



Clayta Turner

April 30, 1927 - November 11, 2008

TURNER, Mrs. Clayta - Age 81, passed away Tuesday, November 11, 2008 at Hurley Medical Center. Family hour 10AM Monday, November 17, 2008 at Blackwell AME Zion Church, 1902 Sonny St., with funeral service commencing at 11AM, Rev. Anthony Morris officiating. Interment Lovedale Memorial Cemetery, G-5175 Bristol Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10AM Monday. Mrs. Turner will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 12Noon-5PM Saturday and 10AM-6PM Sunday. Mrs. Clayta LaRue "Tootsie" Turner was born April 30, 1927 in Flint, Michigan, the third child to the union of David and Willie L. Dent. Clayta was a lifelong resident of Flint. She attended Flint Public Schools and graduated from Central High School. Clayta married Jackson O. Turner December 4, 1948 and was married 47 years until his death in 1996. Clayta was an active member of Blackwell A.M.E. Zion Church her entire life. She served faithfully on the Missionary Society and Usher Board for many years until her illness. Clayta was also a member of 8th Street Block Club. Mrs. Turner leaves to cherish her memory: daughter, Jacqueline (Reginald) Turner Banks of Sacramento, CA; 4 sons, Clayton (Sabrina) Turner, Spencer (Rose) Turner, Gerald Turner and William (Carolyn) Turner, all of Flint; adoring grandchildren, Regina Banks, David Turner, Jeremy and Geoffrey Banks, Kevin, Jarrell, Adrienne, Eric Turner and Jason Monk; 1 great-grandchild, Victoria Edwards; 4 sisters-in-law, Fannie Walker, Thelma (Thomas) Haywood, Rosemary Turner, and

Carolyn Dent. Clayta leaves a host of beloved nieces, nephews, and dear friends. Mrs. Turner was preceded in death by her husband, Jackson O. Turner; parents, David and Willie L. Dent; grandchild, Jason Banks; brothers, Karl and William Dent; sisters, Althea French and Vivian Pugh; and aunt, Mattie Morgan. Special thanks to Janice Miller for her loving care, Hurley Intensive Care Unit and her special niece, Marcia Boone.

Tribute Wall



“ *Clayta Turner*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *I will always treasure her memory.*

Daniel Lewis - November 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear family, Ski and I are thinking of you at this difficult time. We wish we could be there not only to comfort you in your sorrow, but to celebrate her life. Sincerely, William and Sarah Powell*

Sarah Morgan Powell - November 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear cousins:*

My condolences are with you during your time of grief. My wonderful memories of dear Aunt Clayta will live with me forever. Another angel resides in Heaven to look over us.

You are in my thoughts and prayers.

*Love,
Joyce*

Joyce Keys - November 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

VP

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you.
May God continue to bless and strengthen you family.*

Vernetta Price - November 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SL

“ *May God Bless You and your family in your time of sorrow. My prayers are with you.*

Shirley Luckado-McReynolds

Shirley Luckado-McReynolds - November 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ *My Mother Delores and Step Father Julius Brown would always talk about Tootsie. She was comical and delightful. I remember her visiting us on servaral occasions in Chicago. My sprit is lifted knowing that she lived a great life and she was always a happy person. I thnak God she had a presense our lives.*

*Peace,
Pam Murphy (Brown)*

Pam Murphy (Brown) - November 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ *To the Turner Family*

My thoughts and prayers are with the family.

Keena Simpson-Mauldin - November 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ We often assume without regard that the compositions in our life are complete and steady, then at some point in a pivot occurs, unannounced and at times unwanted. It is that moment that completion changes, we feel the difference in what was and what is. For me, aunt "Tootie" was a componet of my completion. She represented family, stability,love unconditional and most of all, acceptance. Although such gifts will be treasured,the completion I have felt in my lifes journey has been altered abit.

Maurice L Bowdry - November 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DJ

“ Spencer and Family, I am sorry for the passing of your mother, remember earth has no sorrows that heaven cannot heal. You and your family are in my prayers.

Diane Luster- Johnson - November 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TG

“ You were greatly loved in life because of your radiant spirit. You will be loved here-after as we bask in the loving light of your spirt.

Terris McMahan Grimes - November 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SM

“ MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY GO OUT TO THE FAMILY
TOOTSIE WAS A VERY NICE PERSON
I WILL ALYS REMEMBER THAT SMILE

SARAH MORGAN-GRANT - November 11, 2008 at 12:00 AM