



Mrs. Margaret Phinisee Gonzalez

March 2, 1947 - December 24, 2024

GONZALEZ, Mrs. Margaret Phinisee - Age 77, passed away Tuesday, December 24, 2024, at her residence. Family hour 10:00 AM Friday, January 3, 2024, at Every Nation Church, 429 NB Chavez Dr., with funeral services commencing at 11:00 AM Co-Pastor Michael Stone, and Co-Pastor Tom Mattiuzzo, Rev. Harold Timberlake III, Eulogist. Interment Sunset Hills Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10:00 AM Friday. Mrs. Gonzalez 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 Thursday. With humble reverence and acceptance to God's will, we gather to honor the life and legacy of Margaret Phinisee Gonzalez. Margaret transitioned to the arms of her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ on December 24, 2024, at her residence surrounded by her family. Margaret was born on March 2, 1947, in Chicago, IL. She was the daughter of Elder Cleveland and Isabell (Granger) Phinisee. She was the youngest of 17 siblings. Margaret attended Jackson State College in Jackson, Mississippi. She later relocated from Mississippi to Flint, Michigan, where she was employed at Model Cities and the Flint Board of Education as a Substitute Teacher. Margaret accepted Christ at an early age and was a faithful member of Kent St. Church of God. Her life was a testament to her faith and devotion to God. She was a steadfast servant and fulfilled various roles as a missionary, Director of the Program Committee, as well as the Administrator on the Finance Committee and the proud director of the Kent

Street Church of God youth choir for over 30 years. Margaret was a gentle spirit who had empathy for all. That spirit alongside her gentle touch and unwavering support made her the embodiment of love, selflessness and service. She found comfort in the simplicities of life's pleasures. Her truest joy was found in the moments that she shared with her family and closest friends. Margaret Phinisee Gonzalez leaves to cherish her memory: one son, Mark (Tara) Phinisee of Oklahoma City, OK; 3 daughters, Darcel D.P. Clack, Victoria (Donald) Van Eck and Lisa Gonzalez of Flint, MI; 14 grandchildren and a host of great grandchildren; 2 sisters, Doris Collins and Lestine (Petros) Gheresus; 2 brothers, John (Gwen) Phinisee Sr., and David (Helen) Phinisee Sr., all of Flint, MI; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends, including Kent St. Church of God and Every Nation Assembly of God. Margaret was preceded in death by her husband Victor Gonzalez, her parents, Elder Cleveland Phinisee and Isabell (Granger) Phinisee; and 12 siblings. The family would like to express special thanks to her youngest daughter, Victoria Gonzalez, for the loving care she provided to her mother. The Medical Team Hospice which includes Claudia RN and the nurses for their attentiveness and special care. A'Maizie for providing music therapy which Margaret loved. Brenna, the patient and thoughtful Social Worker. Corey, the Chaplain, for scripture, reading and prayers. Pastor Lawrence Washington Sr. and the Kent Street Church of God family. Co-Pastor Michael R Stone, Co-Pastor Tom Mattiuzzo, and the Every Nation Assembly of God Church family.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Hills Cemetery

G-4413 Flushing Rd.
Flint, MI 48504

Previous Events

Public Viewing

JAN 2. 12:00 PM - 6:00 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

JAN 3. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Every Nation Assembly of God
429 Nb Chavez Dr
Flint, MI 48503
(810) 234-6246

Service

JAN 3. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

CW

“ *Camelia Williamson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Phinisee Gonzalez*



Camelia Williamson - January 13, 2025 at 05:25 PM

VD

“ *Verdell Duncan lit a candle in memory of Margaret Gonzalez*



Verdell Duncan - January 12, 2025 at 12:50 PM

LR

“ *Laura Payton-Rahmaad*



Laura Payton Rahmaad - January 08, 2025 at 08:56 AM

SM

“ *Sharon Mixon lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Phinisee Gonzalez*



Sharon Mixon - January 06, 2025 at 02:27 PM

MB

“ *Darcell, my heartfelt condolences to you and your family. Your mom was such a sweetheart. I'm praying for you all.*



Min. Lisa Banks - January 03, 2025 at 05:47 PM

LP

“ *Love: Donnie Roy & Dorothy S. Phinisee purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mrs. Margaret Phinisee Gonzalez.*

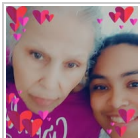


Love: Donnie Roy & Dorothy S. Phinisee - January 03, 2025 at 09:57 AM

MS

“ *May her memory be a blessing.*

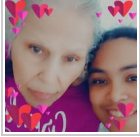
Marshall Sanders and Sharon Simeon - January 02, 2025 at 11:10 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Mom*



Tori Gonzalez-Van Eck - January 02, 2025 at 09:25 PM



“ 12 files added to the album Mom



Tori Gonzalez-Van Eck - January 02, 2025 at 09:19 PM



“ Julie Bush lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Phinisee Gonzalez



Julie Bush - January 01, 2025 at 02:38 PM



“ James and Yvonne Hall purchased the Small Garden Dish for the family of Mrs. Margaret Phinisee Gonzalez.



James and Yvonne Hall - January 01, 2025 at 01:27 PM

VS

“ Valerie Southall lit a candle in memory of Margaret Gonzalez



Valerie Southall - January 01, 2025 at 09:46 AM

CD

“ Clydell Duncan lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Phinisee Gonzalez



Clydell Duncan - January 01, 2025 at 07:48 AM

YS

“ Your Niece Sylvia purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mrs. Margaret Phinisee Gonzalez.



Your Niece Sylvia - December 31, 2024 at 09:50 PM

TG

“ Tresia Givens lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Phinisee Gonzalez



Tresia Givens - December 31, 2024 at 09:57 AM

VT

“ *Vatina Topps-Reynolds lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Phinisee Gonzalez*



Vatina Topps-Reynolds - December 31, 2024 at 05:31 AM

SA

“ *I am praying for the family. And so sorry for your loss. I have very fond memories of growing up around my Aunt Margaret and have witnessed her love for God. Rest in peace sweet Margaret.*



Sylvia Askew - December 30, 2024 at 08:12 PM

MP

“ *We are sending hugs and lots of love to our family. John Jr points out that Aunt Margaret was a true warrior. Always a willing worker in the church. She showed God's love and kindness. She always had a warm smile and cute giggle everytime we would see her. I enjoyed the 25 years working with her as an assistant Children's Choir Director at Kent Street Church of God. She taught me patience, perseverance, love, and so much more. I am glad that I told her these things when she was on this earth. I am happy that she is with God now. Blessings to her children and grandchildren. Marietta Phinisee*

Marietta Phinisee - December 29, 2024 at 07:47 PM

JW

She was a beautiful Lady yhat I was happy to know

Julia Williams - December 30, 2024 at 09:39 PM

JW

Special & Very Kind.

Julia Williams - December 31, 2024 at 10:19 PM

MW

“ You have our sincere condolences to your family in the loss of your Mother, grandmother, sister, aunt and dear friend. We are praying for your strength. The Wilkins, Freddie & Myrisha. ❤️🙏



Myrisha Wilkins - December 29, 2024 at 02:45 PM

PB

“ Praying for peace for our family that “passes all understanding”. My deepest sympathy.

Patricia Brown - December 28, 2024 at 02:36 PM

JP

“ John and Melonie Perkins lit a candle in memory of Margaret Gonzalez



John and Melonie Perkins - December 27, 2024 at 08:26 PM

ET

“ Ernelle Taylor lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Phinisee Gonzalez



Ernelle Taylor - December 27, 2024 at 09:27 AM

RT

“ *Rose Topps lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Phinisee Gonzalez*



Rose Topps - December 26, 2024 at 07:44 AM

JP

Lit a candle in memory of Mrs Margaret P Gonzalez

John and Melonie Perkins - December 27, 2024 at 04:18 AM

KE

“ *Kenneth lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Margaret Phinisee Gonzalez*



Kenneth - December 24, 2024 at 12:48 PM