



Mrs. Joyce Welch

December 9, 1944 - January 8, 2020

WELCH, Mrs. Joyce - Age 75, passed away Wednesday, January 8, 2020 at her residence.

Family hour 10:30 AM Saturday, January 18, 2020 at St. Paul Missionary Baptist Church, 2115 Coldwater Rd., with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM, Pastor Michael Pettigrew, officiating. Interment Flint Memorial Park Cemetery, G-9506 N. Dort Hwy. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the Church 10:30 AM Saturday. Mrs. Welch will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 1:00 PM-8:00 PM Friday, with family present from 4:00 PM-8:00 PM to receive friends. Mrs. Joyce Welch was born December 9, 1944 in Dekalb, Mississippi, the daughter of Essie and Lizzie Shears. Joyce was a resident of Flint, Michigan since 1965. She worked as a Manager at Pro Clean Coin & Laundry in the Beecher location until they closed. Joyce babysat for her great-grandchildren until her health declined. She was a member of St. Paul Missionary Baptist Church where she served on the Usher Board, Food Pantry, Kitchen Staff and Missionary Society. Joyce loved to find bargains and collected Windchimes. Her favorite pastime was watching the Food Network Channel where she never made a dish, but she was known in the family for her Fried Chicken. Her greatest accomplishment was her family. Joyce was the boss of her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren, and they all knew she was the boss.

Mrs. Joyce Welch leaves to cherish her memory: husband, Russel Welch of

Flint; daughter, Stephanie (Patrick) Welch-Lewis of Mt. Morris, MI; son, Jarvail Welch of Flint; grandchildren, Patrice Lewis of Burton, MI, Shanice Lewis and JaQuise Tripplett, both of Flint; great-grandchildren, Riley Lewis, Ryan Lewis, Jayson Osborn-Lewis, Roman Shustock and Royce Shustock; 3 sisters, Alneda Gibbs of Biloxi, MS, Doris Brown of Louisville, KY and Faye (Samuel) Welch of Dekalb, MS; sister-in-law, Anner Currie; 2 brothers-in-law, Randell (Augustine) Welch, all of Flint and James (Dorothy) Grady of Ocean Spring, MS; a host of other relatives and friends including special friends, Lossie Woodley and Lula Williams.

Mrs. Welch was preceded in death by her son, Russell Stephen Welch; parents, Essie and Lizzie Shears.

The family would like to express special thanks to McLaren Hospice, the Wiley and Singleton families.

Cemetery Details

Flint Memorial Park Cemetery

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

Previous Events

Public Viewing

JAN 17. 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)
lemoonfhflint@gmail.com
<http://www.lawrenceemoonfuneralhome.com>

Family Present

JAN 17. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Family hour

JAN 18. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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2115 Coldwater Rd.
Flint, MI 48505

Service

JAN 18. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Flint, MI 48505

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Joyce Welch*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Cheryl Reed lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch*



Cheryl Reed - January 20, 2020 at 11:22 PM



“ *Mavis Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch*



Mavis Johnson - January 18, 2020 at 09:16 PM



“ *Stephanie the Turner family send our condolences to you and your family prayers going up for peace in your hearts 🙏🙏❤️*



cynthia turner - January 18, 2020 at 02:55 PM

AE

“ Adell Eldridge lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch



Adell Eldridge - January 18, 2020 at 08:42 AM

RG

“ Raymond and Jill Gist

Raymond and Jill Gist - January 17, 2020 at 09:30 PM

RG

“ Raymond And Jill Gist lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch



Raymond and Jill Gist - January 17, 2020 at 09:26 PM

BD

“ Bobie Douglas lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch



Bobie Douglas - January 17, 2020 at 09:19 PM

YC

JOYCE we will alwsys remember your SMILE. Much LOVE . Coulter FAMILY

Yvonne Coulter - January 18, 2020 at 09:12 AM



“ 43 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home - January 17, 2020 at 02:38 PM

LB

“ Loretta Black lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch



Loretta Black - January 17, 2020 at 08:49 AM

JF

“ Jessie Brundidge And Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch



Jessie Brundidge and Family - January 16, 2020 at 07:17 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mrs. Joyce Welch.*



January 16, 2020 at 12:37 PM



“ *Vanessa Hicks lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch*



Vanessa Hicks - January 16, 2020 at 10:33 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Joyce Welch.*



January 16, 2020 at 10:10 AM



“ *Jacqueline Scott lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch*



Jacqueline Scott - January 16, 2020 at 09:48 AM

JH

“ James Hurd lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch



James Hurd - January 15, 2020 at 06:05 PM

SH

“ Sharon Hurd lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch



Sharon Hurd - January 15, 2020 at 06:03 PM

MD

“ Michele Davis sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch



Michele Davis - January 15, 2020 at 12:13 PM

KS

“ Karen Spiller-Houston sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch



Karen Spiller-Houston - January 13, 2020 at 01:20 PM

EM

“ To the Welch(Currie) families, sympathy extended to you. God Will Take Care of You.
EMoore



Elexis Moore - January 13, 2020 at 10:14 AM

TB

“ Timiya Banks lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch



Timiya Banks - January 12, 2020 at 08:45 PM

EV

“ Elaine Vaughn sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch



Elaine Vaughn - January 12, 2020 at 06:51 PM

TP

“ Tonya Price lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch



Tonya Price - January 12, 2020 at 03:51 PM

EG

“ My thoughts and prayers go out to the Welch and Lewis families. Esther and Darlas (Gentry)-Thompson



Esther Gentry-Thompson - January 12, 2020 at 10:43 AM

P(

“ To the family of Sister Welch . You all have my prayer. In this time of need. Sister Welch was a strong person. I enjoyed sitting with her and my mom at church. They did not know how to whisper. We also had a lot of special memories of her coming over to my moms house. May you Rest In Peace. Wish I wish I could have made it home. But if it's snow in Texas , I definitely know it's snow there. Love you Stephanie you take care.

Patricia Walker (woodley) - January 12, 2020 at 09:02 AM

DB

“ Debra Brady lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch



Debra Brady - January 12, 2020 at 07:56 AM

CS

“ My deepest condolences to you and the family during this time. I will continue to keep you and the family in my prayers and thoughts. I love you all my Buc Town family.
Casandra Sharp



Casandra Sharp - January 12, 2020 at 12:02 AM



“ *Sylvia Self lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch*



Sylvia Self - January 11, 2020 at 11:44 PM



“ *Alma Reid lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch*



Alma Reid - January 11, 2020 at 11:28 PM



“ *Elounda Watts,/mcneal sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch*



Elounda Watts,/mcneal - January 11, 2020 at 11:27 PM



“ *Elounda Watts,/mcneal lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch*



Elounda Watts,/mcneal - January 11, 2020 at 11:23 PM

EW

“ Elounda Watts,/mcneal lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch



Elounda Watts,/mcneal - January 11, 2020 at 11:22 PM

EW

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Elounda Watts,/mcneal - January 11, 2020 at 11:22 PM

CA

“ Sorry for your loss, My Welch Family. My prayers are with yall during this difficult time. I'm here if you need me. Love always, Lynette & family



Carol Lynette Adams - January 11, 2020 at 08:28 PM

PW

“ PAMELA WITHERSPOON lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch



PAMELA WITHERSPOON - January 11, 2020 at 05:40 PM

CA

“ *Deepest sympathy may God bless you and your family luv ya Stephaine Carmon and Faye Billings*



carmonbillings - January 11, 2020 at 05:31 PM

SF

“ *Sending prayers to you and your family and friends. Sorry for your loss girl too Hold the memories of her in your heart because no one can take them away from you girl. Love hugs and kisses coming your way too. The Lord is going to give you strength and comfort to get through this difficult time. I known the Welch family a very long time. She will be truly miss.*



Shirie Wade and family - January 11, 2020 at 05:27 PM

ST

“ *Saying prayers for strength and comfort during this time. Sending hugs of love. May God continue to uplift and guide you my friend.*

Love, Sheila & Bubbalicious



Sheila Thorn - January 11, 2020 at 05:16 PM

JM

“ My prayers and thoughts are with you Stephanie and your family. I pray for continued strength, and peace in the quite moments. Let your faith continue to guide you. Love to you and all your family.



Joyce Mustafaa-Douglas - January 11, 2020 at 03:54 PM

PO

“ Deepest condolences and hugs to you during this time.. 🙏



Portia Odom - January 11, 2020 at 03:45 PM

EB

“ Ezra And Linda Barnes lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch



Ezra and Linda Barnes - January 11, 2020 at 03:33 PM

ML

“ Ms. Gina Lee sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch



Ms. Gina Lee - January 11, 2020 at 03:17 PM

RS

“ Sending my condolences to Stephanie Welch and family Mrs. Welch will definitely be missed 😞 I have known her all my lifewhat a beautiful person.... love Tonya Singleton and family.



Rotunda Singleton - January 11, 2020 at 02:48 PM

SL

“ Sorry for your lost Patrice love you and praying for you and your family

shay lyles - January 11, 2020 at 02:46 PM

PL

Thank you Shay.
-Patrice

Patrice Lewis - January 15, 2020 at 11:30 AM

TM

“ Tonya McNeal lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch



Tonya McNeal - January 11, 2020 at 02:46 PM

RH

“ My prayers are with the family...May GOD strengthen you.

Regina Horton - January 11, 2020 at 02:31 PM

GJ

“ Gary And Marcia Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch



Gary and Marcia Jackson - January 11, 2020 at 02:01 PM

ZB

“ Zandra Blake lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch



Zandra Blake - January 11, 2020 at 01:41 PM

TW

“ Tamora Watson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch



Tamora Watson - January 11, 2020 at 01:39 PM

DW

“ Doris Walker lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch



Doris Walker - January 11, 2020 at 01:31 PM

HB

Sending Condolences to the family of Mrs. Joyce Welch a real nice Lady

Homer Bond - January 11, 2020 at 01:37 PM

PR

“ *To the Welch Family:*

I was sorry to hear about the passing of your loved ones. Death is liken to a thief that comes and takes away our love ones. Or due to old age and sickness we lose that precious gift of life that leads to death.

However, have you ever asked: Is death the end of it all? Or is there something else after death? The bible clears up any question we might have about death. It also shows that there is a real hope for persons who have faith.

*Yours truly,
Patricia*

Patricia Rison - January 11, 2020 at 01:21 PM



MD

“ *Praying for the Welch family my condolences to you all Love you all*

Michelle Doby - January 11, 2020 at 01:04 PM





“ *Roberta Jamison lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch*



Roberta Jamison - January 11, 2020 at 11:09 AM

HB

Lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch a real nice Lady

Homer Bond - January 11, 2020 at 01:34 PM

MC

“ *Mary Coleman lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch*



Mary Coleman - January 11, 2020 at 07:58 AM

RS

“ *RE-NAYE SANDERS lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch*



RE-NAYE SANDERS - January 11, 2020 at 04:53 AM

BH

“ *Brenda Harrison lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch*



Brenda Harrison - January 11, 2020 at 12:05 AM

MD

“ *Michele Davis sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch*



Michele Davis - January 10, 2020 at 10:37 AM

KB

“ *Karla Bowen lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch*



Karla Bowen - January 10, 2020 at 10:24 AM

OC

“ *Otis & Debra Cheatom lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch*



Otis & Debra Cheatom - January 10, 2020 at 10:11 AM

RJ

“ *REV. JACKSON lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch*



REV. JACKSON - January 10, 2020 at 08:12 AM

PO

“ *Portia Odom sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch*



Portia Odom - January 10, 2020 at 07:10 AM

Jill
Harris

“ *Jill Harris sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch*



Jill Harris - January 09, 2020 at 06:50 PM

AP

“ *Stephanie, we are keeping you and your family up in our prayers.*



Anna Kelley Pinnix - January 09, 2020 at 06:32 PM

JH

“ *Jill Harris lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch*



Jill harris - January 09, 2020 at 06:31 PM

LP

“ *Stephanie I'm sending my condolences to you and your family. Blessed are those who mourn. For they shall be comforted. Matthew 5:4*



Lisa Payton - January 09, 2020 at 02:01 PM

PW

“ *Pamela Williams sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch*



Pamela Williams - January 09, 2020 at 01:22 PM

FC

“ *Francis Coleman sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Joyce Welch*



Francis Coleman - January 09, 2020 at 01:06 PM

FT

“ Stephanie..
We are praying for you and your family.
Love Fra Thomas and family



Fra Thomas - January 09, 2020 at 10:48 AM

LC

“ Prayers for the entire Family
Matthew 5:4 KJV
Blessed are they that mourn: for they shall be
comforted.



Loria Corder - January 09, 2020 at 09:12 AM

KM

“ Stephanie I'm praying for you and your family.



Kim Moore - January 09, 2020 at 08:59 AM

HB

Lit a candle for Mrs. Joyce Welch a real nice Lady

Homer Bond - January 11, 2020 at 02:31 PM