



## Modessa Reddick-Clarke

October 20, 1930 - September 14, 2009

REDDICK-CLARKE, Mrs. Modessa L. – Age 78, went to be with the Lord, Monday, September 14, 2009 at Hurley Medical Center. Family hour 11AM Saturday, September 19, 2009 Grace Emmanuel Baptist Church, 3502 Lapeer Rd., with funeral service commencing at 12 Noon, Pastor Marvin A. Jennings, Sr. officiating. Interment River Rest Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church at 11AM Saturday. Mrs. Reddick-Clarke will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 1PM-8PM Friday. Mrs. Modessa L. Reddick-Clarke was born October 20, 1930 in Cotton Plant, Arkansas, the daughter of Rev. Armstead and Pearl Sloan Reddick. Modessa was educated in Cotton Plant, Arkansas, graduating as Valedictorian of her class in 1949 from Cotton Plant Vocational High School. She was a faithful member of Grace Emmanuel Baptist Church for over 30 years, serving as Sunday School Teacher, Deaconess, Three Score and More Ministry, Women's Ministry, Bible Study and Prayer Ministry. Modessa was a true example of a woman of faith. She retired from Dayton Hudson as a Seamstress. Modessa loved her family, sewing, traveling, reading, watching CNN, trying new recipes and her church family. Modessa was a very gentle loving person and was loved by all who knew her. She will truly be missed by all. Mrs. Modessa L. Reddick-Clarke leaves to cherish her memory: 2 daughters, Bonita Nelson and Barbara (Willis) Lewis, Jr.; 4 sons, Min. Charles (Cynthia) Clarke, all of Flint, Min. Dale (Daisy) Clarke of Detroit, MI, Fred

(Angela) Clarke, Jr. of Pickering, OH and Pastor David (Michelle) Clarke, Sr. of Kathleen, GA; 24 grandchildren; 19 great-grandchildren; 2 sisters, Johnnie (Roger) Swift of Cypress, TX and Pearl (John) Clark of Chicago, IL; 9 sisters-in-law; 6 brothers-in-law; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends including special nephew, Alvin Clarke and special daughter, Valeria Clarke. Mrs. Clarke was preceded in death by her husband, Fred F. Clarke; parents; grandparents; 2 sisters; 5 brothers; daughter-in-law, Rhonda Clarke; and son-in-law, Chester Nelson. The family would like to express special thanks to Pastor Marvin A. Jennings, Sr. and Grace Emmanuel Baptist Church family, nephew, Billy Reddick, Hurley Medical Center CCU 4th floor staff.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Modessa Reddick-Clarke*

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October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *My Condolence to the Clark family, During this time of sorrow. Sis Clark was a true woman of GOD. I will turlly miss her kind and lovely smile on Sunday mornings. As she was going through her short time of illiness, She would still would find the time to ask about me , knowing that I was going through knee surgery . Tell her don't worry about me I 'am find . To the son, daughters, sister , daughter in-laws, grand children, neices, nephews, ETC keep your hand in GOD hand he will turlly see you through .*

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**Maudie Coley** - September 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ To the Clarke Family,

*What can I say when you've been touched by an Angel on several occasions. Sis Clarke was a woman of stature, humbleness, and inner beauty, but most important was her strong dedication and commitment to Jesus Christ. Word cannot begin to express how she will be surely missed, especially on Sunday mornings behind me. One thing for sure, I know without a doubt Sis Clarke is sitting in heaven, possible discussing one of her most gifted hobbies "A seamstress".*

*As I think, we someday will have to take this journey in Glory, she was truly loved by her children, grandchildren, sisters, in laws, & church family.*

*Prayers & Blessing are bestowed upon your family.*

*Loria Corder-Grace Emmanuel Baptist Church*

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**Loria Corder** - September 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GM

“ *A Great Friend and a better Student. Her expression of love and joy will be missed. She will be in our hearts always.*

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**George & Beerly Moran** - September 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ Delmas and I were deeply saddened when we heard about Sister Clarke. She was truly a remarkable "Lady". I always enjoyed our conversations and the many pleasant memories of this gifted, talented loving, and highly favored woman of God. With three sons as Ministers of the Gospel and all her children and grandchildren serving her God. Delmas and I are keeping you and your family in our prayers. "I'll not fail thee", is a promise of our God. May this thought bring a peace and comfort in the loss of one you love.

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**Delmas & Audrey Wilson** - September 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GL

“ To the Clarke Family  
  
Praying for your family.  
  
Gloria Lang

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**Gloria Lang** - September 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ To Rev. Charles Clarke and the family, I am sorry to hear the passing of Mrs. Clarke. She was such a kind, caring and awesome women of GOD! You will continue to be in my prayers. Please find peace in GODS LOVE, in knowing that she is safe in GODS ARMS.

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**marjorie chapman** - September 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MJ

“ *Bonita, Barbara, Charles, and the entire family. Be strong. I will be with you through this time in spirit.*

*Mom was very encouraging to me during my loss and I shall never forget her words of comfort.... This to will pass.*

*Simply, Sincerely.*

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**Marcella James** - September 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MW

“ *Praying for the family. May God comfort all of you with sweet memories.*

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**Melvon & Alberta Williams** - September 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TB

“ *To the Clarke Family, our hearts and prayers are with you in this time of loss. May the Lord smile upon you in your time of need and lift up your spirits.*

*Best Regards,*

*The Cafe Team @ BBW*

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**The Enterprise Food & Beverage Team @ BBW** - September 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM

BH

“ *My prayers are with you and the entire family.*

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**Bettye J. Harris** - September 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ *Just a few words from the heart to let you know that our prayers and thoughts are with you always. Let God be your guide and stay in prayer.*

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**Philip and Jean Benson** - September 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM

GC

“ *Dale on behalf of The Campbell family we send our prayers out to you and your family. Your mom always treated us troops like we were her own. She will be truly missed. Love & Blessings (Yoda) from Big Dawg Campbell*

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**Greg & Natlean Campbell** - September 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM

MT

“ *To The Clarke Family;*

*Remembering you in prayer and trusting God's Promise to comfort and strengthen you in this time of loss.*

*Praying that you will find comfort in the strength of your faith, and in the caring and concerns of others.*

*Praying that you will have The Peace of of God, the comfort of His Spirit and the joy in the gift of your memories of Sister Clarke.*

*God's Blessings and Favor,  
Mitch and Ella Teamer*

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**Mitch And Ella Teamer** - September 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM