



## Mrs. Ellease Zenobia Odom

February 23, 1932 - December 31, 2018

ODOM, Mrs. Ellease - Age 86, passed away Monday, December 31, 2018 at her residence. Family hour 10:00 AM Saturday, January 12, 2019 at The Renewed Faith Church, 3350 Pasadena Avenue, with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM, Pastor Alphonso M. Williams, officiating. Interment Sunset Hills Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the Church 10:00 AM Saturday. Mrs. Odom will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., there will be no public viewing.

Mrs. Ellease Zenobia Odom was born February 23, 1932 in Daytona Beach, Florida, the daughter of Otis and Mattie (Brock) Simpson. She raised in Daytona Beach. After graduating from high school she enrolled at Bethune - Cookman College. While attending college, met John L. Odom whom she later married. They had three children and were married over 56 years before his untimely passing.

After graduating from college she enrolled in Hurley School of Nursing where she graduated with the first class of Black Nurses. She was employed as a head Surgical Nurse at Hurley Medical Center for over 30 years. Upon retiring from there she was also an Instructor at Ross Medical Center while helping several doctors start up private practices.

Mrs. Odom loved socializing, gardening, football (Pittsburgh Steelers), collecting salt and pepper shakers, and anything relating to Dolphins.

Mrs. Ellease Zenobia Odom leaves to cherish her memory: son, Donnie Latel (Portia Y.) Odom; grandchildren, Donnie L. Odom II, Cheyenne Odom, Dymond T. Odom, Janvary Odom, all of Flint, Dominique J. Odom of Grand Rapids, MI and Brandy C. Odom of Flint; great-grandchildren, Demetrius Thompson, Robert Moore III, Trimaine Moore, Blessyn Moore and Lamar Tyreece Moore; cousins, Deloris Odom, LaTavia, Nichelle and Ambrianna; a host of other relatives and friends including special friends, son-in-law, Mr. Michael Constantine, Sis. Ethel Hooker, Mr. Fred McGlown, Mr. Ricky "Bird" Player and Mrs. Joyce Gordon.

Mrs. Odom was preceded in death by her husband, John L. Odom; daughter, Jaqueline D. Constantine; son, Tyreece Lavern Odom; parents, Otis and Mattie Simpson; and brother, Edward Simpson.

The family would like to express special thanks to Miss Dorothy at Granny's Place, Mr. Brett C.M. Anderson, Pastor Alphonso M. Williams and the Renewed Faith Church family, Christian Tabernacle Baptist Church family, Ypsilanti, MI and special cousin, Ms. Deloris Odom.

# Cemetery Details

## Sunset Hills Cemetery

G-4413 Flushing Rd.  
Flint, MI 48504

# Previous Events

## Family hour

JAN 12. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

The Renewed Faith Church  
3350 Pasadena Ave.  
Flint, MI 48504

## Service

JAN 12. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Ellease Zenobia Odom*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Victoria Webster lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Ellease Zenobia Odom*



Victoria Webster - July 24, 2022 at 05:45 AM

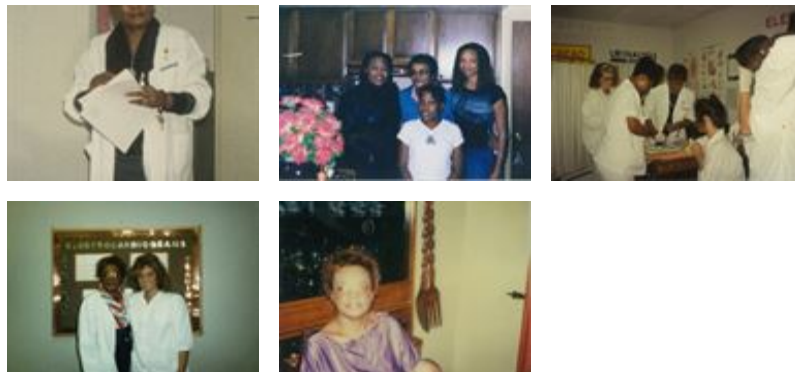


“ *Sorry about your pain that you and your family are going through at this moment, praying that God will continue to bless you and your family. Richard And Mamie Smith with lots of love.*

Richard & Mamie Smith - January 12, 2019 at 04:24 PM



“ *49 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home - January 10, 2019 at 04:00 PM

MK

“ Micah @ Danielle Knox lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Ellease Zenobia Odom



Micah @ Danielle Knox - January 08, 2019 at 08:01 AM

DD

“ Denise Dixon-Weatherspoon lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Ellease Zenobia Odom



Denise Dixon-Weatherspoon - January 07, 2019 at 09:53 PM

DB

“ My condolences to the Odom family. The scripture at (Acts, :24:15) along with prayer encourage you to meditate on God's word and you will be able to find peace and some comfort.



Daisy M Boone - January 07, 2019 at 03:25 PM

PJ

“ Phinesia Jones lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Ellease Zenobia Odom



Phinesia Jones - January 07, 2019 at 07:58 AM

CH

“ *Carrie Handy lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Ellease Zenobia Odom*



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**Carrie Handy** - January 06, 2019 at 12:02 PM

PJ

“ *Phinesia Jones lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Ellease Zenobia Odom*



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**Phinesia Jones** - January 06, 2019 at 10:18 AM

RC

“ *Dwight & Rena Williams send our condolences to the Odom Family.*



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**Rena C** - January 05, 2019 at 10:59 AM

DW

“ *Diana Wiley Washington lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Ellease Zenobia Odom*



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**Diana Wiley Washington** - January 04, 2019 at 11:16 PM

DM

“ Duwanda Moman sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Ellease Zenobia Odom



Duwanda Moman - January 04, 2019 at 01:20 AM

CM

“ The family have my sympathy and prayers. Cathi McDowell

Cathi McDowell - January 02, 2019 at 08:13 PM



“ Maggie Williams lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Ellease Zenobia Odom



Maggie Williams - January 01, 2019 at 10:21 PM

MP

“ MINISTER PAM lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Ellease Zenobia Odom



MINISTER PAM - January 01, 2019 at 07:42 AM

MP

“ *MINISTER PAM sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Ellease Zenobia Odom*



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**MINISTER PAM** - January 01, 2019 at 07:41 AM