



# Ms. Eloise Ann Tatum

MAY 14, 1924 - OCT 24, 2020



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## **Ms. Eloise Ann Tatum**

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**M**aryland - Ms. Eloise Ann Tatum, 96, passed at home on Saturday, October 24, 2020. The celebration of her life will be held graveside on Monday, November 2, 2020 at 11:00am Evergreen Memorial Cemetery, 3888 US Hwy 70 West, Princeton, NC. There will be a viewing held on Monday, November 2, 2020 from 9:00am to 10:15am at J.B. Rhodes Funeral Home & Cremations, 1701 Wayne Memorial Drive, Goldsboro, NC. Horse Drawn Carriage procession starts at 10:30.

She was born on May 14, 1924 in Wayne County, NC to Lewis Hollingsworth and Mattie Jones Hollingsworth. She is survived by her children.

Services of compassionate and distinguished class entrusted to J.B. Rhodes Funeral Home and Cremations of Goldsboro.



# Events

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## Chapel Viewing

**Monday**, November 2, 2020

9:00 AM - 10:15 AM ET

**J.B. Rhodes Funeral Home and Cremations, Inc.**  
1701 Wayne Memorial Dr., Goldsboro NC 27534

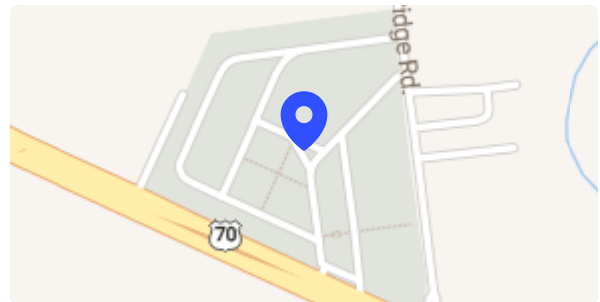


## Graveside Service

**Monday**, November 2, 2020

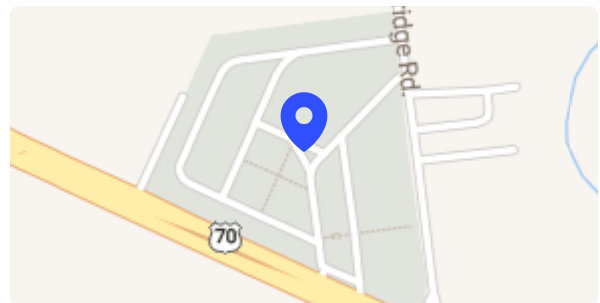
11:00 AM ET

**Evergreen Memorial Cemetery**  
3888 US Hwy 70 W, Goldsboro NC 27530



## Cemetery Details

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# Tribute Wall

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**Lula Bryant Sturdivant** sent a virtual gift in honor of Eloise.

To the Tatum Family, I send my prayers and sympathy. The Hollingsworth's lived next door to us when I was growing up in Little Washington. I didn't know Ms. Ann well because she and her siblings were grown and leaving home. I would see them as they would come home to visit Mr. Lewis and Ms. Mattie. When I graduated and would come home for the Dillard Alumni celebrations, I would always see Ms. Ann and "the Hollingsworths", as I called them. I looked forward to each opportunity to speak and remind her who I was. She was such a sweet person.



November 8 at 3:13 PM



**Eather Walker** lit a candle in honor of Eloise.



November 2 at 6:14 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Tatum family.



November 2 at 12:57 AM



**Cheryl Holmes Walker** posted:

As a child who grew up on the same block as Miss Ann and her family. I seldom saw her without a smile or a kind word. She was a pillar of the block of Wanamaker St. She was one of those neighbor/Mom's who made me feel secure just by being there. Rest well Miss Ann, you are a part of my history and I will never forget you...

November 1 at 3:47 PM



**Cheryl Holmes** lit a candle in honor of Eloise.



November 1 at 3:47 PM



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**Love, The Champ Family** sent an Arrive in Style to the Tatum family.

November 1 at 11:41 AM



**Anonymous** sent an Arrive in Style to the Tatum family.

November 1 at 10:45 AM



**From Earline, Kia, & Alex Kelley** sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the Tatum family.

November 1 at 9:26 AM



**Mr & Mrs Jimmy & Ann Rowe** lit a candle in honor of Eloise.

To the Tatum family, as you know it was a joy taking care of Miss Ann as we so sweetly called each other. I thank God for the opportunity for the long talks when we would ride out to the stores and other places. As you know she had her own way of doing things. God Bless you family, she was a loving and caring friends. Thank you for the opportunity to be a friend and a helper to her. I pray that she is sleeping in the arms of our Father in Heaven..

November 1 at 5:24 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Tatum family.

October 30 at 12:53 PM



**John And Rita Wood** sent a Divine Peace Bouquet to the Tatum family.

October 30 at 8:33 AM





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**John D Wood** posted:

A fiercely independent woman of grace and charm. I have known her since the 1970's and my world is better for her presence in it. May God bless and keep her! John and Rita Wood

October 30 at 8:27 AM



**Janet D. Barnes** lit a candle in honor of Eloise.

To the Tatum family, There are no easy answers to what you now are facing during the loss of your loved one. Ms. Tatum was a vibrant and sweet person who supported Dillard/Goldsboro Alumni. She was a life-time member. Our prayers are with you during this difficult time. She will surely be missed but God gives you this promise that one day you'll meet her again. Sorrowfully submitted, Dillard/Goldsboro Alumni & Friends, Inc. Gary Packer, National President



October 29 at 6:07 PM



**From Eddie, Sr., Joanne,** sent an A Life Loved Casket Spray to the Tatum family.



October 29 at 3:53 PM



**The Thornton's Virgil, Michelle (Tammy) & Family** sent a Serenity Wreath to the Tatum family.



October 29 at 1:03 PM



**Shirley Kee** lit a candle in honor of Eloise.



October 29 at 12:45 PM



**Anonymous** sent a Beautiful in Blue to the Tatum family.



October 28 at 6:46 PM



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JF

**Jimmie & Linda Farmer** lit a candle in honor of Eloise.



October 28 at 3:14 PM

EW

**Eather Walker** posted:

I Eather Walker have know Ms Tatum, as long as I can remember she was my Niece grandmother, she was the sweetest person I know always willing to help, Rest well Queen job well done..

October 28 at 2:25 AM

CO

**Cynthia Outlaw** posted:

The Outlaw's first met Eloise Tatum some 72 years ago. She was the second Black to move on Wanamaker Street. You couldn't ask for a better neighbor. She was a sweet and gentle lady. We will surely miss her present. Rest well Mrs. Tatum, it's time to take your rest. Love Tootie and Connie Outlaw

October 27 at 5:44 PM

JT

**James Thomas** posted:

The Thomas family met Eloise Tatum 55 years ago when they moved directly across the street from the Tatums on Wanamaker Street, Philadelphia, PA. She was the nicest and most loveable neighbor you ever wanted to meet. The Tatums immediately became our extended family. When she moved to North Carolina she was surely missed. She will forever be remembered in our family. Love, Harriet, James, Howard, David, and Michele.

October 27 at 12:48 PM

JB

**Joanne Boston** shared an album called **Memories Album**.



October 27 at 11:21 AM



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**Anonymous** sent a Strength & Solace Spray to the Tatum family.



October 26 at 5:35 PM



**Marjie Dozier** lit a candle in honor of Eloise.



October 26 at 6:37 AM



**Mrs Helen Atkinson Gerald** lit a candle in honor of Eloise.

KNOW THAT YOU ARE IN MY THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS DURING THIS DIFFICULT TIME.



October 25 at 12:55 PM



## Media

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**Joanne Boston** shared a photo to the **Memories Album** album.

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**The Grand Diva**



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Eloise by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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