



## Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield

July 24, 1940 - June 19, 2021

BEDENFIELD, Mother Fannie Mae - Age 80, passed away Saturday, June 19, 2021 at Ascension Genesys Hospital in Grand Blanc, MI. Family hour 11:00 AM Saturday, June 26, 2021 at Adams Memorial Guiding Light COGIC, 5230 Detroit St, with funeral service commencing at 12:00PM, Pastor Victor Adams, officiating. Interment Gracelawn Cemetery, 5710 N. Saginaw St. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the Church 11:00 AM Saturday. Mother Bedenfield will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 12:00PM-6:00PM Friday. Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield "Mother" was born July 24, 1940 in Rison, Arkansas, the daughter of Gertrude (Bernice) Munerlyn and Glen Smith. Fannie was a resident of Flint, Michigan and graduated from Flint Northern High School. She was employed at General Motors Corporation where she retired after 20 years of service. Fannie was an Evangelist and Mother at Adams Memorial/Guiding Light Church Of God In Christ. She was an accomplished seamstress, great cook and loved to bowl. Fannie had been a league bowler for several years including the "Dough Girls". She had a kind and loving spirit, filled with unconditional love. Fannie would give her last to anyone in need. Her light shined through her actions.

Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield "Mother" leaves to cherish her memory: 3 daughters and 1 son, Tawanna Bedenfield (Cedric Knox), Deanna (Jerry) Boyd, Keith (Antionette) Bedenfield, Gertrude Bedenfield, all of Flint and Diane Jayne Williams of Ypsilanti, MI; step-son, Dewayne Jones of Arlington,

TX; 21 grandchildren; a host of great-grandchildren; 8 great-great-grandchildren; 3 nieces, Sandra Brown, Mary Fulgham and Caroline Matthews; 4 nephews, Danny Matthews, Terry Matthews, Darus Riggs and Timothy Brown; a host of cousins, other relatives and friends including special friends, Judy Releford, Annette Honaker, Mother Taylor and Mildred Smoot. Mrs. Bedenfield was preceded in death by her husband, Claudie Bedenfield; daughter, Equan Bedenfield; parents, Gertrude (Bernice) Munerlyn and Glen Smith; brothers, Glen Smith Jr. and M.T. Matthews.

The family would like to express special thanks to Adams Memorial/Guiding Light Church Of God In Christ family, Dr. Danish, Dr. Sawade and Ascension Genesys Hospital 2nd Floor Nursing staff.

# Cemetery Details

## Gracelawn Cemetery

5710 N. Saginaw St.  
Flint, MI 48505

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

JUN **25**. 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, Inc., Flint  
906 W. Flint Park Blvd.  
Flint, MI 48505  
(810) 789-6666  
lemoonfhflint@gmail.com  
<https://lawrenceemoonfuneralhome.com>

## Family hour

JUN **26**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Adams Memorial Guiding Light COGIC  
5230 Detroit St.  
Flint, MI 48505

## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield*

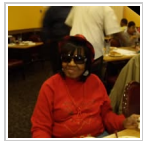
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“ *Dee Jones*



**Dee Jones** - July 09, 2021 at 04:26 PM



“ *Gloria Day-Harden lit a candle in memory of  
Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield*



**Gloria Day-Harden** - July 05, 2021 at 04:47 PM



“ *Marcella Oden lit a candle in memory of  
Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield*



**Marcella Oden** - July 02, 2021 at 01:13 PM

PS

“ *Peggy Clark Stribling lit a candle in memory of Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield*



Peggy Clark Stribling - June 29, 2021 at 11:27 AM



“ *Mother Fannie was a beautiful precious soul..My sincerest condolences to her family, church family, & friends...Mother Fannie was a true Blessing to all that her knew her and spent time with her* 🙏



Sherrisa H-p - June 26, 2021 at 12:21 PM

BK

“ *You have my sincere love and prayers as you go through this most difficult time. I cherish fond memories as we fellowshipped in church together. Love Beatrice Kendall*

Beatrice Kendall - June 26, 2021 at 08:46 AM

FH

“ *Freda Hayes lit a candle in memory of Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield*



Freda Hayes - June 26, 2021 at 12:04 AM

FH

“ Remembering someone special, Ms Fannie touched many lives with her kindness and love. She will not be forgotten for the caring person that she was. With deepest sympathy and condolences to her family.

Freda Hayes - June 26, 2021 at 12:03 AM

DH

“ Dorothy Harvey lit a candle in memory of Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield



Dorothy Harvey - June 25, 2021 at 09:58 PM

DG

“ So sorry for your loss. I knew the family through Keith and father Claude. A friend who knew them through Builders square. Debi Goodman

debra Goodman - June 25, 2021 at 12:52 PM

MT

“ My sincere condolences goes out to the Bedenfield family. I love you Janine praying for strength for the entire family..

Mylinda Townsend - June 25, 2021 at 06:51 AM

JR

“ *Johnnie Rawls lit a candle in memory of  
Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield*



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**Johnnie Rawls** - June 25, 2021 at 12:54 AM

DS

“ *Dorothy Sanders lit a candle in memory of  
Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield*



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**Dorothy Sanders** - June 24, 2021 at 10:08 PM

MS

“ *My condolences to you and your family  
prayers from Mildred and Marvin Smoot*



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**marvin Smoot** - June 24, 2021 at 07:19 PM

MS

“ *Mildred Smoot lit a candle in memory of  
Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield*



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**mildred smoot** - June 24, 2021 at 07:12 PM

RG

“ *Rachelle Green lit a candle in memory of Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield*



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**Rachelle Green** - June 24, 2021 at 05:29 PM

PP

“ *Gwen Wright sends blessing and prayers to the Bedenfield family.*



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**Priscilla L Prude** - June 24, 2021 at 09:07 AM

AW

“ *ANNETTE WOODLEY lit a candle in memory of Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield*



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**ANNETTE WOODLEY** - June 23, 2021 at 10:17 PM

YA

“ *Prayers and condolences to the Family of Mo. Bedenfield she she was one of a kind sweet loving compassionate soft spoken and a woman of God I love you from me and my family and you will be truly missed 🙏🙏🙏❤️❤️❤️*

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**Yolanda Allen** - June 23, 2021 at 08:08 PM

AS

“ *Angel Smith-Evans lit a candle in memory of Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield*



Angel Smith-Evans - June 23, 2021 at 03:48 PM

GD

“ *My sincerest condolences ,prayers and love go out to the the Bedenfield Family. I will miss your Mother's warmth, kindness and calm. May God continue to bless and keep you.*

Gina L DeShong - June 23, 2021 at 11:47 AM

RS

“ *Re-Naye Sanders lit a candle in memory of Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield*



Re-Naye Sanders - June 23, 2021 at 01:03 AM

GL

“ *Our heartfelt thoughts love and prayers to the family of my Dear Sister Fannie.May the strength and Peace of God be with you all💕💕*



Gene,Freda Leverette - June 22, 2021 at 11:47 PM

SG

“ To the entire Bedenfield Family You all have my sincerest condolences. I love you Janine my heart goes out to you sweetheart!



Shawna Gilbert - June 22, 2021 at 07:52 PM

AC

“ Arlette And Tamiko Crofton sent a virtual gift in memory of Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield



Arlette and Tamiko Crofton - June 22, 2021 at 07:00 PM

  
Marsha  
Ross

“ Marsha Ross lit a candle in memory of Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield



Marsha Ross - June 22, 2021 at 05:46 PM

JJ

“ Joann Jordan lit a candle in memory of Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield



Joann Jordan - June 22, 2021 at 01:34 PM

TW

“ Sending my prayers & condolences to the family Mo. Fannie Bedenfield. She had such a sweet & humble spirit. She may be gone but she will never, ever be forgotten.



Tamera Wade - June 22, 2021 at 11:16 AM



“ Jimmye Maxwell lit a candle in memory of Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield



Jimmye Maxwell - June 22, 2021 at 08:03 AM



“ Pandoretta Jackson sent a virtual gift in memory of Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield



Pandoretta Jackson - June 22, 2021 at 03:26 AM

MW

“ My condolences and prayers are with the Benefield family during this difficult time, cuz you will be miss but never forgotten sleep peacefully in paradise until we meet again.

Maggie Williams - June 21, 2021 at 10:53 PM

RA

“ *ReGina Jo Adams lit a candle in memory of Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield*



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**ReGina Jo Adams** - June 21, 2021 at 05:42 PM

RS

“ *Once again I'm expressing my condolences to this family. I am so very sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are pouring out for you during this time of sorrow.*



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**Re-Naye Sanders** - June 21, 2021 at 04:24 PM

DP

“ *Dicy Powell sent a virtual gift in memory of Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield*



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**Dicy Powell** - June 21, 2021 at 03:52 PM

MJ

“ *Mary Hussey Jones lit a candle in memory of Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield*



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**Mary Hussey Jones** - June 21, 2021 at 02:43 PM

LH

“ *Lois Harden lit a candle in memory of Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield*



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**Lois Harden** - June 21, 2021 at 02:17 PM

SP

“ *Sheryl Payton lit a candle in memory of Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield*



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**Sheryl Payton** - June 21, 2021 at 12:55 PM

DE

“ *My prayers are with the family. Mrs Fannie was the nicest person. I loved bowling with Mrs Fannie.*



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**Deborah Edson** - June 21, 2021 at 12:30 PM

DH

“ *Dorothy Harvey lit a candle in memory of Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield*



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**Dorothy Harvey** - June 20, 2021 at 07:58 PM

SP

“ *Shawnie Powell lit a candle in memory of Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield*



shawnie powell - June 20, 2021 at 07:06 PM

IH

“ *Iretta Hardy lit a candle in memory of Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield*



Iretta Hardy - June 20, 2021 at 04:34 PM

DF

“ *I had the honor and privilege to meet you two years ago, and talking to you via the phone from time to time! Rest in the sweet arms of Jesus cousin!💔💔*

Darrius Redwine (Relerford Family) - June 20, 2021 at 01:39 PM

AM

“ *Annette Marks lit a candle in memory of Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield*



Annette Marks - June 20, 2021 at 12:55 PM

CW

“ *Cleola Wright-Griffis lit a candle in memory of  
Mother Fannie Mae Bedenfield*



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**Cleola Wright-Griffis** - June 20, 2021 at 10:28 AM