



## Laura Young

September 15, 2013

Laura Young was born in Cairo, Illinois in the month of April, the year 1942. She was raised by her parents Nathaniel and Laura Metcalf along with her brothers and sisters. She was the seventh of nine children.

Laura attended school in Chicago, IL. She married JB Young Sr. on November 20, 1961. To this union there were born three children and two adoptive children. Laura spent her entire adult life being a very supportive wife and loving mother.

Laura dedicated her life to Jehovah and symbolized her dedication through water baptism on February 17, 1973, becoming one of Jehovah's Witnesses and part of a warm Christian brotherhood. She was a Regular Pioneer for several years and continued zealously preaching despite her illness, all the while looking forward to the fulfillment of Revelation 21:4.

Laura loved to talk, even as a young child, she would talk about everything and anything. Even if you didn't want to talk, she made you happy, to the point you would want to share your feelings to Big Mamma. Laura had a generous and self-sacrificing spirit. Within a few minutes with Laura made you feel at home, welcomed and loved.

On the afternoon of September 15, 2013, Laura fell asleep in death. She was

preceded in death by her parents, Nathaniel and Laura Metcalf; three sisters, Atlanta Metcalf Littie, Irene Stokes and Alma Bivens; one brother, Shelley Bonner; and one granddaughter, Sharon Young.

Laura leaves to cherish her memories, her husband, JB Sr.; two sons, JB Jr. (Hazel) and Byron (Eva); three daughters, Cassandra (Rinell), Telesha and Bianca; four grandchildren, Damien, Rinell Jr., Denzell and Chanell; one sister, Bernice (David) Puschak; three brothers, Bennie (Mary) Metcalf, Nathaniel (Carol) Metcalf and Leon Metcalf; and a host of nieces, nephews, spiritual brothers, sisters and friends.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **22**. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

McCullough Funeral & Cremation Services (FH)  
1621 East Lincoln Highway  
Ford Heights, IL 60411  
(708) 758-2880  
info@mcculloughfuneralservices.com

## Service

SEP **22**. 12:30 PM (CT)

Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witnesses (U.P.)  
701 Kedzie Avenue  
University Park, IL

# Tribute Wall



“ *Laura Young*

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October 04, 2023 at 06:11 PM



“ *To the family:  
I will always remember her caring concern and support during my sister's illness prior to her death. Also the time we spent together during her visit just a few months ago. May Jehovah comfort each of you during this very difficult time.*

*Your sister in the faith,  
Dollie M. Banks - Phoenix, AZ*

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**Dollie M. Banks** - September 27, 2013 at 01:39 AM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



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**Marla Stokes** - September 23, 2013 at 11:36 AM

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“ *My Aunt Laura was a true leader and had a special gift of healing. She was more a big sister than an aunt due to being my mother's baby sister. She could make you laugh even during hard times. We will see you again Auntie. Thanks for sharing all of your knowledge and love.*

*Your Niece Marla*

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**Marla Stokes** - September 23, 2013 at 11:33 AM

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**Marla Stokes** - September 23, 2013 at 11:29 AM

GM

“ *For the family of Laura Young, Please accept my condolences during this very difficult time find comfort in Jesus' response to his friend death. At John 11:35.....*



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**Gail McGrew** - September 21, 2013 at 07:27 PM