



## Ms. Mary Andrea Saunders

August 2, 1984 - August 4, 2025

SAUNDERS, Ms. Mary Andrea - Age 41, passed away Monday, August 4, 2025, at Ascension-Resurrection Hope Hospital in Chicago, IL. Family hour 1:30 PM Tuesday, August 19, 2025, from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral services commencing at 2:00 PM. Family and friends will assemble at the funeral home 1:30 PM Tuesday. Ms. Saunders will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral. Public viewing will be during family hour only. On August 2nd, 1984, marked the beginning for Mary, born to Vonda Kay Read and Howard Saunders, Jr. This doting parent was the beloved mother of Montreall Moore and Malaysia Stover. The second oldest of 4 siblings: LaToya (Kerry) Buckner; Antonio and Louis Anthony Ford. Mary attended Flint Schools and Flint Genesee Job Corps with a dental hygienist certification. She enjoyed much of her time with family (especially her children). Added joys were music, cooking, shopping, and switching up her hair color and styles! Her personality was so beautiful (along with being thoughtful/compassionate & having a good sense of humor)! Thus, people couldn't help but gravitate towards her. She was someone who studied the Bible and enjoyed taking in accurate knowledge of our God and Creator and his purpose for mankind and the earth. She recently started back attending Christian meetings at the Kingdom Hall of Jehovah Witnesses when health and circumstances permitted her. It was on Monday, August 4, 2025, when reality could no longer be denied! Official words were received about her unexpected passing at the Chicago International Airport

(when enroute from Dallas, TX to Flint, MI). Although we can't turn back time, we can look forward to seeing her again when God makes all things new! Mary Andrea Saunders leaves to cherish her memory: one dear son, Montreall Moore; one precious daughter, Malaysia Stover; father, Howard Saunders Jr.; devoted siblings, sister, LaToya (Kerry) Buckner; brothers, Antonio Ford and Louis Anthony Ford; nieces, Aniyah Ford and Kylei Buckner; nephews, Leigand Brown and Kerry Buckner III; grandmother, Odie "Mother Dear" Saunders; aunts, Betty Edmonds, Floria Crockett, Karen (Cricket) Felder, Dawn Ford and Vicki Dobson; uncles, Raymond L. Felder, Louis Ali Ford, Louis (Drum) Ford, Willie Triplett and Lamonte Saunders; many cousins including, Twylia Ford and Travis Ford; a conglomeration of other relatives, neighbors and friends consisting also of Kevin and Maria Baugh and Lo Hartfield. Mary was preceded in death by her beautiful mother, Vonda Kay Read; concerned grandparents, Louis and Beverly Ford; Howard Saunders; loving great-grandmothers, Lula Felder and Marcella Henry.

# Previous Events

## Family hour & viewing

AUG 19. 1:30 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home Chapel, Flint  
906 W. Flint Park Blvd.  
Flint, MI 48505  
(810) 789-MOON (6666)  
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## Funeral Service

AUG 19. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Ms. Mary Andrea Saunders*



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**Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home** - August 19, 2025 at 08:54 AM

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“ *Date: August 19, 2025*

*To: Our family of Mary Andrea Saunders:*

*From: Aunt Betty J. (Roberts) Edmonds*

*Subject: Condolences!*



*Although filled with sadness & shock, we can look back on beautiful memories of our deceased loved-one, Mary A. Saunders! Certainly, the Lord Almighty can allow peace, comfort & love to follow us the rest of our lives!*

*The bond that links our family is not only one of blood, but of respect and joy in each other's lives!*

*It is a pleasure to say that I took Vonda & all of her children (Mary, LaToya, Tony & Anthony) "under my wings" some years ago! We were close & shared a #of things together! Today, that bond is tightly interwoven & there is no way that they can escape from my heart!*

*Niece, Nephews & the rest of our kinfolk, kindly be strong, blessed, encouraged & safe! Love & prayers to one & all--always!* 🙌💖🙏💖

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**Betty J. Edmonds** - August 19, 2025 at 10:49 PM

DH

“ Oh my friend before seeing your obituary I had been thinking of you I'm going to miss you so sweet and a good friend indeed. To the family I send my condolences as well as my prayers to you all! May GOD continue to give you all the strength you need in this time of grief



Doris Holmes - August 17, 2025 at 10:01 PM

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“ Aileen Spence sent a virtual gift in memory of Mary Saunders



Aileen Spence - August 07, 2025 at 03:13 PM

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“ Aileen Spence lit a candle in memory of Mary Saunders



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“ Aileen Spence sent a virtual gift in memory of Mary Saunders



Aileen Spence - August 07, 2025 at 03:12 PM

KF

“ Love you Mary!!  
Now I know I won't be burning that sweet-smelling buttercream glass candle you brought by for me because you said it reminded you of me baking. You promised to find me another.  
Take your rest babydoll, auntie loves you!!



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**Karen Felder** - August 07, 2025 at 08:40 AM

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“ Simona Spearman lit a candle in memory of Ms. Mary Andrea Saunders



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**Simona Spearman** - August 06, 2025 at 03:05 PM

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Antonio dunnom thanks You care me i will My mom miss much 🙄🙄  
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**Antonio** - September 14, 2025 at 11:44 PM