



## Della Mae Hunt

September 13, 1927 - April 13, 2020

Della Mae Hunt Age 92 of Black Jack, MO.

Della Mae Route was the last of her parent's children, born September 13, 1927. Della confessed hope in Christ at an early age and joyfully served Him all the days of her life. She diligently served in the Willing Workers Ministry and as Superintendent of Sunday School at North Galilee Missionary Baptist Church. She found great joy planning and organizing the Church's Annual Black History, Easter, and Christmas Programs; as well as, Vacation Bible School, and the annual Hallelujah Party. She poured into many children and their families while planting God's word into them. In her later years, she joined fellowship with Go 2 Grow Ministry and served in the Communion Ministry.

Della married Casper Hunt and to this union 3 children were born. Della was a humanitarian at heart! Visiting the sick and giving to the less fortunate was common place in her personal and professional life. As a caseworker with Yateman Health Center, she advocated for care and resources for those in need. Della was fun-loving and enjoyed being surrounded by family! She supported her children, grandchildren, great grandchildren, and great -great grandchildren any way she could. She had a hand in raising 4 generations! A true matriarch, she instilled Christian values and kept the family covered in prayer. She was engaged in everyone's life and always had an encouraging

word to keep you motivated. She enjoyed traveling, especially with her sisters, niece, and nephew! She often organized annual bus trips across the country.

Della touched the lives of many and leaves a rich legacy for her family to carry forward. She leaves to cherish her memory her children, grandchildren, great grandchildren, great -great grandchildren, multiple generations of nieces, nephews and cousins; her church family, and many close friends. Della believed in education and would give her last to help see her children, grandchildren, great grandchildren receive their education and have everything they need including “pocket money” to attend school.

Flowers are not being accepted at this time. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to St. Louis Route Scholarship Fund via CashApp, cashtag: \$STLRouteScholarFund. If you have questions regarding this, please contact a family member. Limited Webcasting will be on Friday, April 24, 2020 at approximately 1:13pm on the Archway Memorial Chapel FaceBook page. <https://www.facebook.com/ArchwayMemorialChapel/>

# Cemetery Details

## **National Cemetery - Jefferson Barracks**

2900 Sheridan Rd  
St. Louis, MO 63125

# Tribute Wall

LB

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Lorna B - April 26, 2020 at 05:10 PM

TD

“ I worked with Ms Della in the Communion Ministry at Grow 2 to Grow CC. She was a joy always ready to lead a helping hand. She was always ready to pray or just to say comforting words. I always looked to see what she was wearing on Sundays because she used to out dress me. She will be truly missed. Love you Ms Della.

Toni Dupree - April 24, 2020 at 04:12 PM

CO

“ She was MY “village” growing up. The last time I saw her she said””  
“me and Miss Purdy raised some good kids! Yes y’all did.  
Rest in paradise Queen.

Cookie - April 24, 2020 at 02:48 PM

AI

“ One of my favorite memories is how she came up to me the very first time and called me "The Little Reverend." She was very encouraging in that she would make it known that I was one of her favorite teachers at the church. That meant a lot to me because I understood the long and personal relationship that she had with the Lord. I later found out that she had a few other people that she would lift up in similar ways. She was and is a light to the Kingdom of God. I along with my wife Kelsia Ivy appreciated her impartation of that faith, hope and love which added strength to our household and strength to G2GCC ministry. She was truly loved, adored, respected and her glow will be missed.

*Asst. Pastor Alphonso Ivy Jr.*

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**Alphonso Ivy** - April 24, 2020 at 02:39 PM



“ *Fields of Europe for Spring* was purchased for the family of Della Mae Hunt.



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April 24, 2020 at 11:26 AM

NN

“ Her golden face, no wrinkles in sight.  
Skin kissed by the sun.  
Petite stature,  
Crowned with silver locs in a bun.

She loved God.  
Praised Him everyday.  
"You need a relationship with God,"  
That's what Granny would say.

She was so proud of her family,  
Anyone that talked to her knew,  
All the accomplishments of her children, grandchildren, great-  
grandchildren, great-great-grandchildren, and extended family too.

Wisdom beyond measure,  
A solid foundation,  
She prayed without ceasing,  
And God kept us from all evil.

She loved to feed us,  
Even if we were not hungry,  
"Come get you something to eat,"  
Over and over she would plea.

Made me laugh without trying,  
Well into my thirties, she would threat,  
"I'm gonna use my switch on you."  
"You not too old, don't forget!"

She read the entire newspaper daily.  
Saved the crossword puzzle for the afternoon.  
Studied the Word of God,  
Keeping her faith finely tuned.

"Hold to God's Unchanging Hand" she sang.

*Echoed by family, friends, and fellow Christians.  
She built her hope on the eternal.  
Knowing that times are filled with swift transitions.*

*God blessed us with Granny,  
For 92 and a half years,  
Now she has returned to the Father,  
With open arms and cheers.*

*Well done, Well done, Well done,  
Enter into the rest of the Lord,  
My good and faithful servant,  
Receive your just reward!*

*Love Always,*

*Tash*

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**N. Nash** - April 24, 2020 at 01:57 AM

EF

“ GREETINGS! MY FAVORITE AUNT WHO TOLD ME THINGS I DID NOT KNOW FROM THE WORD OF GOD THAT HELPED ME TO ACCEPT THE GRACE WILL OF GOD IN MY LIFE. PRAISE GOD FOR HIS WISDOM IN JESUS NAME.AMEN GRACE LOVE PEACE EVANGELIST PATRICIA FAMOUS



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**Evangelist Patricia A. Famous** - April 24, 2020 at 12:29 AM

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“ GREETINGS! MY FAVORITE AUNT SHE KEPT THE WORD OF GOD COMING TO ME THAT KEPT ME STRONG AND ABLE TO DEAL WITH MY OWN FAMILY AS A YOUNG WOMAN WHO REALLY KNEW NOTHING BUT I DID NOT KNOW I KNEW NOTHING GOD IS GREAT! AMEN IN JESUS NAME AMEN GRACE LOVE PEACE EVANGELIST PATRICIA FAMOUS

Evangelist Patricia A. Famous - April 24, 2020 at 12:17 AM

WS

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

Wallace Scales - April 23, 2020 at 06:05 PM

BJ

“ To Tha Hunt Family  
I Love You All  
My Prayerz Are Yourz  
God Up

Brian Jones - April 22, 2020 at 10:54 PM

DT

“ Condolences to the Hunt family. May God continue to strengthen you at this difficult time.

Denise Tramble - April 21, 2020 at 01:25 AM

LC

“ So sorry for your loss!! Praying strength for the entire family!! She will be greatly missed and we love and praying for you all!!

Latosha Carter - April 20, 2020 at 09:28 PM

DG

*In the words of Isaiah the prophet, "(s)he shall enter into peace..." We're sorry for your loss & pray the Lord's comfort, peace, & strength for all of you. Mother Hunt "served" her generation & others, & planted "precious seeds" that "shall doubtless come again," as "you" continue her legacy. Bro. & Sis. Hunt, we love you & thank you for "faithfully" serving in our church & in our community. Our prayers are with you, Bro. & Sis. Green 🙏*

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**David & Sharon Green** - April 23, 2020 at 08:08 AM