



## MARY ELIZABETH (LIB-BELL) DURHAM

June 27, 1923 - September 22, 2014

Mary Elizabeth (Lib-Bell) - Durham, 91 passed away Monday, September 22, 2014.

She is survived by her children, Shirley Bright, Joseph Bell (Geneva), Albert Bell, Mattie Little, Annie McDuffie (Charles), Charles Bell (Geneva), Brenda McAtee (Chester), Mary Bridgett Gully, John Bell (Annette), Shelia Pitts (Russell), David Bell (Pam), Patricia Marable (Malcome), Clemon Bell (Angela), Tony Bell (Yvonne) and Mark Bell (Jennifer); step-daughter, Cathy Durham; sisters, Patrica Harlen and Jenetta Walker, and a host of grandchildren; great-grandchildren; nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

Visitation: 2 p.m. - 4 p.m. & 6 p.m. - 9 p.m., Friday, September 26, 2014 at A. D. Porter & Sons, 1300 W. Chestnut St.

Funeral: 11 a.m., Saturday, September 27, 2014 at St Augustine Catholic Church, 1310 W. Broadway, Louisville, Ky., with burial in St Augustine Cemetery, Lebanon, KY.

# Tribute Wall

ML

“ *I sure miss you grandmore.*

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**Myya Little** - June 26, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MT

“ *Mama I miss you so much love you*

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**mary ann thomas** - October 14, 2014 at 12:00 AM

LR

“ *So sorry to hear of the loss of your mother and grandmother. Many prayers for the family*

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**Lee Ann Ross** - October 02, 2014 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ *MARY ELIZABETH (LIB-BELL) DURHAM*

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**A friendSep** - September 29, 2014 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ *One of earths angels has now gone home to get her Crown and move into her Mansion. A phenomenal woman. "Mama Lib" was a blessing and inspiration to all that knew her. To her entire family, we thank you for sharing her love, words of wisdom and all she gave to others. Rest in Heaven. Love you all, Beason and Jock*

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**Carolyn Beason** - September 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ May the Love of God surround your family during this time of sorrow. The staff of Dare to Care Food Bank would like to express our deepest sympathies to a family full of volunteers. The "Spirit of Giving" was surely something that was learned from this magnificent Lady.

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**T** - September 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ Our prayers are with the family & especially Linda. We will continue to pray, and may God grant the peace that only He can provide. Word Seekers Bates Memorial Baptist Church

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**A friend Sep** - September 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ To our Bell Family we send our love, and prayers. You wonder if the tears will every stop flowing. The pain in your heart will stop hurting. It'll never stop but. God is holding everyone of you in his arms. To help you take one day at time.

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**Steve Porter** - September 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ To the family,  
You have our deepest sympathy.  
Lonnie and Azalene Johnson

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**Lonnie Johnson Sep** - September 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ May God Bless this wonderful family. You all have been truly Blessed to have a wonderful, loving, and caring mother in your lives. May God Bless this amazing FAMILY!!!

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**Daniel Blazer Ray** - September 25, 2014 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ I pray for Peace & Comfort in this difficult time. You all are family to us, Ms. Bell is well loved & will be greatly missed. God Bless You.  
Love Tandra Hayes Bentley

A friendSep - September 25, 2014 at 12:00 AM

AE

“ Praying everyone's strength in The Lord, she was well loved! We love you all. Donnie and Anita Eddins

Anita Eddins - September 25, 2014 at 12:00 AM

LP

“ To the family of Mrs LibMay God be very near you at this time of deepest sorrow to comfort you and grant you the strength to meet each new tomorrow. Leo Porter Lebanon Ky

Leo Porter - September 25, 2014 at 12:00 AM

PN

“ Loved this lady she never let any grass grow under her feet. As long as she could she did.

Patricia Newby - September 25, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ One of the brightest lights in heaven holds a special place in my heart. Thank you Aunt Lib for being you. Eternal Love, Stephanie

Stephanie Harlen - September 25, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SH

“God saw you getting tired and a cure was not to be. So He put His arms around you and whispered "Come to Me." With tearful eyes we watched you, and saw you pass away. Although we loved you dearly, we could not make you stay. A golden heart stopped beating, hardworking hands at rest. God broke our hearts to prove to us, He only takes the best." - I could not ask for a better aunt. Know that you will never die, your memories are in my heart, Love you Aunt Lib, Stephanie

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**Stephanie Harlen** - September 25, 2014 at 12:00 AM

ER

“Grandma i promise this will make me stronger and a better man, husband, brother, son because i will be representing you in the way that i carry myself. Thanks for always being there for everyone. Love you

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**Eric** - September 25, 2014 at 12:00 AM

AN

“Brenda, You and your family are in my prayers. Stay strong.

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**Angela** - September 24, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SK

“She was such a loving and caring lady. Everyone that knew and loved will truly miss her, especially her funny stories. We all know she's in a better place. May God be with the family doing these trying times.

*Sheila Kavanaugh*

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**Sheila Kavanaugh** - September 24, 2014 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ *Ms. Lib was and is a wonderful woman.. I'm so sorry for your loss.*

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**Linda Hazelwood** - September 24, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ *So very sorry for your family loss. The family are in thoughts, love and peace.*

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**Joe Johnson** - September 24, 2014 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ *Ms. Mary Bell who will truly be miss when I first met you I new you were a Godly lady and a strong woman my sister was married to Smokey [phillis] and she always talk good about you I am so glad I had a chance to met you , A very sweet lady will give anything . my mother know you are on your way so tell my mother I love her and miss her and will see her on the other side. Amen Cathy brown*

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**A friendSep** - September 24, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ *This special message just for you is being sent your way to let you know that many thoughts an prayers are there with you today.*

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**Jean Reeder Miles** - September 24, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *So sorry to hear of Elizabeth passing. She was a wonderfulPerson. When I think of her I do so with a smile. God bless the Bell family.*

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**Jimmy Higdon** - September 24, 2014 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ May the Lord continue to Bless the Bell Family. Ms. Libb is loved by everyone she has ever came in contact with...she will truly be missed.

Theresa Harris - September 24, 2014 at 12:00 AM

AF

“ MY HEART FELT CONDOLENCES GOES OUT TO THE FAMILY OF MS LIB AKA GRANDMAW. THIS BEAUTIFUL SPIRITED WOMAN WILL BE MISSED AND LOVED ALWAYS. SHE WILL FOREVER BE SMILING DOWN ON YOU ALL. I LOVE YOU ALL!!! RIP GRANDMAW

A friendSep - September 24, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ To the family of Ms Lib-Bell...Shelia my deepest sympathy goes out to your & your family. Keep your hands in the everlasting Father's hands and he'll make everything alright! May God continue to bless you & your family.

Sharon Hatfield - September 24, 2014 at 12:00 AM

KE

“ OH MY SWEET GRANDMA I WILL TRULY MISS U IT ALL STILL SEEMS AS IF ITS A DREAM KNOWING THAT I KNOW JESUS LIKE U WANT US ALL TO DO IM ABLE TO SAY IM SO GRATEFUL THAT WE HAD U THE TIME WE DID I KNOW ANGELS GO HOME BUT ALWAYS WATCH OVER U SO MY ANGEL BABY YOU REST ITS OKAY YOU HAVE WORKED HARD DOWN HERE BUILDING A EMPIRE AND KNOW YOUR EMPIRE AND LEGACY WILL LIVE ON FOREVER! LOVING AND MISSING U LIBBY LOU..L

kendra - September 24, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Shelia, my thoughts and prayers are with you and all of your wonderful siblings and family. Lois Higdon Roby and Dianne Higdon*

September 24, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *You have always been with me*

**Dianne Jones** - September 24, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *I am praying for the family and friends during this time.*

**Jaime Rice** - September 24, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *To all of the family you have our deepest sympathy. We are all going to miss her. Praying for all of the family. The Johnson girls Naomi, Josephine, Annie Mary and Martha Ann.*

**Josephine Wright** - September 23, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Shelia, I am so sorry to hear of your loss. You and your family will be in my thoughts and prayers. Love ya.*

**Regina** - September 23, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *In loving memory of a wonderful person. We will love you and miss you always.*

**Anthony** - September 23, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *All my condolences to the family.*

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**J** - September 23, 2014 at 12:00 AM