



Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples

March 25, 1938 - December 17, 2020

STAPLES, Mrs. Nettie Mae - Age 82, passed away Thursday, December 17, 2020 at her residence. Family hour 10:30 AM Wednesday, December 23, 2020 at Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist Church, 4805 N. Saginaw St., with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM, Pastor Henry L. Fuller, officiating. Interment River Rest Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the Church 10:30 AM Wednesday. Mrs. Staples will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 3:00 PM-6:00 PM Tuesday. Sister Nettie Mae Staples – Sunrise March 25, 1938 – Sunset December 17, 2020. The passing of a faithful servant of the Lord at the home she shared with her loving daughter in Saginaw, MI.

Nettie was born and raised in Fremont, Ohio, the middle daughter of George and Maydell Carter. She graduated from Fremont Ross High School, “Class of 1956” and attended two years of community college. On June 19, 1959, Nettie married the love of her life, Clinton Staples. Three children were born to this union. On Christmas day, 1960, they welcomed their first daughter to the family; to be followed by another daughter and lastly a son. After the passing of her husband in 1977, raising her children was the most important purpose of her life.

Nettie was employed by AC/Delphi, a division of General Motors Corporation, retiring after 38 years of service in 1999. She was a life-long member of the Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist Church, remaining faithful and active with the

General Mission Ministry particularly to her Sunday School Adult Class. Nettie was a kind and loving woman, who impacted the lives of others. She was an active member of multiple service organizations including, UAW Local #651, Cape Jasmine No.2, Rose-Marie – Chapter 33, Order of Eastern Star, Benevolent Court No.5, Beauty Rose Court No. 5, Heroines of Jericho, Holy Cross Council No.4, Mecca Court No.5, Daughters of Sphinx, Past Member of the Red Hatters. Nettie enjoyed many traveling and shopping road trips with the group as well as cooking and attending family gatherings. One of her passions was completing Word Search puzzles. To honor her, at the end of this service, the family would like to share puzzle books with those that would enjoy this activity. They will be available on the table in the vestibule.

Sister Nettie Mae Staples leaves to cherish her memory: loving daughter, Sophia Staples of Saginaw, Michigan; devoted son, Clinton (Ava) Staples, Jr. of Toledo, Ohio; sisters, Mary Bowie, of Nashville, Tennessee and Connie Johnson of Fremont, Ohio; grandson, Clinton Staples III of Columbus, Ohio; two great-grandchildren, Jayron and Ambria Staples of Columbus, Ohio; nieces, Robyn (Connie) Tripp of Nashville, Tennessee and Roxanne Price of Columbus, Ohio; nephew, Orlando Carter of Columbus, Ohio; cherished friends, Barbara Carpenter and Pauline Richmond; and cousins lovingly called the “Carter Girls” of Fremont, Ohio; Nettie represented “Nanna” to a number of young people.

Sis. Staples was preceded in death by her parents, George and Maydell Carter; husband, Clinton E. Staples; sisters, Yvonne Hicks and Wili Maude Carter; daughter, Santa Staples; and great-grandson, Zion Staples.

The family would like to express special thanks to caregiver, Ms. Sirmonia Donald, Rev. Dr. Henry L. Fuller, Jr. and the Mt. Calvary Church family.

Cemetery Details

River Rest Cemetery

G-4413 Flushing Rd.
Flint, MI 48504

Previous Events

Public Viewing

DEC **22**. 3:00 PM - 6:00 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 hour

DEC **23**. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist Church
4805 N. Saginaw Street
Flint, MI 48505

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Teresa Claxton Williams sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



Teresa Claxton Williams - December 27, 2020 at 07:43 PM



“ *DeWayne C Younger lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



DeWayne C Younger - December 24, 2020 at 12:17 AM



“ *I have loved this family for most of my life. Her children helped raise my children. So many many wonderful memories. I pray for the Holy Spirit to comfort you in your grief. 💜*

Sandra Watkins-Turner - December 23, 2020 at 12:02 PM

ME

“ Sophie and Clinton, " Holy Cross Council # 4 extends our Deepest and Sincere Sympathy to You. We are keeping you in our thoughts and prayers. Lady Nettie Staples was a caring, faithful, and supportive member of Holy Cross Council. She will truly be missed. " God Bless !!
CC Lady Martha Eastlan



martha eastlan - December 23, 2020 at 09:22 AM

BS

“ Bettye Southall lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples



Bettye Southall - December 23, 2020 at 09:17 AM

MS

“ We are so sorry to hear of the passing of Nettie. Our friendship go back many years. Nettie was a sweet, beautiful, and well respected lady. Extending our prayers and siñcere condolence to the family.



*Benny & Mae Vern Spence
April Harris
Katina Woods & Monty Jr,

Marietta Ga.*

Mae V. Spence - December 22, 2020 at 11:01 PM

GT

“ Geraldine Turner sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples



Geraldine Turner - December 22, 2020 at 01:38 PM

DB

“ SENDING PRAYERS TO THE FAMILY
SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS



DENISE BRIDGES - December 22, 2020 at 01:25 PM

DW

“ My condolences and prayers are with the Staples Family, I will treasure Mother Staples memory's, 🙏❤️🙏❤️🙏



Derrek & Regina Willams - December 22, 2020 at 10:51 AM

ME

“ MECCA COURT #5 Daughters of Sphinx lit a candle in memory of Dtg Nettie Mae Staples. She has pleased GOD ,did his will and served all mankind. " Peace and Love "
From: MWGM, Martha L Mays and all Daughters of Mecca Court



martha eastlan - December 22, 2020 at 09:52 AM

ME

“ *Martha Eastlan lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



martha eastlan - December 22, 2020 at 09:37 AM

NO

“ *NaRotha Ogden lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



NaRotha Ogden - December 22, 2020 at 02:13 AM

MF

“ *Moses Magby And Boaz Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



Moses Magby and Boaz family - December 21, 2020 at 09:31 PM

MW

“ *Maury And Cheryl Wills lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



Maury and cheryl wills - December 21, 2020 at 09:14 PM

CJ

“ *Cyndi Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



Cyndi Johnson - December 21, 2020 at 07:37 PM

CG

“ *Cary Gill lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



Cary Gill - December 21, 2020 at 12:17 PM

GL

“ *Gail LaFleur lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



Gail LaFleur - December 21, 2020 at 01:08 AM

VF

“ *May the love of family and friends carry you through your grief with the loss of Mrs. Nettie M. staples.*

Violet Warner-Eldridge and Family - December 20, 2020 at 10:03 PM

DS

“ *Deidre Spight-Woodson sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



Deidre Spight-Woodson - December 20, 2020 at 02:44 PM

VS

“ *Valerie C Southall lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



Valerie C Southall - December 20, 2020 at 01:44 PM

CJ

“ *Cheryl Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



Cheryl Johnson - December 20, 2020 at 07:51 AM

CT

“ *Connie Taylor lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



Connie Taylor - December 20, 2020 at 01:10 AM

AS

“ *A Kut Above Barber Shop lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



A Kut Above Barber Shop - December 19, 2020 at 10:01 PM

SM

“ *To the family of Mrs Nettie Mae Staples, May the prayers-hugs-love n memories of her thru God sustain all pain!!! May God be your strength... from your Mt Calvary families- Haney-White-Jenkins*



Shirley Miller - December 19, 2020 at 08:11 PM

SP

“ *Sandra Payne lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



Sandra Payne - December 19, 2020 at 07:03 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples.*



December 19, 2020 at 05:18 PM

KH

“ *Kathy Hollis lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



Kathy Hollis - December 19, 2020 at 05:14 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples.*



December 19, 2020 at 04:19 PM

FM

“ *My sincere condolences to Sophia , To To and family.. I was blessed to have Mrs. Nettie be apart of my life before I knew about my life. Always very loving and caring. RIH*



Felicia McGee - December 19, 2020 at 03:37 PM

CF

“ *Cleo Flourney lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



Cleo Flourney - December 19, 2020 at 03:31 PM

BJ

“ *Bridgett Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



Bridgett Jackson - December 19, 2020 at 03:09 PM



“ *Dora Daniels lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



Dora Daniels - December 19, 2020 at 02:18 PM

MF

“ *Mackey-Smith Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



Mackey-Smith Family - December 19, 2020 at 12:58 PM

JS

“ *To Sophie and Clinton sorry for the loss of you're dear mother.. May God give you all the strength to go through this hard time..*



Jeanetta Starr - December 19, 2020 at 12:37 PM

JK

“ *Jake Kendall lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



Jake Kendall - December 19, 2020 at 09:58 AM

SW

“ *Sherry Williams sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



Sherry Williams - December 19, 2020 at 07:18 AM

RA

“ *Rose Adair sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



Rose Adair - December 19, 2020 at 05:13 AM

BW

“ *Betty Wesley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



Betty Wesley - December 19, 2020 at 02:36 AM

DR

“ Deborah Relerford lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples



Deborah Relerford - December 19, 2020 at 01:26 AM

AH

“ To the family of my SiStar, I to share in your sorrow. The sorrow of not being going on trips together or meeting together. The strength that you showed in so many ways, was an inspiration for so many. May God continue to bless and strengthen your family to carry on.



Adell Ruth Harris-Eldridge - December 18, 2020 at 09:19 PM



“ Pandoretta Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples



Pandoretta Jackson - December 18, 2020 at 07:44 PM

MF

“ Michele Davis And Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples



Michele Davis and family - December 18, 2020 at 06:03 PM

PB

“ *Sophia and Tutu I am simply heartbroken; and know how devastated you must be. You are in my prayers. Although I’m not nearby, I sending my love and heartfelt condolences to you. RIH Mrs Staples-you will be missed.* ”



Pamela Buck - December 18, 2020 at 04:53 PM

MS

“ *Mary Ann Stewart sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples* ”



Mary Ann Stewart - December 18, 2020 at 04:26 PM

VM

“ *Valarie Munerlyn lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples* ”



Valarie Munerlyn - December 18, 2020 at 03:52 PM

JW

“ *Jimola Wilson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples* ”



Jimola Wilson - December 18, 2020 at 02:27 PM

TC

“ Teresa Claxton-Frelix lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples



Teresa Claxton-Frelix - December 18, 2020 at 10:36 AM

SC

“ My Condolences to The Family of Nettie Staples!! My Prayers go out to you! I remember Nettie from Work, AC Spark Plugs, She and my Mom were Good Friends! She will be missed!💔

Sylvia Cabell - December 18, 2020 at 09:04 AM

LR

“ My Sincere Sympathy To The Family



Lorene Randall - December 18, 2020 at 08:07 AM

SP

“ Sandra Payne sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples



Sandra Payne - December 18, 2020 at 05:42 AM

MJ

“ *My condolences to the Staples family. Sophia and Clinton continue your journey.*



Milous Jenkins - December 17, 2020 at 10:52 PM

LT

“ *Lawrence Townsel lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie M. Staples my prayers are with you.*



Lawrence Bernard Townsel - December 17, 2020 at 10:13 PM

WH

“ *Wanda Harrison lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Nettie Mae Staples*



Wanda Harrison - December 17, 2020 at 09:05 PM

SW

“ *My heartfelt sympathy to the Staples family. Sis Staples was my OES sister. In my conversations with her she was always positive and never complained. She was a beautiful lady inside and out and she will be missed.*



Sister Wiggins - December 17, 2020 at 07:56 PM