



Geneva Whitfield

June 13, 1919 - August 30, 2012

Geneva Whitfield was born on June 3, 1919 to the union of Blanche and Ollie Rice, Sr. in Jerico, Arkansas. She was one of five children.

Geneva married Gary Wakefield, and to this union sixteen children were born. After the death of her first husband Gary, Geneva later married Willie Whitfield, and to this union, there were no children born.

After a study of God's word, Geneva dedicated her life to Jehovah and symbolized her dedication through water baptism on July 19, 1977, becoming one of Jehovah's Witnesses. Geneva talked to everyone that she came into contact with about her God Jehovah, including those in the building where she lived.

Geneva loved to cook and entertain, no one was a stranger. She loved her family so much, as well as her spiritual brothers and sisters. And she was known as "Mom" to many.

On Thursday, August 30, 2012, Geneva fell asleep in death in her home in Park Forest, IL. She was preceded in death by two husbands, Gary Wakefield and Willie Whitfield; and three children, Joe Willie, Renold and Flora Steen. Geneva believed and talked about the hope of a resurrection. Her family looks forward to welcoming her back to a paradise earth when death will be no

more.

Geneva leaves to cherish her memory, thirteen children, Millie (Charles) Abram, Theodore Wakefield, Gary (Barbara) Wakefield, Nathaniel (Joyce) Wakefield, Betty Jo (Joe) Cook, Enis (Betty) Wakefield, Joyce (Willie) Bell, Mildred (Elijah) Curry, Evelyn (William) Mosely, Robert Earl (Sheila), Willie (Jacqueline) Wakefield, Don Carlos (Susan) and Delois (Reginald) Glover; forty grandchildren; and a host of great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Previous Events

Service

SEP 8. 1:00 PM (CT)

Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses (Joliet)
2325 Theodore Street
Joliet, IL

Tribute Wall



“ *Geneva Whitfield*

October 04, 2023 at 06:11 PM



“ *Dee Glover lit a candle in memory of Geneva Whitfield*



Dee Glover - November 10, 2012 at 07:27 PM