Reni" Collins

October 06, 2023 at 04:22 AM



“ Rest my friend you would always say “you fired “ but you loved my cooking chef Jim Norris



jim norris - October 12, 2018 at 08:21 PM



“ Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Irene "Reni" Collins.



October 11, 2018 at 02:52 PM



“ We met Irene when we came to The Oaks once a month to sing and entertain the residents. Irene was "always" there and sang along with most of the songs. Her smile always brightened our day as much as we tried to brighten hers. A week ago today was the first time she was not there singing along and smiling. We asked about her and they said that she wasn't feeling well. She is now at rest with the Lord. We are going to miss her so much. What a beautiful person she was.

Rick and Sue Hildebrand - October 11, 2018 at 08:20 AM

BT

“ I had the honor of meeting Reni at the Oaks at Bethesa. When I visited the Oaks to see my friend Sandee, I was always pleased to see Reni. She always had a smile on her face and a happy attitude. She loved to show me what puzzle she was working on and she would smile as she told me what the picture would be. I will miss her, but I am very grateful that I met her. Betsy Thomas, Zanesville, Ohio

Betsy Thomas - October 11, 2018 at 06:45 AM

SS

“ Reni was so special in God's eyes and a precious soul in my heart as I provided my duties and enjoyed her singing and puzzle "skills"during my service at the Carr Center! God Bless and Comfort All ! She is with our Lord !! Sondra Mathews,R.N.,B.S.N.

Sondra S.Mathews - October 10, 2018 at 08:20 PM

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“ Phyllis Murgatroyd lit a candle in memory of Irene "Reni" Collins



phyllis murgatroyd - October 08, 2018 at 02:39 PM