



Mrs. Mary Washington

March 11, 1930 - January 21, 2015

WASHINGTON, Mrs. Mary - Age 84, passed away Wednesday, January 21, 2015 at her residence. Family hour 10 a.m. Saturday, January 31, 2015 at Canaan Baptist Church, 910 E. Gillespie St., with funeral service commencing at 11 a.m. Pastor Charles E. Roots officiating. Interment Gracelawn Community Cemetery, G-5710 N. Saginaw Street. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10 a.m. Saturday. Mrs. Washington will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 12 p.m. - 8 p.m. Friday.

Mary, affectionately known as "Lunch," was born March 11, 1930 to John and Katie Haynes in Belzoni, Mississippi. Mary confessed Christ at an early age while attending Wasp Lake Missionary Baptist Church in Belzoni. Mary later met and married the love of her life Willie Washington, and the two journeyed from Belzoni, MS to Flint, MI where they raised their four children. She retired from General Motors V-8 Engine Plant with 32 years of service and was a member of UAW Local 659. Mary was a dedicated member of the Canaan Baptist Church, where she served in the Usher Ministry. Those who knew Mary knew she loved spending time with her family, going on the General Motor's casino trips, and if she was home you would catch her watching pro basketball, and Tiger Woods. If you happened to be looking for Mary around Thanksgiving or The Fourth of July, you would have found her travelling to Chicago to visit her special niece, Alice and the rest of the family living in

Chicago.

She leaves to cherish her memory: three children, Herb (Gisele) of Youngstown, OH, Willie (Mary) of New York, and Georgia of Flint, MI; two sisters, Ruthie Bolden of Chicago, IL, and Mary Haynes of Lithia Springs, GA; one brother, Maurice Haynes a.k.a. Tony of Chicago, IL; twelve grandchildren, Nette, David, Cheveza, Candice, Terrell, Michael, Arielle, Makenta, Matthew, John, Georgia and Deinda; 13 great-grandchildren; one special cousin, Lula Hudson of Milwaukee, WI; along with a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Mrs. Washington was preceded in death by her husband; one son, Michael; two daughters, Pearl and Renee; one grandson, Shay; both parents; six brothers, John W. "Peter", John Jr., Benjamin, Robert, David and Louis; and two sisters, Morice and Delores.

Cemetery Details

Gracelawn Cemetery

5710 N. Saginaw St.
Flint, MI 48505

Previous Events

Public Viewing

JAN 30. 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
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<https://lawrenceemoonfuneralhome.com>

Family hour

JAN 31. 10:00 AM (ET)

Canaan Baptist Church
910 E. Gillespie St.
Flint, MI

Service

JAN 31. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Flint, MI

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Mary Washington*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *So sad I just found out that my grandmother passed today. My deepest sympathy goes out to the entire Washington family. Sincerely,
Tamika Cox*

tamika cox - February 28, 2015 at 12:34 AM



“ *Nettie Staples lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Washington*



Nettie Staples - January 31, 2015 at 08:12 AM



“ *XJean Montgomery(Younger) lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Washington*



xJean Montgomery(Younger) - January 30, 2015 at 03:56 PM



God bless the Washingtons! Harris family - John, Yulanda, Myles and Langston.

Yulanda McCarty-Harris - February 01, 2015 at 10:29 AM

NC

“ *NEW HORIZON BAKING COMPANY purchased the Secret Garden Basket for the family of Mrs. Mary Washington.*



NEW HORIZON BAKING COMPANY - January 30, 2015 at 02:44 PM

PB

“ *PNC Bank purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mrs. Mary Washington.*



PNC Bank - January 30, 2015 at 10:12 AM



“ *Quiet Expressions was purchased for the family of Mrs. Mary Washington.*



January 30, 2015 at 09:05 AM



“ *1 file added to the album Life Tributes*



Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home - January 30, 2015 at 07:47 AM



“ 45 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home - January 29, 2015 at 08:33 PM



“ *Jesse & Dorothy Kirksey lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mary Washington*



Jesse & Dorothy Kirksey - January 29, 2015 at 01:45 PM



“ *0 file added to the tribute wall*

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home - January 29, 2015 at 01:23 PM

PW

“ *To The Washington Family,*

At times like this, we can't help remembering how fragile life is. May you find strength in the Love of Family and in the warm embrace of Friends.

In Deepest Sympathy,

From The Woodyard & Pickard Family,

*Bill { Willie Frank } Terra { Mug } Paul { Bay Bro } Deborah { Cookie }
Elizabeth { Gail }*



Paul Woodyard - January 28, 2015 at 04:37 PM

TM

“ *Giselle and Herb, sending prayers and a wish for peace during this time of loss. A loss on earth is a gain in Heaven. God bless you and your family.*

Tonia Farmer-Pitts, MD & Family

Tonia Farmer-Pitts, MD - January 27, 2015 at 07:48 PM

YU

“ On behalf of the Jack and Jill, Inc. Youngstown Chapter, our mothers, fathers, and children, send our condolence to the family and particularly Herb and his wife Gisele and their children, Terrell and Arielle who were and continue to be a dedicated family to our organization. Our prayers are with you and may the Lord continue to strengthen you during these challenging times.

"I have found peace that the world cannot give. A rest that the world does not know. A joy that no mortal can ever take away. A friend [in HIM] that will never let me go!"

Yulanda McCarty-Harris, J.D., President, Youngstown Chapter

Yulanda - January 27, 2015 at 11:45 AM

CR

“ *Mo. Mary Washington... an usher, nurse, bible study teacher you name it she did it! Love you Mo. Washington thank you for rearing me in the Lord!*

Carolyn Randolph-Witcher - January 24, 2015 at 03:14 PM

IC

He will pay attention to the prayer of the destitute;He will not despise their prayer. (Psalm 102:17)

Irma&Farmon Childress - January 26, 2015 at 05:03 AM