



Mrs. Birdie B. Wright

June 8, 1936 - May 21, 2021

Wright, Mrs. Birdie B.- Age 84, passed away Friday, May 21, 2021 at her residence. Family hour 7:30 AM Saturday, May 29, 2021 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral service commencing at 8:00 AM Pastor Ezra Tillman, officiating. Interment River Rest Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the funeral home 7:30 AM Saturday. Mrs. Wright will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home and may be viewed from 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM Friday with the family present from 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM to receive friends. Mrs. Birdie B. Wright was born on June 8, 1936 in Mason, Tennessee, she grew up and worked on her family's farm, which was passed down from her great-grandfather, Hillery Wattswood Key, through five generations. Birdie graduated from Gailor High School where she was a member of the Dance Team. After graduation, she moved to Detroit, MI and later to Flint, Michigan to pursue her dreams of a better life. Birdie retired from GM-Delphi West, a division of General Motors Corporation after many years of loyal service. She was a member of UAW Local #659. Birdie was one of the earliest members of First Trinity Missionary Baptist Church of Flint where she served with love and devotion for over 60 years. She has worn many hats at First Trinity. Birdie has been a Hostess on the Kitchen Committee, a Silver Liner, an avid Sunday School Member, an original Member of the Inspirational Choir and a Mistress of Ceremony for the Church's Anniversary. She has also been a member of the Flint Zeta Amicae Auxiliary, a service organization.

Birdie enjoyed traveling, shopping, socializing and being a Grandmother. She was an independent, outgoing and fun loving person who knew no strangers. Many of her neighbors and coworkers became lifelong friends. Mrs. Birdie B. Wright leaves to cherish her memory: daughter, Brenda Joyce Wright (Boe) Glasschild; granddaughter, Leslie Jade Calypso; grandson, Boe Benjamin Glasschild, all of Flint; brother, Rev. Vernon T. (JoAnn) White of Akron, OH; 2 sisters, Odessa White Rose of Nashville, TN and Ethel White (Richard) Hayes of Ripley, TN; 6 nieces, Marilyn Johnson Locke, Yvette White, Tricia White (Eurston) Luellen, all of Memphis, TN, Sandra Rose (Earl) Hunt, Kelda Rose Altidor, both of Nashville, TN and Janice White (Richard) Pitts of Phoenix, AZ; 4 nephews, Shelvie Rose Jr. of Detroit, MI, Deron (Cynthia) Hayes of Memphis, TN, Rev. Alton Wayne (Victoria) Hayes of Nashville, TN and Vernon White II of Akron, OH; 12 great-nieces; 12 great-nephews including Rev. Kenney E. Yarborough of Milwaukee, WI; a host of cousins, other relatives and friends. Mrs. Wright was preceded in death by her parents, Marion Leon and Isabella White; brother, Marion C. White; sister, Elizabeth White Johnson; 3 nieces, Geneva B. White Jones, Rosalyn Johnson Stewart and special niece, Delores Rose Hayes; and nephew, Leonard Hayes Sr. The family would like to express special thanks to all of Birdie's caregivers, Nurse Michelle and McLaren Hospice Team, Ruby Gill, Paula Edwards and Cynthia Hawthorne; neighbors, family and friends including, Jan Marie Arbor, Barbara Beasley, Bea and Tommy Horton, Delores Harris, Jackie Johnson, Linnette Phillips and many others too numerous to mention. MAY GOD BLESS YOU ALL!

Cemetery Details

River Rest Cemetery

G-4413 Flushing Rd.
Flint, MI 48504

Previous Events

Public Viewing

MAY 28. 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home Chapel, Flint
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Family Present

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Service

MAY 29. 8:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Mrs. Birdie B. Wright*



Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home - May 29, 2021 at 07:25 AM



“ *Mrs. Birdie B. Wright*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *My name is Leslie Jade Calypso. Birdie is buried at Sunset Hills Cemetery on Flushing Rd or Pierson Rd. It is May 11, 2023. My grandmother died May 21, 2021. My life changed forever.*



Leslie Jade Calypso - May 11, 2023 at 05:56 PM



“ *I just found out about Birdie. She was such a sweet lady and the perfect neighbor. God bless her. My deepest sympathy to her family.*

victoria cooper - May 29, 2021 at 10:32 AM

CH

“ Cheryl D Harris lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Birdie B. Wright



Cheryl D Harris - May 27, 2021 at 09:59 PM

NW

“ Birdie was a very sweet and funny person. I am so glad that I had the chance to know her. She also made the best sweet potato pies in the world! She will be missed



N. Jeanne Wells - May 27, 2021 at 04:14 PM

JB

“ Joseph And Birdie Brooks lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Birdie B. Wright



Joseph and Birdie Brooks - May 27, 2021 at 08:21 AM

JP

“ Janice Pitts lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Birdie B. Wright



Janice Pitts - May 26, 2021 at 11:17 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mrs. Birdie B. Wright.*



May 26, 2021 at 11:02 PM



“ *Bobbie Ruth Milhouse lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Birdie B. Wright*



Bobbie Ruth Milhouse - May 26, 2021 at 08:44 PM



“ *Shawn Smith lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Birdie B. Wright*



Shawn Smith - May 26, 2021 at 05:57 PM



“ *My Condolences to the family of Mrs. Birdie B. Wright and family especially to her daughter Brenda and grandchildren. Friends of the Wright Family.*

Esther Jones and Dorothy Pharms - May 26, 2021 at 01:38 PM

DF

“ *Deepest Condolences to Mrs. Birdie's family.
Go with God he will comfort you during this
time. Blessings!!*



Deborah FisherGrant - May 26, 2021 at 12:13 PM

FA

“ *FLINT ZETA AMICAE
LIT A CANDLE IN THE NAME OF FORMER
AMICA BIRDIE WRIGHT*



FLINT ZETA AMICAE - May 25, 2021 at 03:06 PM

TP

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Tiny Presnall - May 25, 2021 at 03:04 PM

JG

“ *To Brenda and her family, Birdie was a dear friend and I have very
fond memories of her.
May God give you peace in the coming days.*

Johnetta Morgan, Marlon and Gina - May 25, 2021 at 02:21 PM

TJ

“ *Thelma Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Birdie B. Wright*



Thelma Johnson - May 24, 2021 at 04:38 PM

VS

“ *Victoria Spottsville lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Birdie B. Wright*



Victoria Spottsville - May 24, 2021 at 03:26 PM

DH

“ *Dolores Harris sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Birdie B. Wright*



Dolores Harris - May 24, 2021 at 01:39 PM

DF

“ *Dea. Bill Quarles & Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Birdie B. Wright*



Dea. Bill Quarles & Family - May 24, 2021 at 10:10 AM



“ *Sharon Mixon lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Birdie B. Wright*



Sharon Mixon - May 24, 2021 at 09:56 AM



“ *Words can not express my feelings in the passing of Birdie. We were long time friends. We celebrated our birthdays together each year- being just one day apart. She will be missed tremendously. May God bless and be with Brenda and the Family. Dolores McGowan.*

Dolores McGowan - May 24, 2021 at 09:26 AM



“ *Melvon And Alberta Williams lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Birdie B. Wright*



Melvon and Alberta Williams - May 23, 2021 at 10:37 PM



“ *Kim Buckner sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Birdie B. Wright*



Kim Buckner - May 23, 2021 at 07:12 PM

Katie Stewart

“ *Katie Stewart lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Birdie B. Wright*



Katie Stewart - May 23, 2021 at 02:49 PM

“C

“ *My name is Leslie Jade Calypso and this was my grandmother on my mother’s side. I wish I could personally thank everyone who has sent their condolences or lit a candle in her honor. Rest In Peace, my dearest grandmother Birdie. May the blackbird protect me always.*

“Lesterlie” Jade Calypso - May 22, 2021 at 12:28 PM

MW

“ *Marilyn M Wright lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Birdie B. Wright*



Marilyn M Wright - May 22, 2021 at 12:22 PM

SH

“ *Sandra Holland-August lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Birdie B. Wright*



Sandra Holland-August - May 22, 2021 at 08:23 AM

PM

“ *Paula Mcwilliams lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Birdie B. Wright*



Paula mcwilliams - May 22, 2021 at 07:53 AM

TS

“ *Trina Stewart lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Birdie B. Wright*



Trina Stewart - May 22, 2021 at 01:35 AM

CW

“ *Crystal Williams lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Birdie B. Wright*



Crystal Williams - May 21, 2021 at 08:37 PM

DW

“ *Debra Woodson - Williams lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Birdie B. Wright*



Debra Woodson - Williams - May 21, 2021 at 01:16 PM

TJ

*Thelma Johnson Lit A Candle. SISTER. WRIGHT
WAS NICE TO ME (RIP) SISTER. JOHNSON And FAMILY*

Thelma Johnson - May 24, 2021 at 04:36 PM

JP

*Aunt Bea will be missed. Love to Brenda and the rest of our family.
Love, Janice*

Janice Pitts - May 26, 2021 at 11:16 PM