



## Anna Roper

August 2, 1929 - November 25, 2011

ROPER, Mrs. Anna Lou - Age 82, beloved mother, grandmother, great grandmother and sister, passed away Friday, November 25, 2011 at Hurley Medical Center. Family hour 10 a.m. Saturday, December 3, 2011 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral service commencing immediately at 11 a.m. Interment River Rest Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the funeral home 10 a.m. Saturday. Mrs. Roper will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, and may be viewed from 12Noon-8 p.m. Friday with family present from 4-6 p.m.

Mrs. Anna L. Roper was born August 2, 1929 in Flint, Michigan, the daughter of James and Ora (Smith) Morgan. Anna was educated in the Flint Public School System and has been a resident of Flint and Mt. Morris her entire life. She was united in marriage, August 22, 1947, to Arthur Roper and to this union 5 children were born. Anna retired from Hurley Medical Center after 25 years of service. She was a member of Shiloh Baptist Church for over 50 years, serving on the Kitchen, Beautification, and Anniversary Committees. Anna enjoyed Sunday school, Bible Study and water aerobics at the YMCA. She also enjoyed her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. Anna was a member of the Hurley Happy Retirees Club and was a former mentor for the HOST Program at Carpenter Road School.

She leaves in God's care: sons, Arthur (Retha) Roper, Jr. of Flint, Darrell (Shelley) Roper of Genesee, MI and Myron (Kathy) Roper of Mt. Morris, MI;

daughters, Carla (William) Kyle of Bellevue, NE and Aniska Craig of Mt. Morris, MI; 10 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; a host of other relatives and friends.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Anna Roper*



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**Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home** - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Anna Roper*

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“ *Sending condolences to my family from myself and her great-granddaughters (Emanee & Ebonee). We love you.*

*Revelation 21:4*

*"He will wipe every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death or mourning or crying or pain, for the old order of things has passed away."*

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**Elizabeth L. Roper-Franklin** - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SJ

“ *My blessings & prayers go out to our family. I wish I was able to do this in person. I loved AnnaLou and I'll always remember the love and care she always provided all of us. She'll always be with us in our hearts. God has received her soul and will give comfort to those she left behind.*

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**Scherrill Johnson** - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BJ

“ *So many fond family memories that Anna Lou helped make possible. It is these wonderful memories that I'll always carry in my heart and may they help to comfort all of you, (all of us) in this time of bereavement.*

*Peace and Blessings,  
Love,  
Brigette Johnson  
Shreveport, Louisiana*

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**Brigette Johnson** - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

PF

“ *Carla, Chief and Family, words cannot begin to express the deepest sympathy we desire to share with you right now! Death of a loved one or a close friend will always be an unwelcomed time. But this we can be sure of, that the God of all comfort will console you like non other! Continue to rest in His arms for He is certainly in control.*

*After having the opportunity to get to meet your mom when she visited you in Bellevue, NE, we know she gave a great shout of victory when the Lord called her name, "O death where is your sting, O grave where is your victory!" (1 Cor.15:55) We're sure Anna Lou is safe in the arms of God!*

*We love you all very much! May God grant you traveling mercies on you trip home!*

*Love Always,  
Bro Flu & Ann*

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**Pastor Melvin and Ann Fluellen** - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MD

“ My sincere condolences to my entire family and especially Darrell, Author, Myron, Carla and Aniska. I was totally shocked to hear the news of the passing of my Aunt Anna Lou. We all have suffered a great loss. I'm so glad God granted me the chance to sit and visit with her just a few weeks ago. We laughed and talked of older times and she spoke of visiting us in Dallas this up coming summer. It was also a blessing to the immediately family that they were able to spend Thanksgiving with her. God blessed her with a good, long, prosperous and loving life and blessed all of us to have this wonderful beautiful person in our lives. I will always cherish the memories back to our childhood over off of St. John Street all the way up to just a few weeks ago. I will keep these memories close to my heart with me forever and ever. Family even though I cannot be with you just know I'm their in spirit and Love and will be talking to everyone again in the near future. Anna Lou set the example now let's follow her lead and strengthen our family relationships. I'm so glad to be part of this family and will continue showing you all love because that what my Aunt Anna Lou was all about. Remember tomorrow is not promised to any of us regardless of age, health or financial status. In lieu of flowers I'm sending a personal acknowledgement to the immediately family.

*My thought and prayers are with you all.*

*John 14:1-4 "Let not your hearts be troubled. Believe in God; believe also in me. In my Father's house are many rooms. If it were not so, would I have told you that I go to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again and will take you to myself, that where I am you may be also. And you know the way to where I am going." (Jesus' words).*

*Amen*

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**Maurice Davis** - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KJ

“ I am so grateful that we got to visit our Aunt 2 years ago from TX. What I will miss is her Smile and her Laughter; the family gatherings that were held at her beautiful home. She was 1 Classy Lady who loved her family so much! Even though many of us live far away, we have our memories to hold on to forever. She made it possible for us to have some great memories! I Ditto every Tribute made here and I ask God to comfort those that need comforting right now, in the name of Jesus Christ, Amen!

*"Sometimes the Lord calms the storm; sometimes He lets the storm rage and calms His child."*

*"Prayer is the breath of the soul, the organ by which we receive Christ into our parched and withered hearts."*

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**Karen Elaine Johnson** - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RE

“ Our prayers are with you.

*Second Baptist Church of Elgin*

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**Rev. Dr. Nathaniel Edmond** - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ I am sadden to hear my dear sweet cousin went home to be with the Lord. Anna Lou will be greatly missed.

*I would like to offer my condolences to the family and you are continually in my prayers.*

*John 14 says: Let not your heart be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in me.*

*2In my Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you.3And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may be also.4And whither I go ye know, and the way ye know.*

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**Louise Campbel** - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ *Deepest sympathy.  
To the Roper, Bacon, Reynolds and entire extended family.*

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**Jimmye L. Maxwell** - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AW

“ *We will miss Anna at the YMCA. She was a very special lady.  
Sincere sympathy to the family.*

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**Alberta Williams** - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SF

“ *Darrell & Shelley: My sincere sympathy and prayers are extended to  
you and family for your loss.*

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**sharon fleming** - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CM

“ *Auntie Anna Lou was exactly what everybody needed exactly when  
they needed it. I will be forever grateful to God for placing her in my  
life, not only as an aunt but as a Grandmother. She played a role in  
our lives that I don't think could have been fulfilled by anyone else.  
Rest in Peace and hug Uncle Roper for me!*

*Love you always,  
Candice*

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**Candice Morgan** - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ *To the Roper family you have my deepest sympathy and my prayers.  
JESSE O'NEAL IRVIN*

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**Jesse O. Irvin** - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ God has chosen another beautiful flower from our family garden to place in His heavenly home. Ann Lou was a kind and loving person. She always had encouraging words for me when my mother (Ruby) had a stroke. To her children, grandchildren and loving sisters you are all in my prayers.

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**Michelle Belk** - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Anna Lou Roper was the Matriarch of our family. Having spent the last few days reflecting on her life and legacy, truly as a family we were blessed for her presence in our lives. Ann Lou was a beautiful and stoic woman, who provided Godly wisdom and spiritual leadership. She was a great role model for the young women in our family as both a wife and a mother. Her home was a refuge and the site of many family holiday dinners and functions. As we mourn the loss of her physical presence, we are confident that being absent from the body is to be present with the Lord.

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November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SE

“ In your Time of Bereavement, may God's Promise bring the entire family Peace, Strength, Comfort with His assured Love...How Blessed are we who put our Faith in God, for no matter how difficult it is to bear the pain of parting, we have His promise that one day we'll be reunited with those who have gone on before us to our heavenly home. In a happier place, in a beautiful forever .. You'll meet again. TO GOD BE THE GLORY, Sandra Epps, Director.

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**Sis.Sandra Epps** - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RM

“ We are truly sorry to hear of your loss. Our condolences go out to you and your family. Often during difficult times people turn to the bible. Two scriptures that come to mind are Acts 24:15 and Revelations 21:3,4. I hope that these verses are comforting to you.

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**R. and K. Muex** - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ Aunt Anna Lou Roper will be truley missed. She was a very sweet, nice, lovely lady. May she rest in peace. Our prayers are with all of the family.

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**Michael and Tawanna Morgan** - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KC

“ I loved Mrs. Roper; she was like family to me. I was positive she was a good person when I met her 15 years ago. My son who was an infant at the time would not go to anyone other than me EVER. He voluntarily went to Mrs. Roper without hesitation. It was at that moment I knew she was a sincere and nice person. She soon became my friend and confidant. I really enjoyed talking to her and receiving her words of wisdom. There are not any words to express how much she is going to be missed. I am thankful Carla shared Mrs. Roper with me.

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**Kia Crockrom** - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KC

“ We love you Mrs. Roper .  
To the Roper and Kyle Family our thoughts and prayers are with you today and always. Mrs Roper was one in a million.  
With much sadness and great Love,  
Rod, Kia, Chris, Cameron, Melanie, and Robert

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**Kia Crockrom** - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

NR

“ *Our prayers are with the entire family.*

*Nylar Jupree*

*Hubert L. Roberts Jr*

*Vanessa Terrell*

*Nadine Roberts*

*Darryl Roberts*

*St. John!!!*

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**Nadine Roberts** - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

ST

“ *Our Deepest Sympathy at the death of your mother. May God continue to be with you and your family as she is laid to rest.*

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**Sheila I. Turnbull** - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ *God has picked another beautiful rose from his garden. My heart is mourning a great woman, mother, sister, grandmother, friend to many. She was loved. I met her years ago when I started at Hurley, she always gave us younger workers wisdom. She has earned her good rest. Be strong Roper and Morgan family.*

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**Brenda Hardy** - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LR

“ *Aniska, my prayers are with you. Your Mom was definitely a classy christian lady.*

*God Bless you & the Roper family.*

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**Linda(Lynn) Harden Roach** - November 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM