



Mother Norah L. Edwards

February 24, 1931 - August 27, 2025

EDWARDS, Mother Norah L - Age 94, passed away Wednesday, August 27, 2025 at her residence. Family hour 10:00 AM Saturday, September 6, 2025, at Greater Emmanuel Temple Church, 1117 Genesee Ave., with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM Elder Melvin Davis, officiating. Interment, River Rest Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd., Flint, MI. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10:00 AM Saturday. Mother Edwards will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd. and may be viewed from 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM Friday. Mother Norah Lee Edwards was born February 24, 1931, in Como, Mississippi, the daughter of Moses Carter and Bertha Phillips. She later married Warner B. Edwards Sr. and mothered 8 boys and 4 girls. Mother Norah L. Edwards had 40 grandchildren and 112 great-grandchildren. Throughout her life the Lord blessed her to raise her siblings, 12 children of her own and many of her grandchildren. She also adopted 2 of her grandsons, Demarcus and Demetrius Edwards. Mother Norah Lee Edwards received the Holy Ghost in 1960 under the leadership of Elder Charles F. Byrd. She lived a saved and sanctified life until the end of her life. Mother Edwards was a loyal member of Greater Emmanuel Temple where she served on the Usher Board, she was a Choir Member and Soloist, a Missionary, Deaconess, Head Deaconess and Mother of the Church which is now lead by District Elder Melvin Davis. Mother Edwards began working for Buick Motor Company, a division of General Motors Corporation in 1972. By the grace of God and her unmoved faith in Him, she worked and raised her

children, grandchildren and made sure they lived full and happy lives. She was blessed to retire from Buick on June 1, 1996, with the help of the Lord Jesus Christ. Throughout her life and on this earth, Mother Edwards was just a blessing and sweetheart to everyone. Always had a helping hand to any and everyone in need. Mother Norah Lee Edwards leaves to cherish her memory: daughter, Caroyln (Timothy) Edwards; 2 sons, George (Travonda) Edwards and Demarcus Edwards, all of Flint; 35 grandchildren including special granddaughters, Kimberly Edwards, Timaya Edwards and Mia Henry; 112 great-grandchildren; 7 great-great-grandchildren; a host of nieces and nephews; sister, Maida Dankoure of Indianapolis, IN; brother, Allen Carl Plair of Como, MS; a host of other relatives and friends. Mother Edwards was preceded in death by her husband, Wamer B. Edwards Sr.; daughters, Birtha Thompson, Marilyn Edwards and Malita Edwards; sons, Warner B. Edwards Jr., James Edwards, Clyde Edwards, Charles Edwards, Winfred Edwards, Wilse Edwards, Michael Edwards and Demitrius Edwards; mother, Bertha Phillips; father, Moses Carter; and step-father, Alex Plair; many sisters and brothers.

The family would like to express special thanks to Residential Home Health and Hospice, Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home and Greater Emmanuel Temple family.

Cemetery Details

River Rest Cemetery

G-4413 Flushing Rd.
Flint, MI 48504

Previous Events

Public Viewing

SEP 5. 12:00 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

SEP 6. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Greater Emmanuel Temple Church
1117 E. Genesee Ave.
Flint, MI 48505

Funeral Service

SEP 6. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

TK

“ Theresa “Tesa” Kendrick lit a candle in memory of Mother Norah L. Edwards



Theresa “Tesa” Kendrick - October 23, 2025 at 08:17 PM

MR

“ Fly High Mother Norah Lee Edwards and kiss all of our family for me. I'll love you for a LIFETIME!! 🌹❤️🌹 Carla Kendrick Reynolds 💎



Mrs. Carla (Kenny) Reynolds - October 23, 2025 at 08:15 PM

MR

“ Mr. & Mrs. Kenny (Carla) Reynolds sent a virtual gift in memory of Mother Norah L. Edwards



Mr. & Mrs. Kenny (Carla) Reynolds - October 08, 2025 at 12:08 AM

KR

“ Kermit & Genell Reeves lit a candle in memory of Mother Norah L. Edwards



Kermit & Genell Reeves - September 06, 2025 at 09:24 AM

EG

“ *Evang Garland lit a candle in memory of Mother Norah L. Edwards*



Evang Garland - September 05, 2025 at 11:59 PM

TF

“ *Tamika Barksdale And Family lit a candle in memory of Mother Norah L. Edwards*



Tamika Barksdale and Family - September 05, 2025 at 04:38 PM

DS

“ *Ms.Edward's you will be missed..You were always a kind and pleasant lady..I knew I was home when I would look over and see you sitting on your porch..*

My condolences to the the family..

LaShawn

Demetria Smith - September 04, 2025 at 07:15 PM

SH

“ *R.I.H Mrs.Edwards
May your soul rest peacefully*



Sharita Harris - September 04, 2025 at 02:01 PM

VS

“ Valerie C Southall lit a candle in memory of Mother Norah L. Edwards




Valerie C Southall - September 04, 2025 at 08:19 AM

LK

“ I love you mother Edwards I have a thousand and one memories with you and each one of your children most of all I'll remember Sunday dinners you will be greatly missed Lena !!



Lena kendick - September 04, 2025 at 05:02 AM


Mychelle
BlackDiam

“ Mychelle BlackDiamond lit a candle in memory of Mother Norah L. Edwards



Mychelle BlackDiamond - September 03, 2025 at 09:56 PM

J(

“ James & Sharon Owensby (Arizona) lit a candle in memory of Mother Norah L. Edwards



James & Sharon Owensby (Arizona) - September 03, 2025 at 08:46 PM



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Lola Marshall - September 03, 2025 at 07:08 PM



“ Clayton Conerly lit a candle in memory of Mother Norah L. Edwards



Clayton Conerly - September 03, 2025 at 12:20 PM



“ I remember you whooping me after church once. We both know why. I was so blessed to have known you...One of the strongest faithful servant of the Most High. Job well done Mother Edwards!!!!



Tomi Gordon - September 03, 2025 at 08:36 AM



“ Sending my prayers and condolences to the Edwards Family 🙏 Gone but not forgotten ! R.I.P. Mrs. Edwards. Linda Fay Mayfield



Linda Mayfield - September 02, 2025 at 10:23 PM

SB

“ *Sandra Byrd lit a candle in memory of Mother Norah L. Edwards*



Sandra Byrd - September 02, 2025 at 05:47 PM

MR

“ *Mr. & Mrs. Kenny (Carla) Reynolds sent a virtual gift in memory of Mother Norah L. Edwards*



Mr. & Mrs. Kenny (Carla) Reynolds - September 01, 2025 at 12:09 PM

ME

“ *Mary D Evans sent a virtual gift in memory of Mother Norah L. Edwards*



Mary D Evans - September 01, 2025 at 12:09 PM

TH

“ *Tonja Horton lit a candle in memory of Mother Norah L. Edwards*



Tonja Horton - August 31, 2025 at 11:18 AM

CF

“ *Claudette Fletcher-Kennedy lit a candle in memory of Mother Norah L. Edwards*



Claudette Fletcher-Kennedy - August 30, 2025 at 01:47 AM

AS

“ *Aileen Spence sent a virtual gift in memory of Mother Norah L. Edwards*



Aileen Spence - August 29, 2025 at 02:58 PM

AS

“ *Aileen Spence lit a candle in memory of Mother Norah L. Edwards*



Aileen Spence - August 29, 2025 at 02:57 PM

AS

“ *Aileen Spence sent a virtual gift in memory of Mother Norah L. Edwards*



Aileen Spence - August 29, 2025 at 02:57 PM

AM

“ *Annette Marks lit a candle in memory of
Mother Norah L. Edwards*



Annette Marks - August 28, 2025 at 01:52 PM

BC

Praying for the family

Brenda Calhoun - August 31, 2025 at 07:06 PM