



## Mrs. Barbara Ann-Patricia Chandler

August 5, 1941 - February 12, 2017

CHANDLER, Mrs. Barbara Ann-Patricia - Age 75, passed away Sunday, February 12, 2017 at her residence. Family hour 10:00 AM Tuesday, February 21, 2017 at Foss Avenue Baptist Church, 1159 E. Foss Ave., with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM Rev. Dr. Reginald G. Flynn officiating. Interment Sunset Hills Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd.. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10:00 AM Tuesday. Mrs. Chandler will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM Monday.

Mrs. Barbara Ann Patricia Chandler was born August 5, 1941 in Paincourtville, Louisiana, the daughter of Benjamin Franklin and Hilda (Mills) Martin. She was the big sister to her siblings. The family grew up in Monroe, Louisiana. There Barbara accepted Jesus Christ as her Lord and Savior at Macedonia Baptist Church under the spiritual leadership of Pastor J.H. Allen. She graduated from Carroll High School, "Class of 1959." Barbara excelled in academics as well and went on to earn a Bachelor of Science Degree from Spelman College and a Master of Social Work from Atlanta University. She began her employment in Flint, Michigan with the United Way and retired with over 25 years as a School Social Worker. Upon arriving in Flint, she and her husband, Avery united with Foss Avenue Baptist Church on the leadership of Rev. Avery Aldridge. Barbara continued to grow strong in the Lord and the power of his might, her spiritual growth was shown in her desire to serve the

people of God through her joyful expressive singing in the mass choir. Her vision to see Foss Avenue promote the spreading of the good news and support the ministry of Foss Avenue through the manifesting of Christian stewardship as she walked in her ministry as a Trustee. Barbara's love for God's people was shown in her friendships that graced the lives of her friends with warmth and joy, with gentleness and strength, with comfort and companionship, and her work with the Scholarship and the Black History committees. She was known as a friend that made a difference in the lives of others. Barbara was an active, dedicated member of Delta Sigma Theta, Inc., Flint Chapter of Jack and Jill of America, Inc. creating for her opportunities to be a part of educational and charitable projects benefiting youth and their families. In 1965, Barbara Ann Patricia Martin met Avery, the couple married on a cold night on December 28, 1967 at her home church, Macedonia. They spent 47 years together, making Flint their home. They were blessed with two children; daughter, Christine and son, Christopher. Barbara was committed to social justice and the right for all in need of Mental Services to receive the services.

Mrs. Barbara Ann Patricia Chandler leaves to cherish her memory: daughter, Christine; son, Christopher; granddaughters, Sydnei and Kyndyll; sister, Veronica (Winfred) Thomas; 3 brothers, Lawrence (Barbara) Martin Sr., Benjamin J. (Sandi) Martin and Kenneth B. (Iris) Martin; 2 god-children, Marie Wilds and Dr. Christopher Jordan; aunt, Annie Martin Brown; uncle, Woodrow Martin; a host of nieces, nephew, in-laws, and family friends.

Mrs. Chandler was preceded in death by her parents, Benjamin Franklin and Hilda (Mills) Martin; nephew, Dwight Thomas; in-laws, Mariam E. and Avery W. Chandler Sr.

The family is requesting that in lieu of flowers, donations be given to the Foss Avenue Scholarship Fund "In Memory of Trustee Barbara Martin Chandler."



# Cemetery Details

## Sunset Hills Cemetery

G-4413 Flushing Rd.  
Flint, MI 48504

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

FEB 20. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home Chapel, Flint  
906 W. Flint Park Blvd.  
Flint, MI 48505  
(810) 789-MOON (6666)  
lemoonfhflint@gmail.com  
<http://www.lawrenceemoonfuneralhome.com>

## Family hour

FEB 21. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Foss Ave. Baptist Church  
1159 E. Foss Ave.  
Flint, MI 48505

## Service

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FEB **21**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Foss Ave. Baptist Church  
1159 E. Foss Ave.  
Flint, MI 48505

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Barbara Ann-Patricia Chandler*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Loria Corder lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara Ann-Patricia Chandler*



**Loria Corder** - March 04, 2017 at 09:03 AM



“ *Tiny Presnall And Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara Ann-Patricia Chandler*



**Tiny Presnall and Family** - February 20, 2017 at 09:08 PM



“ *Dana Bush lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara Ann-Patricia Chandler*



**Dana Bush** - February 20, 2017 at 08:41 PM

EB

“ *Edna Bryant lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara Ann-Patricia Chandler*



Edna Bryant - February 20, 2017 at 08:00 PM

IH

“ *Ivy Herron lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara Ann-Patricia Chandler*



Ivy Herron - February 20, 2017 at 07:34 PM

YE

“ *Your cousins, Eugene, Joetta, Marian and Eurydice purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Barbara Ann-Patricia Chandler.*



Your cousins, Eugene, Joetta, Marian and Eurydice -  
February 20, 2017 at 06:27 PM

Tyra  
Turner-  
Poe

“ *Christine you and your Family are in my prayers. I know things seems hard right now, however God will never leave you or forsake. Keep the faith.*



Tyra Poe

Tyra Turner-Poe - February 20, 2017 at 08:33 AM

PG

“ *Pamela Gibson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara Ann-Patricia Chandler*



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**Pamela Gibson** - February 19, 2017 at 07:31 PM

PA

“ *Pamela lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara Ann-Patricia Chandler*



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**Pamela** - February 19, 2017 at 07:31 PM

KJ

“ *May you rest in peace, Barbara Kenneth and Elizabeth Jordan*

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**Kenneth Jordan** - February 19, 2017 at 11:53 AM

FR

“ *Bright and Morning Star Ministries, Nashville Tennessee, is praying for the family.*  
*Fred Robinson, Pastor.*

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**Fred Robinson** - February 18, 2017 at 09:07 PM



“ *T Marie Marshall lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara Ann-Patricia Chandler*



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**T Marie Marshall** - February 18, 2017 at 01:18 PM



“ *Jason Marks lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara Ann-Patricia Chandler*



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**Jason Marks** - February 18, 2017 at 11:58 AM



“ *We will certainly miss our friend/sister Barbara and her caring ways. Our heartfelt condolences to Christine, Christopher, grand-girls and the entire Martin - Chandler family.*

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**Emerson & Carol Boles** - February 18, 2017 at 09:49 AM



“ *Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Mrs. Barbara Ann-Patricia Chandler.*



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February 18, 2017 at 03:50 AM



“ 33 files added to the album Life Tributes



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**Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home** - February 17, 2017 at 03:07 PM



“ *When I hear Barbara's name, I will always recall a smile filled with sunshine and warmth! Spelman reunions will not be complete without Barbara! May loving memories sustain you and bring smiles to you during this time of great loss.*

*Jean Berrien, Spelman C '63*



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**Jean Rogers-Yates** - February 17, 2017 at 10:29 AM

TS

“ Friends since our college years at Spelman/Morehouse. Barbara registered for a sociology course in "Racial and Cultural Minorities." taught by Morehouse's beloved Professor Chivers. We sat near each other and became dear friends. I remember our walks across campus pondering over various sociological theories and enjoying good belly laughs at the same time. I remember Barbara as a sweet, kind and thoughtful Spelman sister. We enjoyed our friendship and appreciated the respect we had for each other. I never saw her again after we graduated college in 1963. We seemed to miss each other at reunions but our friendship remains true blue. I am blessed to have known her and I rejoice in her triumphant victory. Heartfelt Sympathy !  
Thomas Southern/Morehouse College/Class of 1963

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**Tom Southern** - February 17, 2017 at 09:40 AM

MF

“ I will always be grateful for the support and calm advice I received from "Home Girl" during some troubling periods while attending Morehouse. Love to the family ! Madison James

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**Madison J. Foster, II** - February 17, 2017 at 08:20 AM

VW

“ So sorry for your loss. May the God of comfort be with your family.

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**Violet Warner-Eldridge** - February 16, 2017 at 06:13 PM

JS

“ Jacqueline Scott lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara Ann-Patricia Chandler



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**Jacqueline Scott** - February 16, 2017 at 08:05 AM

EB

“ *Edna Bryant lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara Ann-Patricia Chandler*



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**Edna Bryant** - February 15, 2017 at 11:32 PM

LG

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**Linda Gulley** - February 15, 2017 at 09:09 PM

MB

“ *Michelle Brock lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara Ann-Patricia Chandler*



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**Michelle Brock** - February 15, 2017 at 03:23 PM

MW

“ *Mamie Wiggins lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara Ann-Patricia Chandler*



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**Mamie Wiggins** - February 15, 2017 at 11:14 AM

DH

“ Barb was dedicated to helping children. When I worked with Barb at Genesee Intermediate School District, I always admired her support to the families in Clio Schools.

*Deb Holtslander*

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**Deb Holtslander** - February 15, 2017 at 06:44 AM

DF

“ Dr. C. D. Davis & Family The Steele Fami lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara Ann-Patricia Chandler



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**Dr. C. D. Davis & Family the Steele Fami** - February 14, 2017 at 10:19 PM

LD

“ La Jean Duncan sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Barbara Ann-Patricia Chandler



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**La Jean Duncan** - February 14, 2017 at 08:12 PM

EP

“ Barbara was an amazing colleague. She cared about everyone. Our thoughts are with the family. Marcia and Ellen Pavkovich

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**ellen Pavkovich** - February 14, 2017 at 06:15 PM

PW

“ Pam Williams sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Barbara Ann-Patricia Chandler



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**Pam Williams** - February 14, 2017 at 05:07 PM

SE

“ Sandra Epps sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Barbara Ann-Patricia Chandler



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**Sandra Epps** - February 14, 2017 at 04:58 PM

LB

“ Lynn Barbee lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara Ann-Patricia Chandler



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**Lynn Barbee** - February 14, 2017 at 01:49 PM

TL

“ Terry Love lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Barbara Ann-Patricia Chandler



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**Terry Love** - February 14, 2017 at 10:52 AM

WB

“ *I feel like I've lost another sister. Our deepest condolences to Christine, Christopher and the girls. Your mother loved you all so much, remember that always. The Lord will comfort you.*



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**William, Neysa and Rachel Burns** - February 14, 2017 at 07:17 AM



“ *Rest In Him Mrs C. Wow love you but God loved you best..... The Kennedy family!!!*



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**Min Doremus Kennedy** - February 13, 2017 at 03:17 PM