



## Mrs. Rebecca Simpson

September 16, 1921 - May 13, 2018

SIMPSON, Mrs. Rebecca - Age 96, passed away Sunday, May 13, 2018 at her residence. Family hour 11:00 AM Wednesday, May 23, 2018 at Metropolitan Baptist Tabernacle Church, 930 E. Myrtle Ave., with funeral service commencing at 12:00 PM Rev. Dr. Herbert Miller II officiating. Interment Sunset Hills Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 11:00 Wednesday. Mrs. Simpson will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM Tuesday.

Mrs. Rebecca Simpson, age 96, passed unexpectedly on May 13, 2018 at her residence. Mrs. Simpson was born September 16, 1921 in Cherokee, Kansas. She was the third of seven children born to Grant and Linnie (Birth) Fulton. Rebecca moved to Flint, Michigan in 1940 when her cousin, Nadine Montgomery sent for her and another cousin. The three of them lived together until 1944 when she married Howard Simpson Jr. She united to the Metropolitan Baptist Tabernacle and served on the usher board until she started a family. She was employed at A C Spark Plugs, a division of General Motors from 1943 and retired after three years to raise her family. She loved indoor and outside flowers and plants. She also enjoyed gardening and decoration her yard with figurines. Rebecca enjoyed planting her own flowers while she was able to; then she would have someone else plant them for her. Mrs. Simpson enjoyed cooking big family meals.

Mrs. Rebecca Simpson leaves to cherish her memory: daughters, Gloria Long, and Barbara (Tyrone) Sanders, all of Flint; 6 grandchildren, Erick T. Long, Therasa (Kenneth) Martin, Diana Simpson, Kimberly Simpson, and Trent Sanders, all of Flint, Nathan (Onaka) Sanders of Wixom, MI; 8 great-grandchildren, Erick Long, Disere Simpson, Faith Simpson, Hamoni Simpson, Kristian Simpson, Makalah Martin, Paden Martin all of Flint, Nia Sanders of Wixom, MI; 2 great-great grandchildren, E'Myia and E'yden Long, both of Flint; 2 sisters-in-law; Mrs. Sarah Simpson of Grand Blanc, MI and Florence Simpson of Mt Morris, MI; brother-in-law, Ayyub Al-Amin of Milwaukee, WS; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and other relatives and friends including, Katheryne Barnes.

Mrs. Simpson was preceded in death he by her husband, Howard Simpson Jr.; son, Howard W. Simpson; parents, Grant and Linnie (Birth) Fulton; 1 brother and 5 sisters.

The family would like to express their gratitude for the many acts of kindness shown during these difficult times. Special thanks to all the neighbors, Rev. Dr. Herbert Miller II and the Metropolitan Baptist Tabernacle church family, Rev Herbert Banks and the New Creation Church of God church family; Lawrence E. Moon, Javonda Montgomery and the staff of the Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home.

# Cemetery Details

## Sunset Hills Cemetery

G-4413 Flushing Rd.  
Flint, MI 48504

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

**MAY 22.** 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home Chapel, Flint  
906 W. Flint Park Blvd.  
Flint, MI 48505  
(810) 789-MOON (6666)  
lemoonfhflint@gmail.com  
<http://www.lawrenceemoonfuneralhome.com>

## Family hour

**MAY 23.** 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Metropolitan Baptist Tabernacle  
930 E. Myrtle Ave.  
Flint, MI 48505

## Service

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MAY **23**. 12:00 PM (ET)

Metropolitan Baptist Tabernacle  
930 E. Myrtle Ave.  
Flint, MI 48505

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Rebecca Simpson*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Tiara Newton lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rebecca Simpson*



**Tiara Newton** - May 23, 2018 at 10:03 AM



“ *Linda & Eddie Booth lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rebecca Simpson*



**Linda & Eddie Booth** - May 22, 2018 at 10:06 PM



“ *T Hutson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rebecca Simpson*



**T Hutson** - May 22, 2018 at 06:40 AM

RH

“ Robert Howard lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rebecca Simpson



Robert Howard - May 21, 2018 at 05:00 PM

RH

“ Robert Howard lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rebecca Simpson



Robert Howard - May 21, 2018 at 04:54 PM

BJ

“ Brenda Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rebecca Simpson



Brenda Johnson - May 21, 2018 at 03:58 PM

JT

“ Jerrie Thompson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rebecca Simpson



Jerrie Thompson - May 21, 2018 at 02:51 PM

OG

“ *Ondria & James Gillespie lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rebecca Simpson*



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**Ondria & James Gillespie** - May 18, 2018 at 03:54 PM

MW

“ *Mary Wash lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rebecca Simpson*



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**Mary Wash** - May 17, 2018 at 02:59 PM

JA

“ *Jewel Alexander lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rebecca Simpson*



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**Jewel Alexander** - May 17, 2018 at 12:00 PM

MP

“ *Michele Parker lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rebecca Simpson*



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**Michele Parker** - May 17, 2018 at 11:25 AM

ML

“ *Ms. Gina Lee lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rebecca Simpson*



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**Ms. Gina Lee** - May 17, 2018 at 10:19 AM

IH

“ *Iris Hare lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rebecca Simpson*



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**Iris Hare** - May 17, 2018 at 02:27 AM

JA

“ *Jerome & Sheila Adams lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rebecca Simpson*



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**Jerome & Sheila Adams** - May 17, 2018 at 01:01 AM

JK

“ *Jesse & Dorothy Kirksey lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rebecca Simpson*



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**Jesse & Dorothy Kirksey** - May 16, 2018 at 09:06 AM



“ *Charles Brown Jr. lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rebecca Simpson*



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**Charles Brown Jr.** - May 16, 2018 at 08:24 AM

BW

“ *Betty Wiggins lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rebecca Simpson*



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**Betty Wiggins** - May 16, 2018 at 07:39 AM

CJ

“ *Cynthia Y. Jones lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rebecca Simpson*



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**Cynthia Y. Jones** - May 15, 2018 at 09:11 PM

JW

“ *Janice Williams lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rebecca Simpson*



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**Janice Williams** - May 15, 2018 at 08:38 PM

JS

“ *Jacqueline Scott lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rebecca Simpson*



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**Jacqueline Scott** - May 15, 2018 at 10:25 AM

SS

“ *Rest in Heaven Aunt Rebecca*



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**Sandra Simpson-Towner** - May 15, 2018 at 08:24 AM

WH

“ *Wanda Harrison lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rebecca Simpson*



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**Wanda Harrison** - May 15, 2018 at 07:50 AM

AH

“ *Anita Harris lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rebecca Simpson*



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**Anita Harris** - May 14, 2018 at 08:50 PM