



Annie Walker

February 23, 1948 - October 9, 2011

WALKER, Mrs. Annie Fay, "affectionately known as "Tootsie" - Age 63, departed this earth and went home to her heavenly Father, Sunday, October 9, 2011 at her residence. Family hour 11 a.m. Monday, October 17, 2011 at Greater Galilee Baptist Church, 4418 Industrial Ave., with funeral service commencing at 12Noon. Pastor Latrelle Holmes officiating. Interment Gracelawn Community Cemetery, G-5710 N. Saginaw St. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 11 a.m. Monday. Mrs. Walker will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Sunday. Mrs. Annie was born February 23, 1948 in Bolivar, Tennessee. She was the eldest daughter of nine children born to William and Alice Saines. Annie and her family relocated to Flint, MI in 1957 where she was educated in the Beecher and Flint school, districts. Annie was baptized at an early age at St. Paul Missionary Baptist Church where she was trained under the instruction of Pastor and Sister R. R. Gordon. This training led to a lifetime of faithful and devoted service to the Lord. Annie married Howard Walker on May 15, 1965 and from that union they were blessed with four children. Annie lived a life of service and virtue. She truly exemplified the characteristics of a virtuous woman. As a virtuous woman she followed her husband and together they faithfully served at Galilee Missionary Baptist Church, under the leadership of Pastor John T. Boyd by serving on the Choir, Sunday school teacher, Youth Director, Vacation Bible School Coordinator, Mission, Hospitality, Pastor's Aide and Trustee

Board. This devotion continued through the transition into Greater Galilee Baptist Church, under the leadership of Pastor Latrelle W. Holmes, where she gave unselfishly and tirelessly. Annie retired from Kmart after 36 years of dedicated service. One of her many accomplishments came with the opening of New Attitudes Beauty and Fade King Barber Shop with her husband and daughter in 1994. Annie gave special care to all the beauticians and barbers, becoming "Ma" to all. She loved to read, Danielle Steele being one of her favorites, and study the Word. Annie took special care in perfecting her signature dishes: roast; potato, chicken and macaroni salad; and tuna fish which were all second to none and caused her to receive many special requests. Annie was a cleaning specialist; her agent of choice was Scrubbing Bubbles. She enjoyed tending to her flowers. Annie enjoyed using her personal time taking care of many children, with a special love for all babies. She was committed to her family, especially in keeping Sunday dinners and spending time with family and friends often hosting Thanksgiving, Christmas and birthday celebrations. Mrs. Annie F. Walker leaves to cherish her memory, husband of 46 years, Howard Walker of Flint; four children, Ken Walker of Sandy Springs, GA, Kim Walker, Ketesa (Henderson) Allen and LaTroy Childress, all of Flint; three grandchildren, Kierra Walker, Jayden and Jordan Allen, all of Flint; father, William S. Saines of Flint; four brothers, William Edward (Crystal) Saines of Burton, Stanley (Willie) Saines of Flint, Terry (Patience) Saines of Sterling, VA and Dewayne Saines of Temple, TX; two sisters, Sandra (Charles) Boseman and Patricia Saines, both of Flint; seven brothers-in-law, Henry, James, Emmitt, Robert (Rosie), all of Flint, Samuel (Beth) of Grand Blanc, Bennie of Mt. Morris and Donnie (Madeline) Walker of Trenton, NJ; two sisters-in-law, Pauline Abney and Betty Daniels, both of Dallas, TX; one uncle, Jim (Patricia) Franklin; four aunts, Emma (Theodore) Wiley, Susie George, Cinda (Leon) Anderson and Gloria Parram, all of Flint; six God-children, Tanika Howard, Steve Staten, Patty and David Barnett, Tyrone Taylor and Mariah Hines; a host of nieces and nephews, including "go-to" niece, Dena Saines, best friend of over 40 years, Marie Allen,

prayer partners, William and Jodie Journey, and New Attitudes Beauty and Fade King Barber Shop, other relatives and friends, too numerous to name. Mrs. Walker was preceded in death by her mother; brothers, Michael and Thomas Saines; grandparents, Jim and Edlena Franklin and Sarah Collier; niece, Sabrina Williams; and nephew, Terrence Saines. The family would like to extend special thanks to Greater Galilee Baptist Church, New Jerusalem Full Gospel Baptist Church families and everyone for their prayers, love and support during this difficult time.

Tribute Wall



“ *Annie Walker*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *May the family find the consolation in, "the power beyond what is normal, "to go from day to the next. "May be that of God's and not that out of ourselves." (2 Corinthians 4:7) You have my deepest sympathy.*

deborah Gipson - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *We mourn with the family during this time of bereavement for Mother Walker. She was such a special person to everyone that knew her. We will all miss her, but her memories will remain in our hearts forever. She was small in Statue and a Giant in Love and Life. "A LIFE WELL LIVED AND A LIFE WELL LOVED," We ask the Lord to give you strength, peace. and comfort like never before. Bishop Odis A. Floyd, Sr. Pastor, Eld. Patrick Sanders, Interim Pastor, Mo. Mary Williams. President*

Mother Margaret Montgomery - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ To the Walker Family .I was lost for word when I received the message .It was breat taking .Even it still is hard to accept .But accepting is the hardest part .When we accomplish that we are almost there .Most GOD ON HI give the family strength to accept the the thing they/ we cannot change . We all have to go one day . Let up stay Prayed up .No one knows the day of the hour .She was a wife, mother, grand mother ,sister, daughter ,aunt, cousin, friend ,also a christian on the battlefield for the LORD . So I will say to the family I will keep you In my PRAYERS .I am only aphone call away . With lot's of love to you all .

Maudie Coley - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ When God takes a loved one that loves the Lord, a servant the Glory of his reward will shine with peace and comfort we need during difficult times.

He may have whispered these words to Annie before she entered those pearly gates. "Annie you've done well let's take a heavenly flight. Don't worry about Howard, Kim, Ketesa, & Ken, your dad and sisters, aunt's, grand children, nephews or cousins, I would never leave them comfortless" so my prayers for the ENTIRE Walker-Saines family is be strong in the Lord and in the power of his might. Blessed are they that mourn for they shall be comforted. Loria Corder

Loria Corder - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MJ

“ My thoughts and prayers go out to the entire Walker family & your time of need. I love you all as if we were blood relatives! May God be with you during your darkest hours!

Michelle Johnson - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CJ

“ My heart is so heavy and hurting for my wonderful walker/saines family.. What a shock but I know for sure that Auntie was a God fearing woman and there is NO doubt in my mind that she is sitting beside the King in the Kingdom along with my father and other loved ones...My prayer is that God give you the strength that is needed in this time..."Blessed are those who grieve, for they shall be comforted." We love you all

carmella/phil johnson - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TE

“ Sending you and your family my heartfelt condolences and prayers during this time of bereavement. May God keep you in peace as he surrounds your family in his loving arms.

Tenice - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

PS

“ Expressing our deepest sympathy during your hour of bereavement. Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with you, and we asking God's strength for the entire family during this difficult time... Love you, The Willis'

Phillip Willis, Sr. - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SG

“ *May God bless you all at this time. Annie was a true friend and treated me like I was family, as the whole family does to this day. She was a person you could talk to and confide in. She will be welcomed Home with Gods' arms opened wide. Until we see each other again. Annie, I'll miss you but I have a lot of good memories to keep you in my heart and life.*

God Bless the whole Walker-Saines families. Peace be with you Howard, Kim, Tesa, Pat, Che and Aunt Sue.

Love, Susie

Sue Gordon - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SA

“ *To the Walker and Saines Family, I am so sorry to hear of the passing of Annie. She will be deeply missed and my prayer is for God to bring you comfort during this time. The Andersons and Saines go way back to the St. Paul days. I can still hear Annie singing in her soprano voice.... "Some where there's a mother with a bowed down head... sin is to blame, sin is to blame. He's the only name I love to hear, Jesus, Jesus. The hope of this world is Jesus, Jesus.*

Sandra - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RR

“ *God Bless the Walker/Saines Family. Annie was a gentle soul. Always had the sweetest personality. She always was willing to help anyone and always welcomed you into her family. I have known Annie for a long time and she never changed. I will truly miss you., but I know your faith in God was strong. May God continue to Bless the family and I will continue to pray for Strength and healing for the Walker/Saines family.*

Regina R Rice - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ My thoughts and prayers go out to the entire Walker family & your time of need.

The Bryant Family - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KJ

“ *"When peace, like a river attendeth my way, when sorrows like sea billows roll - whatever my lot, thou has taught me to say, it is well, it is well with my soul"*.

My heart goes out to you all during this difficult time and I am praying that God comforts you all. Many will say that they know how you feel, but I can truly say that I really know and understand how you feel. I can further say, that with God on your side, you will make it through this storm. It saddens my heart that I cannot be there to render support to you all because, I affectionately remember how you were there during the passing of my mother, but just know that if I could be there, I would. Again, I pray that God brings you comfort and that you trust Him and I will see you as soon as possible.

Kendrick D. Johnson - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

NH

“ *May the Spirit of the Living God comfort you all during your time of sorrow. Ms. Annie was a blessing to so many and her Christian Legacy will live on through each of you. Love you all!*

NaKeisha Adams - Hutcherson - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BT

“ *Kim & Family, you have my sincerest sympathy. I know what it is to lose a loved one & your mom was a very nice person. Praying for you all.*

Barbara Terrell - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AJ

“ Your family is in my thoughts and prayers!

Abby Johnson - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KB

“ My heart is so heavy. I really can't believe that this has happened. Aunt Tootsie has been in my life since I was a baby. She has taught me many things as well as staying on me about being in church and making sure my child was there too. Especially at sunday school. I remember spending plenty nights over her house during the summer with Keya when I was younger, but I was never a guest, when there was work to be done around the house, she put me to work too. I am truly, truly going to miss her, but I know that with her being a true God fearing woman, and her love for God that she is in a much much better place and wrapped up in God's arms and she is watching over all of us. She will NEVER be forgotten. My prayers are with the entire Walker/Saines family. I pray God gives you strength and comfort and in time peace. Remember to look to the hills whence cometh your help. I love each and every one of you and I am always here if you need anything. Aunt Tootsie, I Love You...JOB WELL DONE GOOD AND FAITHFUL SERVANT....TAKE YOUR REST.

Kandace Brown - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ Can't begin to imagine what you are feeling right now, but as beleivers we do know that there is a time and a season for everything under the heavens. Lean on his everlasting grace and mercy to sustain you in the days ahead. We are in prayer for your family, that the many wonderful memories of Annie will comfort you and bring a smile to your face at this very difficult time. Love you all

Sheena Manuel - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TJ

“ *May the peace of God sustain you during this most difficult time and may you be comforted in knowing that she is resting in the arms of Jesus. God bless you.*

Teresa Murray Jenkins - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ *My heart was really sad when I heard of Aunt Tootsie going home to be with the Lord and I truly believe that is where her soul is now. I have known her since I was a young girl growing up at Galilee, she was a "Spiritual Mother" to a lot of children. I last saw her in December of 2010 and of course she was working at the church just like she has done for many, many years, smiling and extending a warm hug. The memories of Galilee Missionary Baptist Church under Rev.Boyd will be forever in my heart and are truly "Precious Memories". So to the family and Uncle Howard I know that you will look to the hills from which all our help comes and know that she is resting now and that she has left a wonderful legacy for us to live off of. Love to all of you,*

LaShawn Brazwell-Richard

LaShawn Brazwell-Richard - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TP

“ *To Kim my heart and prayer goes out to you and your family in the loss of your mother,wife,grandmother.keep the faith that God will ease the pain .In your heart you have not loss your mother wife,sister grandmother she will always be in your heart and she is watching over you.So keep God first and he will walk every step with you.*

*Love you Kim
From Tiny*

Tiny Presnall - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ To Kim, Tesa and Family: God Bless you all.

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“ Sister Walker was one of my first sunday school teachers at Galilee. Until this very day at the age of 34, I still remeber the bible verse she gave me to remeber II Timothy 2:14. My heart hurts cause you are gone, but my soul smiles cause I know a amazing mother, wife, aunt, cousin, friend, christian and the list could go on, went home to be with our heavenly father. To the Walker family my prayers are with you.

Amie Hughes - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ To the Walker and Saines family. I want to extend my condolence for the lost of your mother and wife. Our families go along way back and I have a lot of memories of your family knowing you guys all of my life. I know that we believe to be absent from the body is to be present with the Lord and we shall rejoice in your mothers absence. May God mend yall's broken hearts as only He can and may you put your trust in His arms. Love Ronnie

Shlondia McGee Abraham (Ronnie) - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ I include each of you in my prayers, knowing the pain you are going through. Annie, was a warm and true person - who welcomed me into her home and family whenever I visited. She will be missed.

Love Resa

Theresa Jackson - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

FB

“ To the Walker and Saines family I extend heartfelt condolences to you and The Greater Galilee church family. Aunt tootie play a key role in the spiritual education of all the youth, with her time and compassion the love she showed was felt by many and through that love and fellowship we all were a part of the walker family.
"LOVE IS THE FOUNDATION WHICH WE ARE UNITED"
My God keep you close and continue to bless you all.
Love, Faith (peaches) Brown

Faith Brown - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AV

“ Tesa, I am praying mightly for you and your family.

God Bless and Keep You!!

Angie Vaughn - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CJ

“ Tootsie was a very sweet person. I am so glad that I got a chance to see her when my family came their to see her and the family. She had a great smile and always cheerful to everyone. Tootsie always had a kind word to say about everyone. She was like a sister to my Mother Charlene Woods. Love Denise

Cheryl Woods Jones - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SP

“ I am so sorry to hear of your loss,Sis walker has touched so many lives and she will truly be missed.

Sharon Patterson - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

YS

“ *Ketesa, my prayers and thoughts are with you and your family. Love you*
Yolanda

Yolanda Shumpert - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KA

“ *Mama, you taught me so many things not necessarily by telling me but simply by the life that you led. 1) The art of giving and expecting nothing in return 2) being a doer of the word and not just a hearer only 3) putting others needs and wants before your own. Just to name a few. I can't even imagine living day to day without you. My mind can't seem to even process that. I know I can only make it through this with the help of the Lord first and then family and friends. We often talked about how you missed grandmother dear but even loving her as I did I still couldn't imagine your pain of living without your mother, but now, oh now, I do. The woman, wife, and mother that I am is because of you. The life I lead is because of your influence. Your shoes though physically small are too big to fill. Thank you for being an exceptionally wonderful mother! Your legacy of love and a life well lived will live forever Until we meet again and I can dance and sing with again...Love Ya, Ketesa*

Ketesa Allen - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SJ

“ *Psalm 55:22*
Cast your cares on the LORD and he will sustain you; he will never let the righteous fall.

We love you Walker Family.
Sammie and Brenda Jordan

Sammie and Brenda Jordan - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CW

“ *You will greatly be missed and I enjoyed all the years that we shared... I love you and Rest in Peace...*

Charlene Woods - October 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM