



Edith May Lacy

December 24, 1933 - August 15, 2013

Edith May Lacy (79)

On Thursday, August 15, 2013 of Lorton, VA. Loving wife of the late Beverly R. Lacy; Cherished mother of Mary Anderson(the late Thomas), Randy Lacy(Debbie), Binnie Shepherd(John) and the late Ethel Marie Puffenbarger; grandmother of 8; great-grandmother of 13; great-great-grandmother of 4. She will truly be missed by many. Relatives and friends may call on Jefferson Funeral Chapel 5755 Castlewellan Dr. Alexandria, VA 22315 from 9:30-10:00 AM on Monday, August 19, 2013. Funeral service directly following. Interment Mount Comfort Cemetery.

Tribute Wall



“ *Edith May Lacy*

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“ So sorry for your loss but thankful for her strong ties to family. Aunt Edith was always welcoming and helpful. When Wayne was asked what he would say, he said he always felt welcome, she always tried to feed him, she always encouraged him and used to faithfully call and check on him. He has fond memories of Aunt Edith and Uncle Wicks when he was small and they lived "in the gravel pit in the big white house." He said Aunt Edith used to let him stay with them a good bit. He relayed a story of accompanying Uncle Wicks to the Franconia IGA where some big guy gave them some trouble. Wayne said he was about 9 years old at the time and he told the big guy that he didn't know who he was messing with and that he would shut him up, etc. Wayne says when they left out of there, his Uncle Wicks looked at him and said "Your a brave little shit." He recalled when he was working on her house trying to help her and she would bring out whole cases of canned food asking if he wanted something to eat. When he said no, he said she would disappear with the case and never knew where it went. He thinks maybe under the bed.

May she be at peace with her heavenly loved ones and God Bless her family and loved ones here on earth. Help them to be at peace with the knowledge that they will join her in God's time.

August 22, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Mary, Cindy, Sherri and family....We are so very sorry to hear of the passing of Mrs. Lacy.I have been told by Cindy of her great love for family and about you all celebrating her birthday and Christmas together...and just think...now she is with her close family and friends and OH what a time she must be having up there!! We will all be seeing her again one day and then you all can have a BIG reunion! Our thoughts and prayers are with you ALL.We LOVE you!!!

August 20, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ We are so sorry for your loss. Your family is in our thoughts and prayers. Jerry and Janey Shepherd

August 19, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Binnie, Mary, Randy & Family, my heart goes out to you all. You Mom was loved by many. She made me & Lionel feel like family, she always opened her home to us, treated us as family. She will be missed by many May God wrap his arms around each one and comfort you with peace. It is time for her to Open Her Wings and Fly High for She Is Free. Binnie, if you need to talk day or night I will be here for you. We love you all, you are like family, miss you.

August 19, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Nanny I love you so much and miss you not being here. I loved you living with us. I am going to miss hearing you and seeing you walk by my room or coming in you room to talk or bring you things. I know Shawn is going to miss not seeing or talking to you to or asking you to come play, Nanny when Mom told be my heart was broken and you took a part with you. I don't know what I am going to do without you its going to be so lonely here. Koda misses you to even though you told everyone you didn't like him he loved you feeding him what you didn't want. Nanny you are going to be missed more then you ever realized by everyone. You taught Mom values of family and I hope I can be like you with the loving, caring, and sharing you did. You have been there for me so much when I just wanted to give up.

I learned so much and I just had a thought run through my head of you and Barbara singing to us there was a little bird song. Nanny I have so much more to say and I know you will be in my heart and memories always. I love you so much Nanny and I also know how much you missed Marie and Granddaddy and the rest of our family there. I know one day we all will be back together again I just hope you will be proud of me.

August 19, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Nanny,

I am not much on words, but I have a few things to say about my wonderful grandmother. She was a very big part of my heart and now that she is gone, I don't feel like I have any more of my heart to give.

She was a very loving and giving person, helped anyone she could if they deserved it, if they didn't she would let them know that they weren't worthy of her kindness.

She helped me through a lot of hard times and like my dad she made me the person I am today. She taught me to be kind and help anyone who needed it.

I miss her dearly and it hasn't even set in yet but I know she is in a better place and is up there carrying on with my grandfather and my dad and Marie. Its hard to understand why God takes people from you, and the only thing that I can hope for is that I've earned my place up there with them.

*Love you forever Nanny,
Rodney Anderson*

August 19, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Nanny,

*This is one of the hardest things that I ever had to do, I am trying to be strong. I know that you would not want us to give up on life, that you would want us to carry on all your traditions and keep the family together. You were my rock, you made me see things that no one else could and stayed on me telling me that you are going to smack my ***. I am so happy that you got to spend time with Kenzie and she got to know her Nanny. Family meant everything to you, and that is the reason why each and everyone of us have such a close relationship with our Uncles, Aunts and cousins. I will always cherish the times that we all spent at your house and I will be able to give Kenzie all those wonderful stories and memories that was shared. You were my second mom and I looked up to you in so many ways and took to heart all the advice that you gave me through out the years, even though I sometimes did not want to hear some of it, you never sugar-coated anything. You were up front and honest with each us. You were there for me in one of my worst times in my life and kept me going. I will never forget the mailman coming to you asking you who Nanny Lacy was, I never knew you other than Nanny and that is how I addressed my mail to you. It is going to be so hard not to pick that phone up and call you, or come and see you and hear your voice. All your grandkids, great-grandkids and great-great grandkids all will carry on your traditions and family values that you instilled in each and every one of us. I am comforted in knowing that you are at peace and with all your loved ones that left before you did. I know granddaddy, Marie, and Daddy was waiting for you at the gates. Heaven got a special angel when God chose you to join him. I might have lost you in body but I will always have you in spirt. Love you so much..RIP Nanny*

August 18, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ Moma,

You are in heaven now, at peace and no pain. I miss you so much and it is hard not hearing your voice in the mornings and our talks. You gave us so much. You and daddy taught us what love is all about and respect and dignity. You had such strength and will. You have been your familys ROCK. You were always there for me with advice, comfort, and love. You were with me through the bad and the good. You were my childrens second mom. They dearly loved you and respected you and often asked for your advice. We will all miss our get togethers and reunions. I will keep the traditions going in your honor.

Moma my heart is broken, you took a piece of it with you when God called you away. I know your in a better place and with our family members. I thank you and daddy for my sisters and brother, and their love. I thank Binnie for what she did for you. You were where you wanted to be. My door was always opened, but thats where you wanted to be. I thank Randy for his love, support and kindness.

Our chain is broken again, but I know you'll be keeping an eye on us from heaven. There is no love like a Mother's and God's love. That is what you always told me. I thank you so much for being my mom and my children's Nanny. I will always love you and miss you. Give Daddy, Marie and Tommy a kiss from me.

Love Mary Francis Anderson

August 18, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *My prayers are with all of you. I know Aunt Edith will be greatly missed. Although I have not seen her in years. I remember as a child she was always very kind to me. She always made be feel welcome at her house, and I can still see her sweet smile. May she be rejoyceing in heaven with those she has been missing, and longing to see. I send hugs to you all.*

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“ *Being a mother has to be one of the hardest jobs their is, and Momma you went above and beyond your call of duty. You worked hard and made many sacrifices doing without to make our lives easier. You scratched and saved to provide for us. No matter what little we had you always seemed to pull through to make it work. We may not have had a lot of money or material things, but you taught us values of life (Love, Honor, Respect, Dignity), which meant more to me than all of the riches in the World. Our house was small with only 4 rooms for our family of 6, but you and Daddy filled it with love, making it seem like a mansion. We may have seemed poor to some people, but we were rich with love. There is a lot of memories that you and Daddy gave us, Looking at our house brings back many found memories of growing up..We had a lot of fun, from dancing to horseshoes, to get together's, there was never a dull moment at the Lacy house. I could never begin to thank you or repay you for all that you have done for our family. It has been so hard since you have past, not hearing your voice, and not being able to see or talk to you. I will miss our daily talks, and you always checking in on me. My heart breaks with the thought of knowing that I will not hear your voice, not get to see you or hear that phone ring, but I know that you will always be with me in spirit. I am so thankful for the family that I have here on Earth. I am thankful for My Sister and Brother-in-law Binnie and Johnny Shepperd who took you into their home and took care of you for the past 2 years. I could never thank them enough for everything they have done. I also want to thank my Sister Mary who was also there for Momma. I thank Momma and Daddy everyday for the life they have given me as well as my Three Precious Sister's who mean more the me than they probably know. Mary, Binnie, and Marie remind me so much of Momma. They have her personality, her strength, and her beauty. I am truly blessed to have such a loving and caring family. I know how difficult it has been for all of us since the passing of our precious Sister Marie. I know that Marie and Daddy helped to show Momma the way home to Heaven. It gives me peace knowing Momma is with them. Love you always, Momma.....Randy*

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“ *Edith, you were more than just a Mother-in-law you treated me like a daughter. I could talk to you about anything and will always appreciate and treasure your advice. You have given us all so many wonderful memories from softball games, canning, bingo, shopping, to all of the wonderful get together's. You always went out of your way to make everyone feel welcomed. I will miss your fried chicken and your homemade chocolate cake that you would make just for me because you knew I loved it. All of these wonderful memories will forever stay in my heart. Everything you have taught me I will continue to pass on. As Randy said you are our rock, or strength..I will always treasure being a part of your wonderful family. Love always Debbie*

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“ Mom I got up this morning went to your room and looked in you wasn't there it was so hard. I miss you so much my heart is breaking knowing I wont see you or hear you voice. The house is going to be lonesome without you. I'm going to miss our talks of our day good or bad ones. Going to miss our ice cream cone nights. You gave me strength to go on when everything seemed bad. As Randy said you where our Rock. You worked hard all your life to make sure we had things and gave so much time. I just wish I could be half the woman you are. You took care of us and others in the family and you never asked for one thing. You would always ask us if we where ok and worried about us all the time. What little I did for you I wish I could have done more. I love you my heart will always have you there and I will think of you all the time. I know you are with Dad, Marie and the other family of ours in Heaven but its selfish of me I wish you was still here. God called you away another Angel he needed. Mom you have always been an Angel I wont see or hear you but I know you will be by our sides help guiding us. Steve and Johnny are hurting and I know they are going to tell stories to the kids of time they had with you like they been doing. Mom I love you always I am very proud of you and I just pray I can be just half the person you are. God I Pray you will reunite our family when time comes. Thank you God for the family you gave me. Rest in peace mom you are in a better place I just miss you so much. love you
Binnie

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“ MY DEEPEST PRAYERS AND BLESSING GO OUT TO THE FAMILY, BONNIE YOU KNOW I AM HERE FOR YOU IF EVER NEEDED JUST PICK UP THE PHONE ANYTIME.I KNOW THE FEELING OF LOOSING A MOM. HUGS/ GOD BLESS CAROL ';

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“ To My Dear Nanny, Who Loved The Color Red. It so hard to think that you are no longer here with us that God felt it was time to bring you home. I have such an ache in my heart, but I know you are ok. You are now with so many of our loved ones linking the broken chain. I will always have the wonderful memories to carry on. Exspecially the family get togethers and reunions. You so loved seeing family you didn't get to see very often. You always had a joke to tell me. I would try so hard to tell it the way you did, but never came out right. I will miss Chrismas Eves.because we would celebrate your birthday our family has suffered a tragic loss. You were the ROCK that held each of us together.We can make you proud and carry on THE LOVE AND FAMILY TRADITIONS YOU GAVE TO US. LIFE IS TO SHORT. Nanny tell my dad I have been keeping my promise. Wow you are with granddaddy, Marie ,My Dad, Russ,Rodneys baby boy,your brothers, susie and sarah ,aunt willie and christy and so many more .God has brought you home for his reunion. I LOVE YOU NANNY no worries ,no pain,you'll have. Love You Your Granddaughter Cindy Anderson Adair

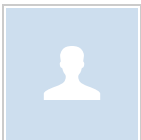
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“ *The thought of saying goodbye to you Nanny is unimaginable, although I know one day we will meet again.*

There are so many cherished memories that you gave us all. You always made us smile and always had great stories to tell. I love talking with you and listening to the memories and life experiences you had to share. You showed us that life could not be all that bad, there is always a light at the end of the tunnel. You were so strong. You had faith in us all. You had great spirit even if the day was dull. You were not just our Nanny, you were so much more. You always saw the good in everyone. You were our rock, our person to lean on. As hard as it is, I know it was time for God to call you home, but you will always be in our hearts and minds forever. It is up to us as a family to carry on your legacy and pass it down from generation to generation. Now you are a beautiful angel watching over us all. Losing you has broken our hearts and there will not be a day that passes by that we will not think of you. I am certain that your place in heaven has the most wonderful view. It gives me great comfort knowing you are reunited with our loved one's who have already passed. I can only imagine what a wonderful reunion you have had with everyone. Thank you for your gift of love you gave us, now you are sharing it from up above. We will never forget what a special Woman you are. You are truly one of a kind. Now we must let you rest calmly beyond those golden gates high up in the clouds. May your golden heart rest in peace. We will miss you, and hold you in our hearts forever. Love you, Molly, Gerald, Hunter, and Zachary

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“ *Mary Frances, Randy, Binnie and families. So sorry to hear of your loss. We are sorry we won't be able to be with you all on Monday, but all of you will be in our thoughts and prayers. May God bless and comfort you.*

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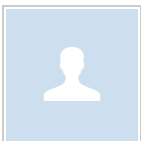
“ *Bon Voyage Aunt Edith. Reunited with all the love ones gone ahead. I know how much you missed all your family. Now you are reunited. I know all of us will meet again someday with nothing but smiles and happiness. God Bless you*

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“ *bonnie my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this time if you need to talk you know i will be there for you. you are a good friend and i really think of you as family with as much as we have been thru. love you girl may god bless you in this time of need*

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“ *Aunt Edith ... You were LOVED by many and will be missed terribly ... I am sure it was a GREAT HOMECOMING for you to see Your/Our family members who went on before you ... Thank You for always reminding me how much I reminded you of my Mom ... it was always so nice to hear .. Rest In Peace Sweet Lady .. I love You and will see You when I get there ...*

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“ *So sorry for your loss. Will be praying for GOD to comfort you.
Sylvia Sadler*

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