

# **Evelyn Grace Bent (nee Nelson)**

April 21, 2012, Evelyn peacefully slipped away to her eternal reward at the age of 77. Born in Winnipeg, Manitoba in 1934. In Jamaica she graduated school, started her banking career. She moved to Victoria where she met and married Ernie and raised their family. Her Christian influence extended passed family, around the workplace, the community, and the world. Few can compare to her generosity and hospitality. Her home opened to all – her table filled with friends, roast beef and fancy desserts. Lovingly remembered by her husband, Ernest; four children, Carolyn, Beverley, Bradley (Theresa), Stuart (Donna); grandchildren, Kyla (Randy), Jordan (Kim), Jason, Willie, Stephanie, Andrew, Matthew, Chaylene (Jason), Joshua (Arielle), Emily, Lauren; great-grandchildren, Jax, Calais and Kacela; brother John (Elizabeth) Nelson and sister Louise (Stanley) Ansell and their families.

Memorial service to be held at Victoria Citadel, 4030 Douglas St. Victoria BC V8X 5J6, Thursday April 26<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 p.m. In place of flowers, gifts can be made to the Salvation Army Victoria Citadel, or Kidney or Diabetes foundation. Condolences may be offered to the family below.

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