



Mother Georgia Mae Barbee

February 14, 1925 - March 6, 2016

BARBEE, Mother Georgia Mae - Age 91, passed away Sunday, March 6, 2016 at Willowbrook Manor. Family hour 10:30 a.m. Saturday, March 12, 2016 at St. James Church of God in Christ, 2229 W. Carpenter Rd., with funeral service commencing at 11 a.m. Elder Kerwin Hudson, Officiating. Interment Gracelawn Community Cemetery, G-5710 N. Saginaw St. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10:30 a.m. Saturday. Mother Barbee will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 1 p.m. - 8 p.m. Friday, with the family present from 1 p.m. - 3 p.m. to receive friends.

Mother Georgia Mae (Lakes) Barbee was born February 14, 1925 in Flint Michigan, the daughter of Isaiah Lakes and Carrie (Wright) Lakes. She attended Flint Community Schools. Mother Barbee met and married Herbert Barbee, Sr. in July 1948 and to this great union 5 children was born. In 1949, she accepted the Lord at New Covenant Church Of God In Christ under the leadership of Pastor Felix Early, where she served in many auxiliaries faithfully. Mother Barbee relocated to Baldwin Michigan in 1982 where she served under Elder Aaron Mays and Elder Kerwin Hudson at New Life Church Of God In Christ She was appointed Church Mother where she served until the Lord called her home.. Also, she was a charter member and Church Mother of New Covenant Christian Church where her son, Dr. Arnold E. Lakes, Sr. is the Pastor. The church gave her the name as "Mother on

Wheels.” Because, of her service to the saints young and old taking them where ever they needed to go. It was an honor for the church to give her a service “Queen Esther Court”. On February 14, 2016, she celebrated her 91st birthday at Willowbrook Manor. Many came out to celebrate with her and it was a joyous occasion. Her favorite scripture was Psalms 121. Her favorite saying was “If the Lord say so.” Mother Barbee loved the Lord and will be truly missed. She loved to sew and mentor young adults, collected all sorts of porcelain dolls, which she called her babies and was a wonderful cook. We must add that Mother was young at heart and was a jazzy dresser from her hats to her shoes.

Mother Georgia M. Barbee leaves to cherish her life and legacy: 4 sons, Dr. Arnold (Dr. Angelete) Lakes, Sr., Herbert Barbee, Dennis Barbee, Sr. and Quinton (Teresa) Barbee; sisters-in-law, Evelyn Ward and June Barbee; brother-in-law, Will Edwards, all of Flint; 20 grandchildren; 48 great-grandchildren; 18 great-great-grandchildren; a host of other relatives and many special friends.

Mother Barbee was preceded in death by her husband, Herbert Barbee, Sr.; daughter, Joyce Pollard; son, Jerry Lakes; parents, Isaiah and Carrie Lakes; sister, Rosalee Edwards and brother Jessie Lakes.

The family will like to send a special thank you to Dr. Sattar and Willowbrook Manor, Nurse Karen in Baldwin MI, Caregiver, Teresa Guy, Heartland Case Manager Leslie D., RN. Mother Barbee was so well loved that there are too many special friends to name, YOU KNOW WHO YOU ARE!

Cemetery Details

Gracelawn Cemetery

5710 N. Saginaw St.
Flint, MI 48505

Previous Events

Family Present

MAR 11. 1:00 PM - 3:00 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>

Public Viewing

MAR 11. 1:00 PM - 8:00 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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<http://www.lawrenceemoonfuneralhome.com>

Family hour

MAR 12. 10:30 AM (ET)

St. James C.O.G.I.C.
2229 W. Carpenter Rd.
Flint, MI

Service

MAR 12. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mother Georgia Mae Barbee*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Mother Georgia Mae Barbee: Dearest Friend. She was a woman who walked strong and powerfully by her Faith and trust in God and it was through that Faith that she came into the greatest “she was a Jesus child”. Today I Salute her with the greatest honor. Blessings to the family with Love and prayers.Pastor Annie Ferguson.*

Annie Ferguson - March 11, 2016 at 10:46 PM



“ *The family Mary Keyes: Gary, Allen, Gregory, Jeffery, Rodney, Joanne, Joyce send our prayer and love to you*



Joanne Batson - March 11, 2016 at 06:10 AM



“ *Emilia & Michael Williamson lit a candle in memory of Mother Georgia Mae Barbee*



Emilia & Michael Williamson - March 11, 2016 at 05:27 AM

RD

“ Ridley and Annie Lakes and daughters. purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mother Georgia Mae Barbee.



Ridley and Annie Lakes and daughters. - March 10, 2016 at 07:28 PM

BE

“ Bertha Barbee-McNeal on behalf of my late Mother Emergine purchased the Be My Love Bouquet with Red Roses for the family of Mother Georgia Mae Barbee.



Bertha Barbee-McNeal on behalf of my late Mother Emergine
- March 10, 2016 at 04:36 PM

PN

“ I love you Mrs Barbee. I wish you could of saw the woman I have grown into. I will always have sweet memories of you.



Portia Naylor - March 10, 2016 at 03:22 PM

CS

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with our Flint family as you celebrate the life of our matriarch, Georgia Mae Barbee. We love you and lift you up in God's Arms. In Comfort and Peace, Cassandra on behalf of the Ways-Lakes Family Reunion.

Cassandra Smith - March 10, 2016 at 01:08 PM

AB

“ *Althea Barbee lit a candle in memory of Mother Georgia Mae Barbee*



althea barbee - March 10, 2016 at 07:11 AM

OW

“ *To the Lakes and Barbee families, May God strengthen and sustain you at this very difficult time. It is my prayer that your fond memories of Mrs. Georgia will help you to accept God's perfect will.*



Okella Lane Wiggins - March 09, 2016 at 10:26 PM

 Phyllis Hill

“ *Phyllis Hill lit a candle in memory of Mother Georgia Mae Barbee*

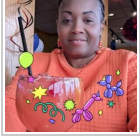


Phyllis Hill - March 09, 2016 at 07:18 PM

 Phyllis Hill

“ *I will never forget the days of gardening together having family dinners after we've worked long days out in the field also sewing she was truly a jewel physically gone but will never ever be forgotten*

Phyllis Hill - March 09, 2016 at 07:11 PM



“ *Our prayers to our cousins. We thank GOD for such a beautiful treasure HE gave us in cousin Georgia Mae. Such a jewel, and flower. Always in our hearts. The Vaughn Wright Family*



Ra Davis - March 09, 2016 at 12:41 PM



“ *My Best and Dearest Friend. She was a woman who walked strong and powerfully by her Faith and trust in God and it was through that Faith that she came into the greatest "I AM's of God". For 91 years He guarded her Heart and her Mind with a Peace that surpassed all understanding of the vicissitudes of life. Today I Salute her with the greatest honor. Blessings to my family with Much Love...Evelyn Robinson*

Evelyn Robinson - March 09, 2016 at 10:57 AM



“ *Evelyn Robinson lit a candle in memory of Mother Georgia Mae Barbee*



Evelyn Robinson - March 09, 2016 at 10:55 AM



“ *Janice Rogers and family.*



Janice Rogers - March 09, 2016 at 09:49 AM

KB

“ Keniya Berkley lit a candle in memory of Mother Georgia Mae Barbee



Keniya Berkley - March 09, 2016 at 08:50 AM

KB

“ I love you Granny and I miss you so much

Keniya Berkley - March 09, 2016 at 08:44 AM

PC

“ Phyllis Lakes and Children purchased the Garden of Serenity Bouquet for the family of Mother Georgia Mae Barbee.



Phyllis Lakes and Children - March 08, 2016 at 05:28 PM

FC

“ My deepest sympathy to your family. God will comfort you during this difficult time. (Romans 15:5)

Farmon & Irma Childress - March 08, 2016 at 04:40 AM

CH

“ We will love and miss you granny!



chantel - March 07, 2016 at 07:30 PM

LB

“ Lynn Barbee lit a candle in memory of Mother Georgia Mae Barbee



Lynn Barbee - March 07, 2016 at 09:53 AM

EF

Our prayers goes out to Mrs Georgia from the Singleton Family

Earline Singleton & Family - March 09, 2016 at 12:07 PM

CW

To Trina Berkley, and the Barbee & Lakes Families: We are praying that God will comfort you during your time of bereavment. When I heard of the passing of Mother Georgia Barbee, my mind went back to the "Good Ole Days" at New Covenant when our families would fellowship together after church on Sunday Nights. Mother Barbee would always have something good for us eat and she would cook the best "Sock It To Me" cake in a coffee can. Oh, the precious memories.

Supt. Samuel Marsh, Sr. & Family

Cheryl Williams-Marsh - March 10, 2016 at 11:43 AM

LB

My deepest sympathy to the Family! LaTunya Bright and family to the late Wayne Thomas Lakes! Rest In Peace!!!

LaTunya Bright - March 10, 2016 at 07:21 PM

AR

our prayer is with your family at this time , precious in the lord is the death of one of his saints brother and Sis. Robertson .

Albert and sandra robertson - March 10, 2016 at 11:35 PM