



## Mrs. Edna Walker

August 20, 1937 - September 30, 2023

WALKER, Mrs. Edna, Age - 86, passed away Saturday, September 30, 2023, at Willow of East Lansing. Family hour 10:30 AM Tuesday, October 10, 2023, at Promise Tabernacle Church, 815 W. Carpenter Rd., with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM Pastor Frederick Flowers, officiating. Interment, Sunset Hills Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10:30 AM Tuesday. Mrs. Walker will lie in state in the state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM Monday. In the vibrant tapestry of Edna Lee (Jefferson) Walker's life every thread was woven with boundless energy, fiery passion and a quick wit that lit up every room she entered. Born on August 20, 1937, in Forest, Mississippi, she danced through life with a spark that never dimmed, until she peacefully passed away on September 30, 2023, surrounded by her adoring family. At 86 years old, she left a legacy of love that will forever echo in the hearts of those who had the privilege of knowing her. Edna, the beloved daughter of Lucen and Lillie Mae (Keaton) Jefferson, was raised by her maternal grandparents, Elroy and Fannie Smith in Jackson, Mississippi. There she honed the kind, fiery and compassionate spirit that would define her life. In her youth, she met her partner in life, Ozell Walker, and together they embarked on a journey that spanned 47 years of marriage.

Their love story found its home in Flint, Michigan, where they nurtured five remarkable children. Edna's devotion knew no bounds, her children are a

testament to her loving care and indomitable guidance. She was a force of nature, combining her passions seamlessly. Family gatherings were a symphony of laughter, joy, and the mouthwatering aroma of her culinary creations, with a crumb cake always in the oven for her beloved grandchildren. Edna's faith was the foundation of her life. Baptized at an early age, she walked hand in hand with Jesus Christ. During a hospital stay in the early years of living in Flint, Edna met the pastor's wife of Golden Leaf Baptist Church, now known as Promise Tabernacle Church. After accepting an invitation to a Sunday service, Edna found solace and strength within the walls of Promise Tabernacle and made it her home for over 60 years. Edna loved her church community immensely and poured her heart into the church, serving on the Mother Board, lending her voice to the choir, working in the finance department, and infusing love into every dish she prepared for the kitchen committee. Her unwavering faith and loyalty were an inspiration to all who knew her. Yes, faith was Edna's compass in life, but it was her family that ignited the brightest flames within her. Her children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren were the stars in her sky, and she their unwavering North Star. Whether sewing or indulging in her favorite pastime of "junking", Edna embraced life with zest and zeal. Edna Walker's legacy is etched in faith, love, and tireless service to her family, church, and community. Her memory will forever dance in the hearts of all who were fortunate enough to know her. Although Edna is reunited with her beloved husband, Ozell Walker, daughter, Deborah Jefferson, parents, Lucen and Lillie Mae Jefferson, siblings, Ida Mae and Charles, and maternal grandparents, Elroy, and Fanny Smith who have gone before, her spirit lives on in the laughter and love of her children, Michael (Cynthia) Walker of Southfield MI, Jeffrey (Kim) Walker of Mesquite, TX, Margaret Walker of Mesquite, TX , Jackie Walker of Lansing, MI, Robert Hines of Flint, MI; grandchildren, Morrie (Monita) Hines, Mallory (Kenny) Applewhite, Mychal Walker, Evan Walker, Brandyn Jacquelyn Walker, Kylie Walker, and Daquiri (Keisha) Hines; Great-grandchildren, Montez, Kyla, Kayson, Mori Ann, Ivy, Princeton, Thalia, Maddison, Mychal Jr., Makye,

Mason and Mya; and in the hearts of a wide circle of relatives and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Sunset Hills Cemetery

G-4413 Flushing Rd.  
Flint, MI 48504

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

OCT **9**. 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)  
lemoonfhflint@gmail.com  
<http://www.lawrenceemoonfuneralhome.com>

## Family hour

OCT **10**. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Promise Tabernacle  
815 W. Carpenter Rd.  
Flint, MI 48505

## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ Jeanette Joseph lit a candle in memory of Edna Walker



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**Jeanette Joseph** - October 13, 2023 at 09:35 PM



“ Bern Stewart lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker



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**Bern Stewart** - October 13, 2023 at 01:03 AM



“ Belinda Brown lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker



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**Belinda Brown** - October 12, 2023 at 07:55 PM



“ Monique Williams sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker



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**Monique Williams** - October 11, 2023 at 10:25 PM

PC

“ *Rest in peace Mrs. Walker.*



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**Pamela Cook** - October 10, 2023 at 01:12 PM

VA

“ *Vivian Townsend Ali lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker*



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**Vivian Townsend Ali** - October 10, 2023 at 06:06 AM

EB

“ *Eddie & Linda Booth lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker*



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**Eddie & Linda Booth** - October 09, 2023 at 10:26 PM

VE

“ *Val Edwards lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker*



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**Val Edwards** - October 09, 2023 at 10:19 PM

BC

“ *Brenda Calhoun sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker*



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**Brenda Calhoun** - October 09, 2023 at 06:04 PM

AO

“ *Alice Odneal lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker*



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**Alice Odneal** - October 09, 2023 at 04:52 PM



“ *LaShondra Morris lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker*



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**LaShondra Morris** - October 09, 2023 at 04:31 PM

DS

“ *Deidre Spight-Woodson sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker*



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**Deidre Spight-Woodson** - October 09, 2023 at 03:48 PM

LH

“ *I Send my condolences to the Walker Family. Peace and love to you all. Mrs Walker will be missed*



**Lisa Hamilton** - October 09, 2023 at 02:24 PM

SS

“ *Sheila Summers lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker*



**Sheila Summers** - October 09, 2023 at 10:43 AM

TM

“ *Tanya Meeks lit a candle in memory of Edna Walker*



**Tanya Meeks** - October 09, 2023 at 09:11 AM

GR

“ *Gail Ross sent a virtual gift in memory of Edna Walker*



**Gail Ross** - October 09, 2023 at 09:11 AM



“ *Mrs. Edna Walker*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Prayers Walker Family.*



**Shelby Davis** - October 08, 2023 at 11:05 AM



“ *Bertina Jefferson Evans and family purchased the Heavenly Heights Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Edna Walker.*



**Bertina Jefferson Evans and family** - October 06, 2023 at 08:33 PM



“ *Dennie Caldwell lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker*



**Dennie Caldwell** - October 05, 2023 at 07:10 PM

CR

“ *Christine Robinson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker*



Christine Robinson - October 05, 2023 at 07:01 PM

VW

“ *Mrs. Walker will be missed she was mom's best shopping buddy and made some delicious dressing.*



Valerie Fryer Williams - October 05, 2023 at 04:33 PM

JB

“ *James And Lisa Blakley sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker*



James and Lisa Blakley - October 05, 2023 at 11:40 AM

JM

“ *James & Barbara Moore lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker*



James & Barbara Moore - October 04, 2023 at 10:00 PM

MJ

“ *Mr. & Mrs Kirk Jolivette. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs. Edna Walker.*

Mr. & Mrs Kirk Jolivette. - October 04, 2023 at 03:27 PM

MJ

“ *Mr. & Mrs Kirk Jolivette. purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mrs. Edna Walker.*



Mr. & Mrs Kirk Jolivette. - October 04, 2023 at 03:27 PM

MJ

“ *Mr. & Mrs. Kirk Jolivette lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker*



Mr. & Mrs. Kirk Jolivette - October 04, 2023 at 03:06 PM

AJ

“ *Andrew L Gayden Jr lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker*



Andrew L Gayden Jr - October 04, 2023 at 06:45 AM

GH

“ *Gwen Harvey lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker*



**Gwen Harvey** - October 03, 2023 at 10:35 PM

JM

“ *Jeannie Mayberry lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker*



**Jeannie Mayberry** - October 03, 2023 at 10:29 PM

CS

“ *To the Walker Family,  
My love and prayers for you all. I have many warm memories being together with your Mom, the advice she offered is priceless.  
Always,  
Cathy (Sanders)*



**Cathy Sanders** - October 03, 2023 at 04:34 PM

AC

“ *Annie Coburn sent a virtual gift in memory of Edna Walker*



**Annie Coburn** - October 03, 2023 at 02:42 PM

ET

“ *Earnestine Tolliver lit a candle in memory of Edna Walker*



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**Earnestine Tolliver** - October 03, 2023 at 02:22 PM

MG

“ *Sending Prayers & Strength to my Family, Rest Now Edna Lee*



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**Michael & Keasia Harper & Geraldine** - October 03, 2023 at 01:04 PM

SL

“ *Sheila Lomax lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker*



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**Sheila Lomax** - October 03, 2023 at 08:54 AM

MN

“ *mr mrs gary nichols lit a candle in memory of Edna Walker*



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**mr & mrs gary nichols** - October 03, 2023 at 12:07 AM

OC

“ *ORA CARTER lit a candle in memory of Edna Walker*



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**ORA CARTER** - October 02, 2023 at 07:51 PM

JJ

“ *Jovita Johnson lit a candle in memory of Edna Walker*



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**Jovita Johnson** - October 02, 2023 at 03:36 PM

JF

“ *Judy & Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker*



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**Judy & Family** - October 02, 2023 at 01:13 PM

AF

“ *Audra Johnson & Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker*



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**Audra Johnson & family** - October 02, 2023 at 12:40 PM

AJ

“ Althea Jones lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker



Althea Jones - October 02, 2023 at 11:26 AM

RY

“ Rose Young lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker



Rose Young - October 02, 2023 at 10:30 AM

ET

“ Earnestine Tolliver lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker



Earnestine Tolliver - October 01, 2023 at 06:59 PM

AJ

“ Alma Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker



Alma Johnson - October 01, 2023 at 01:36 PM

AJ

“ *Alma Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker*



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**Alma Johnson** - October 01, 2023 at 12:40 PM

NW

“ *Nana Williams lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Edna Walker*



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**nana williams** - October 01, 2023 at 11:17 AM