



Mrs. Laura Ann Maberry

October 27, 1942 - December 2, 2021

MABERRY, Mrs. Laura Ann - Age 79, passed away Thursday, December 2, 2021 at McLaren-Flint. Family hour 10:00 AM Tuesday, December 14, 2021 at The Church of God, 1513 Kent St., with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM, Pastor Lawrence Washington Sr., 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 Tuesday. Mrs. Maberry 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 Monday, with family present from 4:00 PM-6:00 PM to receive friends. Laura Ann Maberry was born on October 27, 1942 in Benton, Mississippi, the daughter of Phillip and Octavia Stubberfield. Laura was one of seven "Stubberfield" children. In July 1964, Laura married Joseph P. Maberry in Yazoo County, MS. A year later, they moved to Chicago, Illinois. In 1970 they moved to Flint, Michigan and called it home for the remainder of their lives. Sister Laura accepted the Lord as her personal savior as a child in Mississippi. She was a member of the Church of God in Christ (COGIC) organization while living in Mississippi and Illinois. In 1970 after moving to Flint, Michigan, Sister Laura joined Ruth Street Church of God under the leadership of the late Pastor Namon Marshall Sr. Sister Laura was a founding member of The Church of God, established in 1980, under the leadership of the late Pastor Roy Bibbs Jr. She continued her spiritual walk under the leadership of Pastor Lawrence Washington Sr., current pastor of The Church of God Kent Street. Sister Laura was a faithful

servant in the church. Sister Laura served as the church's financial secretary for over 30 years. She was the first Vacation Bible School (VBS) Director and served faithfully in that role for many years. Sister Laura was an active member of the Women's Department, Pastor's Aide (Women of Zion), Missionary/Teacher's Ministry, and Program Committee. She taught Sunday School and served on The Church of God Kent Street's Executive Board. Sister Laura was a strong supporter of Christian Education and coordinated the Annual Mother-Daughter Luncheon whose proceeds supported Vacation Bible School each summer. She sang in the Adult Choir for a short time; leading the song "Reach Out and Touch the Lord". Sister Laura was formally educated in Yazoo County, MS, and earned the honor of valedictorian for the 1963 graduating class of Linwood High School. She later received a Bachelor of Science Degree in Education from the University of Michigan-Flint and a Master of Arts Degree in Education from the University of Michigan-Ann Arbor. Sister Laura retired from Flint Community Schools after a successful teaching career that lasted more than 30 years. She spent the majority of her career teaching at Cody Elementary School. She also taught at Martin, Summerfield, Eisenhower and McKinley Schools. Sister Laura Maberry was blessed to share 40 years of marital bliss with her husband Joseph Maberry, who preceded her in death. She was a loving mother to her only daughter, Kimberly Ann Maberry and special nephew, who was like a son to her, Dexter Johnson. She was a caring grandmother to all five of her grandchildren. Laura Ann Maberry leaves to cherish sweet memories: her only daughter, Kimberly A. Maberry of Flint; nephew, Dexter (Codeona) Johnson of Grand Blanc, MI; 5 grandchildren, Lauren, Marzel Jr., Markus, Mackenzie, Micah Paylor and their father, Marzel Paylor Sr. of Conyers, GA; great-nephew, Dekai Johnson; brother:, Ernest (Velma) Stubberfield; sister, Georgia (Lonnie) Johnson, all of Chicago, IL; sisters-in-law, Logie Stubberfield of Schaumburg, IL, Delores Maberry of Burton, MI, Earnestine Maberry of Jackson, MS; brothers-in-law, Earl (Herticene) Maberry Jr. of Jackson, MS, and Calvin (Betty) Maberry Sr. of Flint; special nieces, Vicky Garrett and Diana Wright; special great-niece,

Tasha Donald, all of Flint; god-children, Maurice Dantzler of Memphis, TN, Jonique S. Donald, Toya Smith, Quanda Moss, Antoinette Abron, all of Flint Erica Johnson of Chicago, IL; special friend and prayer partner, Mother Doris Collins; special friends, Missionary Margaret Gonzalez, Pastor Napoleon (Gladys) Earl, Mother Vivian Offutt and Daisy Motley; a host of relatives and friends. Sister Maberry was preceded in death by her husband, Deacon Joseph Maberry; parents, Phillip and Octavia Stubberfield; siblings, James Stubberfield, Lucy Mae Digby, Earlene Johnson and Leroy Stubberfield; and close friend, Mother Ella Whiteside. The family would like to express heartfelt appreciation for all the love, prayers and condolences received during their time of bereavement. A special thanks to Marquita Collins, Tasha Donald, Pastor Lawrence and Lady Carolynn Washington, Sr. and the Church of God family, for their help and support.

Cemetery Details

Flint Memorial Park Cemetery

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

Previous Events

Public Viewing

DEC 13. 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
<https://lawrenceemoonfuneralhome.com>

Family Present

DEC 13. 4:00 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
<https://lawrenceemoonfuneralhome.com>

Family hour

DEC 14. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

The Church of God
1513 Kent St,
Flint, MI 48503

Funeral Service

DEC 14. 11:00 AM (ET)

The Church of God
1513 Kent St,
Flint, MI 48503

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Laura Ann Maberry*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *I know God is well pleased with her. She befriended me my first year teaching at Cody school. She was someone I looked up to as a mentor because she carried herself with excellence. My condolences to the entire Maberry family, especially Diana Wright.*

Kecia Spencer (Pollard-Carter) - January 07, 2022 at 04:43 PM



“ *Vinita Evans lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Laura Ann Maberry*



Vinita Evans - December 14, 2021 at 09:23 AM



“ *Elnora Urquhart sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Laura Ann Maberry*



Elnora Urquhart - December 13, 2021 at 07:35 PM

SH

“ Wonderful teacher who put the students first.
Heaven has gained an angel. Rest on my
friend.



Shirley Henderson - December 13, 2021 at 01:08 PM

TK

She was one of my favorite teachers may god rest her soul.

Timothy kozol - December 14, 2021 at 01:00 PM

EH

“ Earlene Hildreth sent a virtual gift in memory of
Mrs. Laura Ann Maberry



Earlene Hildreth - December 13, 2021 at 06:15 AM

EH

“ Earlene Hildreth sent a virtual gift in memory of
Mrs. Laura Ann Maberry



Earlene Hildreth - December 13, 2021 at 06:12 AM

DK

“ *Diane Kirksey lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Laura Ann Maberry*



Diane Kirksey - December 11, 2021 at 06:46 PM

BD

“ *Brenda Duckett-Greer lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Laura Ann Maberry*



Brenda Duckett-Greer - December 10, 2021 at 05:42 PM

VK

“ *Vivian Kelley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Laura Ann Maberry*



Vivian Kelley - December 10, 2021 at 02:26 PM

VT

“ *Valerie Toles6 sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Laura Ann Maberry*



Valerie toles6 - December 09, 2021 at 06:48 PM

PV

“ *Penny Vickers lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Laura Ann Maberry*



Penny Vickers - December 08, 2021 at 12:20 PM

PG

“ *Pastor's Aide Kent Street Church Of God purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mrs. Laura Ann Maberry.*



Pastor's Aide Kent Street Church Of God - December 07, 2021 at 10:42 AM

MP

“ *I have always admired Sister Laura. She was an excellent educator, and a great example of a christian, helper, lady, mother, wife. She always wore the most beautiful outfits with hats. I remember the days of her Mother and Daughter breakfast's to raise money for Vacation Bible School, and the many duties she performed faithfully for Kent Street COG. She was always supportive of my husband's, Brother Little John, work in the church, even when others were not. It was a pleasure to have known her. God bless Kimberly and the grandchildren. Sister Laura left a great legacy for your family. With lots of love,
Sister Marietta Phinisee*

Marietta Phinisee - December 06, 2021 at 11:00 AM

BE

“ *Billie Edwards lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Laura Ann Maberry*



Billie Edwards - December 06, 2021 at 05:51 AM

MR

“ *Mary Releford lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Laura Ann Maberry*



Mary Releford - December 04, 2021 at 11:30 PM

VT

“ *Valerie Toles sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Laura Ann Maberry*



Valerie toles - December 03, 2021 at 08:57 PM