



Mrs. Edna Hughes

September 11, 1924 - December 2, 2020

HUGHES, Mrs. Edna - Age 96, passed away Wednesday, December 2, 2020 at Willowbrook Manor. Family hour 1:30 PM Saturday, December 12, 2020 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral service commencing at 2:00 PM Pastor Devontae Powell officiating. Interment Gracelawn Community Cemetery, 5710 N. Saginaw St. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the funeral home 1:30 PM Saturday. Mrs. Hughes 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. Ms. Edna Lee Hughes (Wise) "Big Ed" was born September 11th, 1924 in Pine Bluff, Arkansas. Edna worked for what was formerly known as the taco house on North Saginaw Street and she was known to have made the best tacos in town. She also worked for two of the biggest hotel chain restaurants, back in the day (Sheraton & Wallis) and also briefly worked for General Motors. Edna was a longtime member of Rising Star Baptist Church serving on the motherboard. Edna or as she was so dearly called, "Big Ed" was known for her feistiness. People would say, "Your mommy is something else" and we would say, "You don't have to tell us twice". She could tell you off three times and start all over again telling you off some more. But, one thing for sure she was a giver at heart and if you ever met her you would never forget her. Even at 96 years young, Edna had her own mind and as she would also say, "I got my own teeth too". When people would say to her in disbelief, "you're 96 years old?" She'd always say, "That's what my mama said". She was really

funny and an amazingly strong woman, and most people got a kick out of talking to her because she could truly hold a strong conversation. We would say, the best in the business. She will truly, truly, truly be missed.

Ms. Edna Lee Hughes (Wise) leaves to cherish her memory: 3 daughters, Debra Evans-Stewart, Marion "Nell" Rice-Jones and Melba Lee Stewart; son, Larry Jones; sister, Bernice Davis; brother, Otis "Leona" Wise; special grandsons, Jarelle Stewart, Jaylon Clements, Antonio Stewart, Domonique Evans, Kelly Boose, Antoine Blassingame, Derle Jones, Marques Rice, Kenneth White and Dominic White; special granddaughters, Kaleea Stewart, Carolyn Stewart, Latrice Keys, Teneesha Stewart, Qwanese Evans, Samantha Stewart, Ronessa Stewart, Mariea Price, Tonje White, Jessica Jones, Michelle Jones, Tanjermeeka Jones, Shaniqua Jones, Marla Rice, Shawna Miller, Tamika Blassingame and Shalonda Holmes; special daughter-in-law, Kensonya Stewart; 35 great-grandchildren; special niece and nephew, Sharon and Bill Frierson; lastly, a host of extended beautiful family that loved her so much - she was well loved by everyone.

Ms. Hughes was preceded in death by her husband, Todd Hughes; daughter, Carolyn Stewart; sons, Ervin Wise, Sterling Jones, Jesse Jones, Sam "Ronnie" Stewart Jr.; parents, Roosevelt Wise Sr. and Mary "Maggie" Wise Phillips; sister, Melzena Brown; brothers, Andrew Wise, Roosevelt Wise Jr. and Curtis Wise; and children's father; Sam Stewart Sr.

The family would like to express special thanks to; Rising Star Baptist Church for everything, Willowbrook Manor & staff and the hospice staff; Mrs. Stewart. For being there throughout the years and especially through these trying times with the COVID-19 Pandemic.

Cemetery Details

Gracelawn Cemetery

5710 N. Saginaw St.
Flint, MI 48505

Previous Events

Public Viewing

DEC 11. 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home Chapel, Flint
906 W. Flint Park Blvd.
Flint, MI 48505
(810) 789-MOON (6666)
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Family hour

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Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Mrs. Edna Hughes*



Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home - December 12, 2020 at 08:11 AM



“ *Mrs. Edna Hughes*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



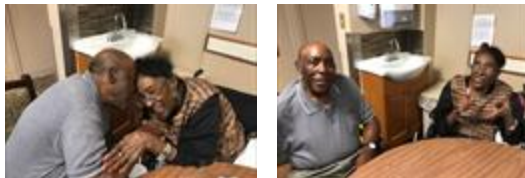
“ *Kimberly Hall-Miller lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Hughes*



Kimberly Hall-Miller - December 15, 2020 at 11:44 AM



“ *2 files added to the tribute wall*



Latesa Pye - December 12, 2020 at 01:55 PM

LP

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Latesa Pye - December 12, 2020 at 01:50 PM

MA

“ Miss you so much grandma! Can't wait to see you again! Rev 21:3,4

Mariea - December 12, 2020 at 01:25 PM

JJ

“ Aunt Edna, may you rest in heaven with your loved ones! Already missing you! Love your niece, Josh and family!!



Josh Johnson - December 12, 2020 at 11:40 AM

YW

“ Aunt Edna, you have been a blessing in my life and will forever be remembered! Continue to RIH and I Love You, your Niece, Yolanda



Yolanda Wise - December 12, 2020 at 11:38 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Mrs. Edna Hughes.*



December 11, 2020 at 04:31 PM



“ *Grandma, we have so many great memories with you from weekends, summers, and holidays was always a blessing to have you and your love around us...you loved us and keep us safe. My heart if filled with you love and always prayers. We will miss you and blessed to have you in our lives RIH. Shalanda*

Shalanda Holmes - December 11, 2020 at 10:01 AM



“ *Sandra Leconte lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Hughes*



Sandra Leconte - December 10, 2020 at 06:25 PM



“ *Katherine Woodard Handley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Hughes*



Katherine Woodard Handley - December 09, 2020 at 09:33 PM

RR

“ Regina Robinson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Hughes



Regina Robinson - December 09, 2020 at 12:32 PM

M(

“ Mary Releford (Frankie) sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Edna Hughes



Mary Releford (Frankie) - December 09, 2020 at 08:50 AM

BD

“ Bernice Davis purchased the Simply Elegant Spa thiphyllum for the family of Mrs. Edna Hughes.



Bernice Davis - December 08, 2020 at 06:58 PM

JW

“ Jacqueline Woodard lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Hughes



Jacqueline woodard - December 08, 2020 at 02:04 PM

SA

“ WE HAD SO MUCH FUN THIS DAY❤️❤️❤️



samantha - December 07, 2020 at 05:04 PM

MS

Nice sam, love me ! Aunt melba !

Melba Stewart - December 08, 2020 at 06:18 PM

MS

Beautiful !!

Melba Stewart - December 08, 2020 at 06:24 PM

SA

Thanks T

samantha - December 09, 2020 at 11:57 AM

SH

Beautiful picture. Love it 😊

Shalanda Holmes - December 11, 2020 at 10:07 AM

RR

You will be missed.

Regina Robinson - December 12, 2020 at 03:14 PM

SA

“ I LOVE YOU GRUM GRUM❤️🕊️. YOU'LL ALWAYS BE MISSED 🕊️👍



samantha - December 07, 2020 at 05:03 PM

LK

“ We love you Granny I'm going to miss you now you can rest 💜

Latrice Keys - December 07, 2020 at 02:07 PM

MS

Nice trice !

Melba Stewart - December 08, 2020 at 06:20 PM

ML

“ Marla Lane sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Edna Hughes



Marla Lane - December 07, 2020 at 11:22 AM

MS

Love u cousin, thanks !

Melba Stewart - December 08, 2020 at 06:19 PM

ML

“ Aunt Edna, you will be missed. Your baby sister Bernice loves you sooo much! We all love you! ❤️🙏❤️🙏



Marla Lane - December 07, 2020 at 11:20 AM

MS

Prayers 2u all !!!

Melba Stewart - December 08, 2020 at 06:20 PM

MP

“ Marietta Payton lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Hughes



Marietta Payton - December 06, 2020 at 04:15 PM

MB

“ Ms. Chandra Boyd sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Edna Hughes



Ms. Chandra Boyd - December 05, 2020 at 02:22 PM

MB

“ *Ms. Chandra Boyd lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Hughes*



Ms. Chandra Boyd - December 05, 2020 at 02:20 PM

EL

“ *Elder Michael & Phyllis Leslie sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Edna Hughes*



Elder Michael & Phyllis Leslie - December 04, 2020 at 06:57 PM

MS

“ *Love u ma !!! The greatest ma ! N the world 2 me !!! cu soon !!! U can rest 4 now !!!*

Melba Stewart - December 04, 2020 at 11:04 AM

KA

“ *Thank You for life, no one could of taught us what you have!!! You will live on through Melba's Kids I Guarantee*

Kaleea - December 04, 2020 at 10:49 AM

MS

Very well said !

Melba Stewart - December 08, 2020 at 06:22 PM



“ *Pandoretta Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Hughes*



Pandoretta Jackson - December 03, 2020 at 08:40 AM



“ *I love you grandma & I miss you* ❤️

Carolyn - December 02, 2020 at 11:03 PM