



## Mrs. Helen Gray

July 15, 1934 - May 3, 2024

GRAY, Mrs. Helen - Age 89, passed away Friday, May 3, 2024, at Maplewood Manor, Clio, MI. Family hour 10:00 AM Saturday May 18, 2024, at Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist Church, 4805 N. Saginaw St., with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM, Rev. Dr. Henry Fuller Jr., officiating. Interment Flint Memorial Park Cemetery, G-9506 N. Dort Hwy., Mt. Morris, MI. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the Church 10:00 AM Saturday. Mrs. Gray will lie in 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 Friday, with family present from 4:00 PM-6:00 PM. Mrs. Helen Gray was born July 15, 1934 in Wiggins, Mississippi, the daughter of Elmer and Goldlean Beatrice Taylor. Helen married John Gray in 1956 and moved to Flint, Michigan.

Helen was employed at Fisher Body I and Buick City, divisions of General Motors Corporation where she retired after 30 years of service. Helen was a faithful member of the Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist Church, faithfully serving on the Nurses Guild Ministry until her illness. She loved home gardening, fishing, shopping, interior decorating and keeping her yard beautiful with floral arrangements with her daughter, Kelika. Helen loved visiting with friends and family gatherings.

Mrs. Helen Gray leaves to cherish sweet memories: 3 daughters, Annie McGee, Shirley Anderson and Kelika Gray, all of Flint; grandchildren, Robert

Maurice McGee, Shon (Kim) Burney, Cedric (Tina) Simpkins and Ebony McGee; great-grandchildren, Antonio Williams, Lasha Burney, Cedricka Pita, Samora Simpkins, Kenicia Burney, Natori Burney, Jakhari Brown, Cedric B. Simpkins Jr., Cieara Simpkins, Elena Simpkins and Autum Simpkins; great-great-grandchildren, Kimberly Sumpter Williams, Laiyah Benavides, Jaysen Moore and Keion Williams III; sisters-in-law, Leanna Taylor Nelson of Wiggins, MS, Janie Marshall of Flint and Alice Dawson of Austin, TX; nephews, Bobby, Ray and Butch; nieces, Avanell, Pumpkin, Glenda, Rena, Brenda and Sandy; a host of other relatives and friends including special friends, Brenda Sales, Vanessa Jones and Dorothy Miller.

Mrs. Gray was preceded in death by her husband, John Gray; grandsons, Anthony Burney and Leon Anderson; great-great-granddaughter, Kimiya Sumpter; and parents, Elmer and Goldlean Beatrice Taylor; brother, L.C. Taylor; sisters, Ella Mae Gilner and Lola Mae McBride; son-in-law, Robert L. McGee.

# Cemetery Details

## Flint Memorial Park Cemetery

G-9506 N. Dort Hwy.  
Mt. Morris, MI 48458

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

MAY 17. 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](mailto:lemoonfhflint@gmail.com)  
<https://lawrenceemoonfuneralhome.com>

## Family Present

MAY 17. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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Flint, MI 48505  
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## Family hour

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MAY 18. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist Church  
4805 N. Saginaw Street  
Flint, MI 48505

## Funeral Service

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MAY 18. 11:00 AM (ET)

Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist Church  
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Flint, MI 48505

# Tribute Wall

DW

“ *Derrek & Regina Williams sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Helen Gray*



Derrek & Regina Williams - May 23, 2024 at 10:09 AM

CM

“ *Caroline MILLER lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Helen Gray*



Caroline MILLER - May 18, 2024 at 10:18 AM

GT

“ *Geraldine Turner sent a virtual gift in memory of Helen Gray*



Geraldine Turner - May 18, 2024 at 08:54 AM

VM

“ *Virginia McDaniel sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Helen Gray*



Virginia McDaniel - May 15, 2024 at 03:13 AM

ET

“ *Edith Tucker lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Helen Gray*



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**Edith Tucker** - May 14, 2024 at 07:55 PM

KB

“ *Keith Barfield sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Helen Gray*



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**Keith Barfield** - May 14, 2024 at 12:11 PM

ET

“ *Ernestine Taylor lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Helen Gray*



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**Ernestine Taylor** - May 14, 2024 at 11:38 AM

AW

“ *Annette Woodley lit a candle in memory of Helen Gray*



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**Annette Woodley** - May 14, 2024 at 12:07 AM

KR

“ *Kermit & Genell (Crain) Reeves lit a candle in memory of Helen Gray*



Kermit & Genell (Crain) Reeves - May 13, 2024 at 08:20 PM

JH

“ *JoAnn Harris lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Helen Gray*



JoAnn Harris - May 13, 2024 at 07:53 AM

JH

“ *Annie and Shirley, I was truly saddened to hear that Helen had passed. May God grant you peace, comfort, and strength. She was one of a kind and I loved her too. You know that she was my 2nd Mother. Love you both.*  
*JoAnn Harris*

JoAnn Harris - May 13, 2024 at 07:52 AM

JM

“ *James & Barbara Moore lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Helen Gray*



James & Barbara Moore - May 13, 2024 at 05:29 AM

MT

“ *Martha Taylor lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Helen Gray*



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**martha taylor** - May 10, 2024 at 12:48 PM

SY

“ *Stephanie Young lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Helen Gray*



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**Stephanie Young** - May 09, 2024 at 10:05 PM

PT

“ *Pamela Thompson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Helen Gray*



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**Pamela Thompson** - May 09, 2024 at 07:34 PM

EQ

“ *EQC lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Helen Gray*



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**EQC** - May 08, 2024 at 02:26 PM

BW

“ My heart was saddened when I heard of Mrs. Gray's passing. She was an active and proud member and loved her church family Mt. Calvary MB .Church. She made sure Kaleika was at church and she (Kaleika) even sang in the choir. Praying for Kaleika and the rest of the family, God give comfort and strength during this time of bereavement. Mrs Gray is loved and will be missed.



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**Betty Wesley** - May 08, 2024 at 01:20 PM

LP

“ Lynda Pitts lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Helen Gray



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**Lynda Pitts** - May 08, 2024 at 09:56 AM

SB

“ Sandra Berty-Patton sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Helen Gray



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**Sandra Berty-Patton** - May 07, 2024 at 11:35 PM

SB

“ Shirley, I am so regretful of the loss of your dear mother. My sincere prayer is always with you and your family.  
Your friend,  
Sandra Patton

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**Sandra Berty-Patton** - May 07, 2024 at 11:26 PM

LA

“ *Latasha Anderson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Helen Gray*



Latasha Anderson - May 07, 2024 at 06:12 PM

FS

“ *Faye Starling sent a virtual gift in memory of Helen Gray*



Faye Starling - May 07, 2024 at 07:41 AM

LE

“ *Annie and Shirley,our deepest condolences go out to all of your entire family.*



LEWIS - May 06, 2024 at 07:48 PM

DD

“ *Dora Daniels lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Helen Gray*



Dora Daniels - May 06, 2024 at 05:31 PM

LH

“ Mrs Gray, you will truly be missed. I love you, I'm Praying for the family. GOD is your Comfort and Strength.



linda hamilton - May 06, 2024 at 05:08 PM

DS

“ So sorry to hear of the passing of Mrs. Gray. She was such a dedicated member of Mt. Calvary M.B.Church, she and Kelieka. Mrs. Gray was such a loving and kind person who lived her church family and we loved her. She will certainly be missed. Praying comfort and peace for the family.



Deidre Spight-Woodson - May 06, 2024 at 04:08 PM

TW

“ Tam Webb-Blount sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Helen Gray



Tam Webb-Blount - May 06, 2024 at 03:57 PM

BB

“ Briana Brown lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Helen Gray



Briana Brown - May 06, 2024 at 12:29 PM

BB

“ *Awwww grand we gone miss you..... Briana Ced Jr and Cici*

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**Briana Brown** - May 06, 2024 at 12:29 PM

PM

“ *Pat Moore lit a candle in memory of Mrs.  
Helen Gray*



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**Pat Moore** - May 06, 2024 at 11:57 AM