



## Irene Bryant

May 10, 1941 - September 15, 2011

BRYANT, Mrs. Irene - Age 70, passed away September 15, 2011 at her residence. Family hour 11 a.m. Friday, September 23, 2011 at Joy Tabernacle, 2505 N. Chevrolet Ave., with funeral service commencing at 11:30 a.m. Pastor R. Sherman McCathern officiating. Interment Gracelawn Community Cemetery, G-5710 N. Saginaw St. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 11 a.m. Friday. Mrs. Bryant will lie in state in Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may only be viewed Friday during family hour only. Mrs. Irene Bryant was born May 10, 1941 in Gregory, Arkansas, the daughter of Ted and Viola Turner. Irene attended grade school in Gregory, AR. In 1966, her family moved to Flint, where she remained and raised her kids. Mrs. Bryant worked at Bunche Elementary School as a Lunch Room Aide where she enjoyed every moment. In 2005, she became a member of Joy Tabernacle under the leadership of Rev. R. Sherman McCathern. Mrs. Bryant enjoyed cooking, doing puzzles and most of all spending time with her family. She leaves to cherish her memory: 7 children, Joslyn Turner, Carolyn Turner, Ernest Turner, Evelyn Turner, Carl Bryant, Felicia (Carl) Torrence and Odell Lamont Bryant; mother, Viola Turner; a host of grandchildren and great-grandchildren; 4 sisters, Arlean Turner, Victoria Turner, Catherine Jones and Anner Turner; 7 brothers, Ted Turner, John Turner, James Turner, Larry Turner, Charles Turner, Ishmeal Turner and Lionel Lee Turner; a host of nieces; nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends including special friends, Mary Woodyard, Mr. Ray and Mrs. Johnny.

Mrs. Bryant was preceded in death by her father, Ted Turner and granddaughter, Porsche Turner. The family would like to express special thanks to the staff at Grace Hospice, Mrs. Kim Cox, Min. Jowanne Carrigan and Mrs. Teresa Redds.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Irene Bryant*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *May God keep you on your journey to Heaven. You will be greatly missed.*

**LaKetta Rayford** - September 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *To Mrs. Viola Turner and the entire Turner Family,  
To God Be The Glory for Irene's life. We were both surprised to  
learn of her brief illness and subsequent death.*

*She was such a cheerful spirit who made us and others laugh no  
matter how bad the situation appeared*

*We will always remember her dedication to St. Peter CME Church  
and her family. Irene was sincerely dedication to the work of the  
church. She was a cheerful doorkeeper in God's house (Usher).  
Also, anytime there was a program or other event at the church  
which required food, Irene brought her excellent homecooked  
dishes. She always saved sweet potato pie for Derryl.*

*Irene's love for her mom and dad, Bro. Ted(Viola)Turner was  
unsurpassed. She demonstrated it daily as she helped to care for  
them both during their illness.*

*We're going to miss Irene but our life is better for having been  
touched by her life.*

**Art and Derryl Evans** - September 15, 2011 at 12:00 AM