



Ella Elizabeth Eaves

March 17, 1921 - February 17, 2016

Ella Elizabeth Eaves, 94, beloved mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, sister, aunt and friend, passed away February 17, 2016 at home in West Jordan. She was born on March 17, 1921 in Detroit, Michigan to Clarence and Lola McRoberts.

Ella lived much of her life in Missouri. She met her husband, James Edward Eaves, in St. Louis, where they were married on August 31, 1940. They lived there until his retirement in 1982, when they moved to a rural area outside of Farmington, Missouri. She resided there until 1999. After the passing of her husband, she moved to West Jordan, Utah to live with her daughter and family.

Ella had a sweet demeanor but was an iron rod of strength and righteousness. She was an obedient daughter of God and a lady. Ella and Jimmy were converted to The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints by missionaries coming to their home in St. Louis in 1959. They and their daughter Pamela were sealed in the Salt Lake Temple for time and all eternity on June 14, 1962. She served faithfully as a Primary teacher, Primary and Sunday School Secretary, Relief Society Homemaking Counselor, and Visiting Teacher. Growing up during the Depression in a family of nine children, she learned many lessons of life that have helped her to endure her trials with quiet grace, such as patience, sacrifice and tenacity. She enjoyed the simple pleasures of life—time with family and friends, serving at church, cooking delicious meals and baking, developing her many needlework talents, writing letters and

keeping many journals. She would always remember to send cards and letters on special occasions to many of her family and friends throughout the years.

Ella was wisely frugal in her stewardship of material things, and abundantly generous with her time, talents and love. She believed in doing any task as perfectly as possible. She loved to sew, quilt, crochet, embroider and learned to tat in her later years. She was a patient teacher to anyone that wanted to learn one of her many skills. Her gifts to others were mostly handmade items. When her health declined she became an avid reader and liked to do crossword puzzles.

Survived by her daughter Pamela Carter (Danny); Grandchildren Clint Carter, Amanda Lee, Michael Carter (Sara), Ian Carter (Jill) and Kade Carter (KayDee); Great-Grandchildren Ben, Liam, Max, Violet, Ella, Jon, and Owen; Brother Henry (Hank) McRoberts and Sister Ethel Jarosik (Sonny), sister-in-law Katherine and many nieces and nephews.

Preceded in death by: husband, parents, siblings and their spouses Gardner (Virginia), Jack (Belle), Randy (Mary), Tom (Kay), Gertrude (Jim), and Rod. Funeral services will be held on Monday, February 22 at 11 a.m. at the Jordan Oaks 5th Ward located at 3790 West 9380 South in West Jordan, Utah. There will be a viewing on Sunday, Feb. 21 from 6-8 p.m. and on Monday 9:30-10:30 a.m. at the same location. Ella will be laid to rest in West Jordan Cemetery on 1300 West 7800 South in West Jordan, Utah.

Please share memories and condolences at www.serenityfhs.com.

Cemetery Details

West Jordan City Cemetery

1300 West 7800 South
West Jordan, UT 84084

Previous Events

Viewing

FEB 21. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (MT)

Jordan Oaks LDS 5th Ward
3790 West 9380 South
West Jordan, UT

Viewing #2

FEB 22. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (MT)

Jordan Oaks LDS 5th Ward
3790 West 9380 South
West Jordan, UT

Funeral Service

FEB 22. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (MT)

Jordan Oaks LDS 5th Ward
3790 West 9380 South
West Jordan, UT

Tribute Wall



“ *Ella Elizabeth Eaves*

October 05, 2023 at 07:49 PM



“ *Pam, I am not sure you will even remember me, but I adored your mother! I was just thinking about her today and decided to check the internet to see if she had passed, or was still here on earth with us. I was her visiting teacher in 2000-2001. She made the most beautiful baby blanket when my son Harrison was born, as well as such lovely handmade Christmas ornaments. I loved visiting her. She always made me feel special. We developed a special friendship, and I have always been sorry I lost touch with her. I so admired her talents, her temperament, and her gentle humor. I have missed her. It is comforting to know I will see her again.*

Lydia Jones

Lydia Jones - September 10, 2016 at 05:40 PM



“ *Alma said, It may sound like foolishness, but it's the small and simple things by which great things are accomplished. Ella went about quietly but her garments are just as white as any apostle. She's a noble and great one....Keevin Keyes.*

Keevin Keyes - February 22, 2016 at 12:08 PM



“ *Memories - Peaceful Reflections Marker was purchased for the family of Ella Elizabeth Eaves.*



February 21, 2016 at 01:54 PM



“ *Pam & family,
We are so sorry for the passing of your mom. We will miss Ella's quiet faith and elegance. She was a faithful daughter of God and will be missed. Our thoughts are with you and your family.*

McMullin Family - February 20, 2016 at 09:29 AM



“ *Pam, we are so sorry for the passing of your sweet mom. What a wonderful lady she was. I know you will miss her, but how happy for her and your dad to finally be reunited again.*

Poulsen Family - February 18, 2016 at 08:25 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Together Again*



Serenity Funeral Home - February 18, 2016 at 05:14 PM