



Mother Mary Izora Montgomery

March 15, 1923 - January 6, 2017

MONTGOMERY, Mother Mary Izora - Age 93, passed away Friday, January 6, 2017 at her residence. Family hour 10:30 AM Saturday, January 14, 2017 at Mt. Sinai Missionary Baptist Church, 1215 E. Downey Ave., with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM Pastor Morris A. Collins, Sr. officiating. Interment Sunset Hills Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the Church 10:30 AM Saturday, Mrs. Montgomery will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon funeral Home, and may be viewed from 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM Friday, with the family present from 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM to receive friends. Mother Mary Izora Montgomery was born March 15, 1923 In DeKalb, Mississippi, the daughter of Henry Horace and Mary Anderson Roberts. She gave her life to Christ at an early age at Unity Spring Missionary Baptist Church, which began her Christian walk. Mother Montgomery attended Little Rock Grade School in DeKalb, MS and attended high school at St. Joseph in Meridian, MS. She rounded out her educational career at Mott College in Flint, MI. Mother Montgomery was married to the late Pastor James C. Montgomery and made Flint their home. Together they joined Metropolitan Baptist Tabernacle under Rev. Timmons and after several years. Rev. Montgomery organized Mt. Sinai Missionary Baptist Church. She served on many auxiliaries and remained faithful to the word of God, until her death. Mother Montgomery became a housekeeper and cook for several prominent residents of Flint and was well known for her yeast rolls and cakes. Mother Mary Izora Montgomery leaves to cherish her memory: son, Talmadge

(Brenda) Montgomery of Detroit, MI; grandchildren, Shawnetta (Curtis) Robinson of Houma, LA, and Maurice (Amy) Matthews of Katy, TX; great-grandchildren, Brandon (Leah) Diggs of San Antonio, TX, Brandel (US Army Active Duty) in Texas, Kenyon and DeShaun of Houma, LA, Maurice and Malachi, both of Texas; great-great-grandchildren, Brendan, Alayah, Braxton, and Karson; great-niece, Jovita (Dwight) Satchell of Orange Park, FL; sister, Julia Inez Bailey of DeKalb, MS; brothers, Calvin Curtis Roberts, Everett Paul (Annie Lou) Roberts, all of Flint and George Clark (Mel) Roberts; aunt, Myrtle Moore, all of DeKalb, MS; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

Mother Montgomery was preceded in death by her loving husband, Pastor James C. Montgomery; sisters, Lee Pearl Walton, and Sadie Rochelle Foster; brothers, Talmadge Depriest Roberts and Vertis C. Roberts.

The family would like to express special thanks to Pastor Morris A. Collins Sr., Rev. Otis Jenkins and the Mt. Sinai Missionary Baptist Church family. Thanks also to McLaren-Flint and the Medical Team Hospice for dedicated caregiving.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Hills Cemetery

G-4413 Flushing Rd.
Flint, MI 48504

Previous Events

Public Viewing

JAN 13. 12:00 PM - 8:00 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

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Family hour

JAN 14. 10:30 AM (ET)

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Service

JAN 14. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mother Mary Izora Montgomery*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Travis B. Roberts purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mother Mary Izora Montgomery.*



Travis B. Roberts - January 13, 2017 at 02:25 PM



“ *Mother Pearl Poole and family share with you in the home going of Mother Mary Lzora Montgomery, she was such a loving, caring, kind God fearing woman.*

Mother Pearl Poole - January 13, 2017 at 11:24 AM



“ *Mother Pearl Poole sent a virtual gift in memory of Mother Mary Izora Montgomery*



Mother Pearl Poole - January 13, 2017 at 11:17 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mother Mary Izora Montgomery.*



January 13, 2017 at 10:38 AM



“ *Tracy Knight lit a candle in memory of Mother Mary Izora Montgomery*



Tracy Knight - January 12, 2017 at 09:50 PM



“ *Barbara (Woodberry) Moore lit a candle in memory of Mother Mary Izora Montgomery*



Barbara (Woodberry) Moore - January 12, 2017 at 08:14 PM



“ *Brenda Calhoun lit a candle in memory of Mother Mary Izora Montgomery*



Brenda Calhoun - January 12, 2017 at 02:49 PM

RS

“ *Raynetta Speed lit a candle in memory of Mother Mary Izora Montgomery*



Raynetta Speed - January 12, 2017 at 10:13 AM

WH

“ *Wanda Harrison lit a candle in memory of Mother Mary Izora Montgomery*



Wanda Harrison - January 12, 2017 at 09:33 AM

YH

“ *To the family an Angel has taken up her wings and flew home where the Heavenly Host awaits.*

Aunt Zot was such a kind soft-spoken lady of Grace. Always sharing her love among the family

With a heart of Gold and a Smile of love . Knowing this Beautiful woman of God certainly will be memorable. May her Soul Rest in Peace, and May the Fruits of the Spirit bring Peace and Understanding to this occasion.

Love you all DollBaby-Yvonne Harris, Huntsville,, Alabama



Yvonne Harris - January 12, 2017 at 05:40 AM

PR

“ *Sending prayers and much love to our brother - in - law Ray Montgomery in the passing of his mother, stay stong from your family in Houma La. Penny & Ramong Robertson.*



Penny Robertson - January 12, 2017 at 05:33 AM

PR

“ *From the Robertson Family to the Montgomery Family we will keep ya'll in our prayer,*



Penny Robertson - January 11, 2017 at 09:37 PM



“ *The Young Family sending their deepest condolences during your loss keeping you in our prays*



Mona Young - January 11, 2017 at 07:39 PM

KB

“ *Karla Bowen lit a candle in memory of Mother Mary Izora Montgomery*



Karla Bowen - January 11, 2017 at 07:18 AM

NO

“ *Neighbor, Emez Oliver purchased the Large Basket Garden for the family of Mother Mary Izora Montgomery.*



Neighbor, Emez Oliver - January 11, 2017 at 04:21 AM

CM

“ *CAROLYN (Boose) Mayo lit a candle in memory of Mother Mary Izora Montgomery*



CAROLYN (Boose) Mayo - January 10, 2017 at 08:34 PM

CM

“ *The Montgomery family are in my prayers. It was such a pleasure to know Mother. You have my sympathy and love*



Cathi McDowell - January 10, 2017 at 04:18 PM

GW

“ *Great Lakes B.D Minister Wives & Widows lit a candle in memory of Mother Mary Izora Montgomery*



Great Lakes B.D Minister Wives & Widows - January 09, 2017 at 11:26 PM

KM

“ *Kim Moore-Watson lit a candle in memory of Mother Mary Izora Montgomery*



Kim Moore-Watson - January 09, 2017 at 10:11 PM

DB

“ *To the family of the late Mother Montgomery. I send you my heart felted condolences. May God through his holy spirit comfort your family during this time of bereavement I hope you can find comfort from the scripture at (Acts: 24:14) .*



Daisy M Boone - January 09, 2017 at 11:07 AM

BC

“ *"Aunt Zot", we shall always miss you, you were and are, a very great witness to us, as to just what a woman of God should be like, we shall forever Love you; RIP.
Benjamin and Glenda*

Benjamin Clayton - January 08, 2017 at 07:58 PM

PW

“ *Pamela Witherspoon lit a candle in memory of Mother Mary Izora Montgomery*



Pamela Witherspoon - January 08, 2017 at 06:16 PM

BC

“*"Aunt Zot", we will miss you more than we can even say, but we know that you're in a much, much better place now, even a better place than we are. Your Love for us was never in doubt, you always had nothing but smiles, hugs and kisses for us.*

I remember your calming voice, never loud, brash or insulting, but showing Love all the time; you were a great example of what a "Godly Woman" should be, I loved being around you. You will be missed by all who knew you.

Uncle James picked "A really Good One" when he picked you.

We will always Love you Aunt Zot, nobody will ever take the place you have in our hearts. When I taste a "coconut" cake, I will always be expecting for it to be like yours, but that ain't happened, and your "home made rolls", "YUMMY, YUMMY, YUM; Rest In Peace aunt zot, no more pain for you, no more shaking, no more stumbling or falling ,

God be praised for a woman like you.

with all our love,

Benny and Glenda

Benjamin Clayton - January 07, 2017 at 06:40 PM

TS

Aunt Zot, you were truly an amazing Aun! Your purpose of your driven life was stunning. You touch so many lives. I thank you and Uncle James so much for the starting of my Christian journey! You will be truly missed and thought of! What a legacy!!

God did richly bless you with a wonderful, marvelous life. I love so much and rest in peace!

Travis Roberts Sr.& Family, (Charlotte, Trenais & Travis Jr)

Travis Roberts Sr - January 11, 2017 at 02:50 AM

DW

This woman of God was the epitome of Christian womanhood. Her spirit was gently, yet powerful as she showed her love for God, family and all who crossed her path. She will be greatly missed by me and my children but praise God that she knew how much we loved her and we were richer because of the times we spent in her presence. Love to you Cousin Ray, Bren and our entire family. Dr. Nettie Walker Wood

Dr. Nettie Walker Wood - January 12, 2017 at 10:58 PM