



## Evelyn Jewell Clark

September 3, 1923 - August 7, 2014

EVELYN JEWEL CLARK was born to Sidney and Ruth Thurman on September 3, 1923 in Sarcoxie, Missouri. She died August 7, 2014 in Riverside, California. In 1954 Evelyn married her devoted husband, Merle; and together they raised their beloved children, Linda and John. Evelyn's life included great joy and great sorrow, and she maintained through everything a faith in and gratitude toward her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ. Through the years, Evelyn expended her talents and energy in many Christian endeavors. She is survived by her husband, Merle; and predeceased by her children Linda and John, and her brothers Burl and James. A memorial service will be held in Evelyn's honor on Saturday, August 16, 2014 at 11:00 AM at Magnolia Presbyterian Church located at 7200 Magnolia Ave, Riverside, CA. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests making a contribution to your favorite charity.

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# Tribute Wall

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“ Our hearts share in the pain you feel over your precious wife's homegoing. We are sorry . . . so dreadfully sorry. The ache which binds our hearts at this time will one day be replaced by a joyful reunion in a happier place than this. Heaven is more precious to us because of the love that waits for us on the other side. Another precious seed has been planted in heaven. Heaven has a bolder grip on us that will draw us closer to God in these remaining days of our lives. One day the circle will once again be unbroken. The love which God has for us continues. In fact, it has been enlarged, increased, and magnified by the additional love of your wife who is residing more fully in Him and in His glory. We join with you in great expectation for a glorious future where the end is really the beginning, and our adventure with God never ends. Praying for God's comfort, Clarence & Sandy Sanders

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**Clarence Sanders** - August 18, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ Dear Merle & Family, Our hearts reach out to you in your time of loss. You and Evelyn have been so much a part of my life. As a young boy, you shared Christ with me and took me in the water to be baptized. As the elder of our church you provided leadership to walk in the light of Christ. You introduced me in the singing of praises which I still hold dear to my heart. You and Evelyn were the shining example of how God designed marriage and he blessed you both so richly. You married Sherry and I 34 years ago and we have always used you and Evelyn as our example of how we wanted to live our lives. As we had children it was you who baptized them as they began their walk in the Lord. You will never know how much Sherry and I have looked up to you and Evelyn throughout the years. Evelyn was such a loving person. Her love and commitment to Christ was unfailing and she touched so many lives. I know she now rests with Christ and our loved ones that have gone before us. May Christ give you comfort and peace in your time of loss. We know that this is only a temporary separation. Death for those who are in Christ is not the end but only the beginning as we go into his kingdom. We love you Merle. Please know you and your family are in our prayers. Love, Paul & Sherry Cooper Gig Harbor, Washington 253-442-9700 [email protected]

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**Paul Cooper** - August 15, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ Ms. Evelyn was a wonderful woman. She was always kind to me, and gave me my wonderful Aunt Linda, whom I love and miss so much. Evelyn was a great example to young women and I am proud to have had her in my life. She will be truly missed. I know she is with Jesus and her children now. :)

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**Laura Trinidad (Cooper)** - August 14, 2014 at 12:00 AM