



Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates

December 20, 1955 - April 14, 2014

GATES, Mrs. Judy Alberta - age 58, passed away Monday, April 14, 2014 at St. Dominic Hospital-Jackson, MS. Family hour 10 a.m. Saturday, April 26, 2014 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd. with funeral service commencing at 11 a.m. Pastor Latrelle W. Holmes, Sr. officiating. Interment Sunset Hills Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the funeral home 10 a.m. Saturday. Mrs. Gates will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, and may be viewed from 12 p.m.-8 p.m. Friday.

Mrs. Judy Alberta (Davis) Gates was born on December 20, 1955 in North Carrollton, Mississippi to Clarence & Abi Lena Davis. She was employed by AC Spark Plug (Delphi) a Division of General Motors, and retired after 25 years of service. Judy was a member of Greater Galilee Baptist Church serving on the Nurses Guild until she moved back to her home state of Mississippi. She enjoyed reading, playing computer games and a good southern meal with her family. She found her most enjoyment by spending time with her husband, children, and grandchildren. Judy was a kind-hearted, soft-spoken person and devoted friend, who would never turn away anyone in need, and because of this she was known as "Nana" to many.

Mrs. Judy Gates leaves in God's care: her beloved husband, Rufus Gates; 2 devoted daughters, Stephanie (Deshon) Dixon and Tamala (Antonio)

Johnson, both of Jackson, MS; 2 loving step-daughters, Joi and Rachele Gates, both of Flint; 9 adoring grandchildren, Antwan Dixon, Sequoyia Jones, Alexander Givens II, Ashanni Dukes and Deshari Bedenfield, all of Flint, Zenais, Antonio, Jr., Olivia and Bryce Johnson all of Jackson, MS; sister Supt. Earlie (Elder Samuel) Peppers of Ann Arbor, MI; 4 brothers, Eld. Robert (Beatrice) Davis of Carrollton, MS, Leroy Davis, Richard Davis, and Ernest (Valerie) Davis all of Flint; 3 sisters-in-laws, Dr. Ernestine Riggs of Chicago, IL, Germaine (Gilbert) Davis of Warrior, AL, and Linda (Claude) Williams of Grand Blanc, MI; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends, including long-time friends, LaVaughn Marve of Montrose, MI, Obbie Tyson and Mildred Larkin both of Flint, MI.

Judy Gates was welcomed in heaven by: her daughter, Fiona Givens; son, Alexander Givens, Sr.; parents; grandparents; sister, Willye Paul Davis; 3 brothers, Archie Lee Davis, Clarence, Jr. and Andrew Davis; mother-in-law, Sylvia Gates; father-in-law, Rufus Gates, Sr.; sister-in-law, Gwen Davis; and brother-in-law, Leonard Strozier.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Hills Cemetery

G-4413 Flushing Rd.
Flint, MI 48504

Previous Events

Public Viewing

APR **25**. 12:00 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 hour

APR **26**. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates*



Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home - April 25, 2014 at 08:23 AM



“ *Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *I love you ma*



Stephanie Dixon - December 27, 2014 at 06:30 AM



“ *I hope this message gives yourvfamoly a measure of comfort.
<http://www.jw.org/en/publications/books/dead-live-again-tract/dead-live-again/>*

T. Ivy - April 29, 2014 at 06:51 AM

SK

“ *Sister Willie Paul's Kids lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates*



Sister Willie Paul's Kids - April 25, 2014 at 08:03 AM

BV

“ *Brother Earnest & Valorie lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates*



Brother Earnest & Valorie - April 25, 2014 at 08:02 AM

BV

“ *Brother Earnest % Valorie lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates*



Brother Earnest % Valorie - April 25, 2014 at 08:01 AM

BR

“ *Brother Richard lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates*



Brother Richard - April 25, 2014 at 08:00 AM

BB

“ *Brother Bob & Bea lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates*



Brother Bob & Bea - April 25, 2014 at 07:59 AM

BB

“ *Brother Bob And Aunt Bea lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates*



Brother Bob and Aunt Bea - April 25, 2014 at 07:58 AM

LU

“ *Lucille lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates*



lucille - April 23, 2014 at 04:54 PM

TD

“ *Tena Davis lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates*



Tena Davis - April 23, 2014 at 02:53 PM

KD

“ *Kell Duckworth sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates*



Kell Duckworth - April 22, 2014 at 06:36 PM

MW

“ *Michelle Walker lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates*



Michelle Walker - April 22, 2014 at 12:21 PM

HW

“ *Helen Matthews Wells lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates*



Helen Matthews Wells - April 21, 2014 at 09:00 AM

SF

“ *Sharon Fleming lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates*



Sharon Fleming - April 21, 2014 at 08:38 AM



“ *Janet Riley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates*



Janet Riley - April 19, 2014 at 07:49 PM



“ *Megan Hale lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates*



Megan Hale - April 19, 2014 at 07:43 PM



“ *Katrina Nickson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates*



katrina nickson - April 19, 2014 at 01:36 PM



“ *To the Family of Mrs. Judy Gates,
May you find comfort during this difficult time, by considering the finest basis of encouragement, God's Word the Bible. The scripture at Psalms 146:5,9 assures us that God shows loving concern for bereaved ones. My sincere condolences for the family of Mrs. Judy Gates.*

Sandra - April 19, 2014 at 11:04 AM

AU

“ Audrey lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates



Audrey - April 19, 2014 at 09:42 AM

MI

“ I Can not believe you are gone. You were my first friend when I first moved to Flint. Our girls played together, got spankings together. I have so many wonderful, funny, and tearful memories with you. You will always be missed and loved. Judy, how do I say goodbye, I loved you like my sisters. I know you are in a better place now. But my heart still feels heavy. May you forever rest in peace. I pray for strength for this family and know I am only a phone call away. Love you.



Mildred - April 19, 2014 at 12:17 AM

JD

“ Janice Davis lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates



Janice Davis - April 18, 2014 at 10:18 PM



“ Stephanie Dixon lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates



Stephanie Dixon - April 18, 2014 at 10:02 PM



“ Steven Davis lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates



Steven Davis - April 18, 2014 at 08:51 PM



“ Gerri lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates



Gerri - April 18, 2014 at 08:48 PM



“ This was an outstanding woman of God. Who will never leave my heart . -Love your grandson. Antwan

Zy'mere Kreshe Tymes - April 18, 2014 at 02:33 PM

TJ

“ Tammy Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates



Tammy Johnson - April 18, 2014 at 11:17 AM

TJ

This candle is lighted for you, mama! I love ya!

Tammy Johnson - April 18, 2014 at 11:18 AM

AN

“ Angilena lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Judy Alberta Gates



Angilena - April 16, 2014 at 01:56 PM