



Mrs. Marion Helen Matthews

March 3, 1932 - June 12, 2015

MATTHEWS, Mrs. Marion Helen - Age 83, passed away Friday, June 12, 2015 at her residence. Family hour 10:30 a.m. Saturday, June 20, 2015 at Morningstar Missionary Baptist Church, 2120 N. Saginaw St., with funeral service commencing at 11 a.m. Pastor Keith Bigelow officiating. Interment Sunset Hills Association, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10:30 a.m. Saturday. Mrs. Matthews will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 0906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 12 p.m. - 8 p.m. Friday.

Mrs. Marion Helen Matthews was born March 3, 1932 in Eudora, Arkansas the daughter of Joseph and Victoria (Alexander) Ruffin. She was the second of eight children. Marion grew up being the only girl with 5 brothers, for sixteen years, before her sisters were born. She was loved beyond and above by her brothers. Marion was a member of Morningstar Missionary Baptist Church. She enjoyed spending time with her children, and especially her grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren. Marion was a great seamstress, and enjoyed Search Word books, helping and loving her family. She was a graduate of Chicot High school in Dermott, Arkansas, Class of 1951. Our mother was very honest with us. There was never any doubt where you were with her.

Mrs. Marion Helen Matthews leaves to cherish her memory: her 3 daughters, Beverly, Victoria and Tannis; 2 sons, Lewis III and Vincent; grandchildren,

Marion A., Patrick and Christian; great-grandchildren, DeAndre Matthews, Makai, Makayla and Lanaya Cannamore and Leah Matthews; 2 sisters, Jimmie (Charles) Winslow and Zelda (George) McRae; 3 brothers, Joseph Jr. (Rose), Leonard, Willie (Wanda) Ruffin; 2 aunts, Violet Alexander and Mary Ruffin; 2 sisters-in-law, Mrs. Elaine Ruffin and Mrs. Ruby Nell Matthews; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends including special friends Shirley Luckado-McReynolds, Mrs. Bessie Jackson and Mrs. Tommie Underwood.

Mrs. Marion Helen Matthews was preceded in death by her husband, Lewis C. Matthews, Jr.; grandson, Antoine Matthews; parents, Joseph and Victoria Ruffin; and brothers, Aaron and Jesse Ruffin.

The family would like to express special thanks to Pastor Keith J. Bigelow and the Morningstar Missionary Baptist Church family, and the many caring family members, friends, and neighbors that expressed their love for our mother while living and after her departure. A very special thanks to Dr. Hindi Ahmed and staff for their superior attention for our mothers care. Aunt Jimmie we are grateful and thankful for the time you spent helping and caring for our mother.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Hills Association

G-4413 Flushing Rd.
Flint, MI

Previous Events

Public Viewing

JUN **19**. 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

JUN **20**. 10:30 AM (ET)

Morningstar Missionary Baptist Church
4075 E. Atherton Rd.
Burton, MI 48519

Service

JUN **20**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Marion Helen Matthews*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *May My Great-Grandmother Rest In Peace
I Will Never Regret A Day Spent With.*

Makayla - June 24, 2015 at 09:57 PM



“ *Charleen Hawkins And Family lit a candle in
memory of Mrs. Marion Helen Matthews*



Charleen Hawkins and family - June 20, 2015 at 09:33 AM



“ *Sending prayers and condolences to my family. May God comfort
you during this time and forever more. "Blessed are those who
mourn for they shall be comforted." Matthew 5:4 Sincerely your
cousins Philip, April, Kamryn, Tamia & Lil Phil. Love y'all!!*

April Ford-Matthews - June 18, 2015 at 10:10 PM



“ *April Ford-Matthews lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Marion Helen Matthews*



April Ford-Matthews - June 18, 2015 at 10:05 PM



“ *I cherish everyday I spent with My great grandmother and I do not regret one single moment i spent with her*

Lanaya Cannamore - June 18, 2015 at 05:46 PM



“ *To The Children, Grandchildren and Great-Grandchildren of Marion H. Matthews:*

There are no words that can convey my love, respect and health felt appreciation for knowing Mrs. Matthews. The walks around the corner to visit my dear friend Tannis and to hear Mrs. Matthew always greet me with a smile in her voice, I will cherish forever. The conversations that she and I shared will forever be ingrained in my heart.

*Much Love,
Gloria*

Gloria Jackson-Jenkins - June 17, 2015 at 12:24 PM

LC

“ *Lanaya Cannamore lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Marion Helen Matthews*



Lanaya Cannamore - June 16, 2015 at 09:25 PM

MA

“ *Makayla lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Marion Helen Matthews*



Makayla - June 16, 2015 at 08:27 PM

KH

“ *Rest in Heaven Auntie Marion. Love Always Kim (Lewis) Hairston*

Kimberly Hairston - June 16, 2015 at 06:24 PM

SW

“ *Sharon (Robbs) Woodley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Marion Helen Matthews*



Sharon (Robbs) Woodley - June 14, 2015 at 12:00 PM

TF

“ *The Ratliff Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Marion Helen Matthews*



The Ratliff Family - June 14, 2015 at 10:37 AM

JM

“ *James & Barbara Moore lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Marion Helen Matthews*



James & Barbara Moore - June 13, 2015 at 11:49 PM

LI

“ *she was so nice*

lily - June 13, 2015 at 03:58 PM