



Mrs. Margaret C. Gillard

November 14, 1933 - March 23, 2015

GILLARD, Mrs. Margaret C. - Age 81, passed away Monday, March 23, 2015 at her residence. Memorial service will commence at 2 p.m. Saturday, March 28, 2015 at Kingdom Hall - Jehovah Witness, 1187 S Dye Rd. Brother Don Brown Officiating. Family and friends will assemble at the hall 2 p.m. Saturday. There will be no public viewing.

Mrs. Margaret C. Gillard was born in Olmstead, Illinois on November 14, 1933. Born to the union of Mr. and Mrs. James P. Sr. and Pearl (Woods) Walker. She was one of Jehovah's Witness where she attended the Western Hills Congregation. Mrs. Gillard was employed with Hurley Medical Center in 1977. Where she worked as a Nurse Manager in Pediatrics 2-E, and was later promoted to Co-director of nursing. Mrs. Gillard was responsible for assuring the quality of patient care, staff, nursing units and problem-solving. Mrs. Gillard retired in 1995. She was a founding member and the first president of the Flint Professional Black Nurses Association from 1979-1986. Mrs. Gillard has numerous awards and citations for her work in the medical field and volunteer work.

Margarett enjoyed gardening, reading, writing, and spending time with her grandchildren. She was very loving and supportive to all who knew her. She leaves to cherish her memories: husband, Mr. Ray Gillard Sr. of Flint, MI; daughters, Barbara (Emmanuel) Smith of Flint, MI, Terri E. Gillard of Chicago, IL; son, Derrick Gillard of Flint, MI; grandchildren, Tracee and Paris Smith of

Stafford, TX, Hart Gillard of Flint, MI, Alex Komaromi of South Lyon, MI; sisters, Minister Helen Turner, Alma Cooper and Bessie Walker of Flint, MI; brother, James P. Walker Jr. of Flushing, MI; special nieces, LaTonya Turner and Jewel Boykin; cousin, Earline Jones of Springfield, IL; a host of other relatives and friends including special friends, Mrs. Tommie Davis, Mrs. Mattie Hatter, Mrs. Margaret Baron, Mrs. Flo Green, Glen Fosdick, Phil Dutcher, Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Dismond, and Dr. N. Gersch.

Mrs. Gillard is preceded in death by daughter, Debra Gillard and son, Ray Gillard Jr.; parents, Mr. and Mrs. James P. Sr. and Pearl (Woods) Walker.

The family would like to extend special thanks to Willowbrook Manner, U of M Hospital, Angeline RN, Keith RN, Alana RN, and Hurley Medical Center Staff and friends.

Previous Events

Service

MAR **28**. 2:00 PM (ET)

Kingdom Hall-Dye Road
1187 S. Dye Rd.
Flint, MI 48532

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Margaret C. Gillard*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Margaret Gillard was my head nurse in the 70s. she was good to her staff and was especially cooperative with those trying to continue their education. Known to be an incredibly fair woman and one who knew how to make things work smoothly. She was a special person with great character. Rest in peace Margaret. Janie Judd*

Jane M Judd - March 12, 2020 at 04:35 PM



“ *Hi mama, life is truly not the same without you. I had you for 62 years. What a blessing. I know you can't hear me but Jehovah can. He understands my feelings. We will see you soon in the resurrection. Love Barb*

Barb Smith - November 14, 2016 at 06:30 PM



“ *My prayers are with the family of Margaret. She was my head nurse in the 70's and was a great person to work with.*



betty Knapp - March 30, 2015 at 04:52 PM

GS

“ *Gloria Stoudamire lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret C. Gillard*



Gloria Stoudamire - March 30, 2015 at 11:47 AM

AM

“ *Almeta Milow lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret C. Gillard*



Almeta Milow - March 29, 2015 at 06:11 PM

BF

“ *Brenda Adams & Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret C. Gillard*



Brenda Adams & family - March 28, 2015 at 03:58 PM

MP

“ *Margaret was a great mentor and encouraged me to continue my education journey; she hired me and show me how to be professional at all times. I loved how even after retirement Margaret and Ray would come and visit PEDs, and Ray always had some sort of treat for us. I am very thankful she was a part of my life.*

Mattie Pearson - March 28, 2015 at 05:50 AM

DM

“ Debra Miller lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret C. Gillard



Debra Miller - March 27, 2015 at 06:09 PM

FC

“ (Psalm 34:18)Jehovah is close to the brokenhearted;He saves those who are crushed in spirit.

Farmon&Irma Childress - March 27, 2015 at 05:33 PM

MO

“ Molly lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret C. Gillard



Molly - March 27, 2015 at 07:27 AM

EU

“ Elnora Crutchfield Urquhart lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret C. Gillard



Elnora Crutchfield Urquhart - March 26, 2015 at 08:50 PM

EU

To Ray and the Gillard Family,

It is so hard to understand the loss of a love one...but I hope you know that others are thinking of you, caring about you, and wishing you comfort and peace.

Lonnie and Cookie

Elnora Crutchfield Urquhart - March 26, 2015 at 08:54 PM

AC

“ *Alma Cooper lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret C. Gillard*



Alma Cooper - March 26, 2015 at 11:27 AM

SC

“ *Sister Alma Cooper lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret C. Gillard*



Sister Alma Cooper - March 26, 2015 at 11:26 AM

GC

“ *Gail Cooper lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret C. Gillard*



Gail cooper - March 26, 2015 at 11:23 AM



“ *Danielle Phillips lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret C. Gillard*



Danielle Phillips - March 25, 2015 at 07:29 PM