



Darresia Bowie

February 7, 1929 - September 6, 2009

BOWIE, Mother Darresia - Age 80, passed away Sunday, September 6, 2009 at Heritage Manor. Funeral Service 2PM-4PM Friday, September 11, 2009 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd. Family and friends will assemble at the funeral home 2PM Friday. Mother Bowie will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, and may be viewed from 12Noon-8PM Friday. Mother Darresia Bowie was born on February 7, 1929 in Leake County, Mississippi, the daughter of William and Olar Morgan. Mother Bowie was the oldest of three children, affectionately referred to as "Reesie". She was baptized at Harmony Missionary Baptist church in Lena, Mississippi at an early age. Mother Bowie was presently a member of Pleasant Love Missionary Baptist Church. She graduated from Leake County Agricultural High School "Class of 1948". Mother Bowie attended Jackson State University majoring in Elementary Education. She later met and married George Bowie, Jr. in 1949, to this union 7 children were born, 3 daughters and 4 sons. Mother Bowie worked for the Flint Board of Education, retiring after completing over 20 years of service. She leaves to cherish her memory: 2 daughters, Michelle (Gregory) Brock of Grand Blanc, MI and Jada Bowie of Flint; 3 sons, Dwaine (Sandra) Bowie of Valparaisa, IN, Kenneth Bowie and Stanley Riggs, all of Flint; 9 grandchildren, Chris and Courtney Pendleton of Phoenix, AZ, Carol and Carmella Brock of Grand Blanc, MI, Ashlee Arder of Ann Arbor, MI, Morgan Bowie of Valparaiso, IN, Kenneth Bowie, Jr., of Westland, MI, Jordan and Jakobe Bowie and Shelton

Brock, all of Flint; great grandchild, Tony Brock Wells; several nieces, nephews and cousins; 2 aunts, Addie Lee Morgan of Lena, MS and Annie B. "Tot" Stewart of Denver, CO; 2 sisters-in-law, Dorothy Ware of Chicago, IL and Myrtle Bowie of Ludlow, MS; 2 brothers-in-law, Lonzo Bowie of Ludlow, MS and Leroy Bowie of Forest, MS. Mother Bowie was preceded in death by her husband, George Bowie, Jr.; daughter, Carolyn Bowie; sons, Terry Wayne Bowie and Gregory Bowie; parents, William and Olar Morgan; granddaughter, Alexis Bowie; sister, Ruby Lee Rushing; brother, Freddie Lee Morgan; and brother-in-law, Olen D. Rushing. The family would like to express thanks to The Denson, Turner, Springer, Marshall, Williams, Morgan, Brock families and special thanks to Najeebah Davis of Heritage Manor, Pastor Jewell Bridges and the Pleasant Love Missionary Baptist Church family, Pastor George Wilkinson and the Word of Life Christian Church family, Sherry (Duane) Kelley, LaDonna Munnerly and Mallery Street neighbors.

Tribute Wall



“ *Darresia Bowie*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *To the family Darresia Bowie:*

My deepest condolence in the loss of your mother, I remember your mom from Northern telling me to get out of the halls. She claimed me as a daughter/friend. Michelle be strong! You are in my prayers.

Gloria

Gloria Caruthers-Lang - September 06, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *My prayers go out to the family, God has callen one of his angles home. And she will truely be missed. I will miss our visits at the nursing home i would visit her once or twice a week and i thought i would brighten her day but it was just the other way around she would say something and we would both have a great laugh. i will always smile when i think of Mother Bowie My Friend May God Bless and Keep You*

Wanda Williams (Sister Williams) - September 06, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *We'll keep your family in our prayers. Wonderful memories of her will live on forever and we'll miss her. May God bless you all.*

Ardie Stribling & Family - September 06, 2009 at 12:00 AM

ND

“ *Bowie, Bowie will truly be missed. It was an honor being able to be apart of her life.... We shared many laughs together. I grew to love and care about her a great deal, and miss her very much.. she is in a better place and no longer has to suffer.... My prayers go out to the family... GOD bless you all*

Najeebah Davis - September 06, 2009 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ *Michelle, My heart was saddened at the news of your Moms Passing. I pray the many memories shared with her will help to sustain you during your hour of bereavement. I'm praying for your strength.*

Syble Smith - September 06, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DM

“ *We will keep you in our prayers during this difficult time, remember God knows best.*

Debra Miller - September 06, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ *God has taken you home to be with Him and continue your work in Heaven. We will miss you.*

John and Chandra Blanks - September 06, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ *I am very happy to have known Mrs Bowie, she was a nice ladie, and will be missed at the nursing home, I would like to say to the family of Mrs Bowie you have my deepest sympathy.*

Jory Mickens - September 06, 2009 at 12:00 AM

VC

“ Dear Bowie Family,

Our prayers and thoughts are with you all as you remember your precious mother. "Ms. Reesie" was mother to us all as we grew up many years ago on Root St. next door to each other. Your mother was one of the first we ever knew besides our Mom, and we always knew we were a part of the Bowie family. Though many years have passed, and miles sometimes separate us, we can always come home to each other, knowing that time is a small element in our lives and can not replace the true love that we have always held for each other. Find comfort in knowing that our mothers are reunited, laughing and drinking coffee as they still watch over their children. We will keep you all in our prayers. May God bless and keep you during this difficult time. With much love, The Williams Family.

Vallrey K Crump - September 06, 2009 at 12:00 AM