



Mrs. Reola Handy

June 4, 1938 - December 31, 2019

HANDY, Mrs. Reola - Age 81, passed away Tuesday, December 31, 2019 in Flushing, MI. Family hour 10:00 AM Saturday, January 11, 2020 at Morning Star Baptist Church, 4075 E. Atherton Rd., Burton, MI, with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM. Rev. Keith Bigelow, officiating. Interment Sunset Hills Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10:00 AM Saturday. Mrs. Handy will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be from viewed 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM Friday.

Mrs. Reola Handy was born June 4, 1938 in Dumas, Arkansas, the daughter of Ernest Williams and Charlie Mae Jones. Reola was a longtime resident of Flint, Michigan. She was an active member of Morning Star Missionary Baptist Church serving on the Nurses Guild, Greeter, Security Team and Missionary Team. Reola attended Mott Community College obtaining 2 Associate Degrees. She was a Licensed Cosmetologist. Reola was devoted to her 6 children and was a full time stay at home mom. Mrs. Handy had many hobbies which included, reading (especially the bible), writing poems, sewing, traveling and going for morning walks. She loved to cook, take care of her many plants, watch TCT, listen to 1420AM (all day long) and shop. Reola was a fashionista, diva in her own right who always dressed to impress. She could have conversation with anyone, talking from sunrise to sunset.

Mrs. Reola Handy leaves to cherish her memory: 4 daughters, Tangie Cathcart of Los Angeles, CA, Carrie Handy of Fort Worth, TX, Lacracha

Handy and Lorraine (Darin) Kelly; son, Alpha Williams; grandchildren, Santoya Handy, all of Flint, Delonte Hunter of Orlando, FL, Rochelle Cathcart of Los Angeles, CA, Xavius Brooks of Canton, MI, Robert Cathcart of Los Angeles, CA, Russell Handy, Airyc Handy, Deandre Mance, Tavares Mance, Kourtne Kelly and Sydnie Kelly; great-grandchildren, Kenya Powell, all of Flint, Damian Williams of Livonia, MI and Ro-Mya Cathcart of Los Angeles, CA; sister, Nellie Davis of Flint; brother, Charley Lee Jones of Lansing, IL; a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends including special friend, Renee Norris. Mrs. Reola Handy was preceded in death by her son, Thomas Handy Jr.; parents, Ernest Williams and Charlie Mae Jones; sister, Bertha Lee Jones; brothers, Chester Lee Jackson, Robert Lee Robinson and Larry Jones. The family would like to express special thanks to Morning Star Missionary Baptist Church family.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Hills Cemetery

G-4413 Flushing Rd.
Flint, MI 48504

Previous Events

Viewing

JAN 10. 12:00 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

JAN 11. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Morningstar Missionary Baptist Church
4075 E. Atherton Rd.
Burton, MI 48519

Service

JAN 11. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Reola Handy*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Marcella Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Reola Handy*



Marcella Jackson - January 21, 2020 at 12:11 PM



“ *Litzsey Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Reola Handy*



Litzsey Family - January 12, 2020 at 05:55 PM



“ *RIP Ms. Handy is was a mother of Green Street Family. I spent many days hanging out the Carrie. She will be missed. Hannah family love y'all!*

Katrena Hannah - January 11, 2020 at 02:01 PM

QP

“I am so sorry to hear about the loss of Ms Handy My thoughts are with the Family ,May Ms Handy Rest In Peace. ... “wishing you hope in the midst of sorrow, and comfort in the midst of pain.” SINCERLY QUANNY💕💕

Quantageah Penegar - January 10, 2020 at 07:24 PM

AC

“ Aileen Credit-Louis lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Reola Handy



Aileen Credit-Louis - January 10, 2020 at 11:56 AM

SS

“ Our condolences to the family, Ms. Reola Handy will be greatly missed. From Betty Smith & Sylvia Smith-Willis.

Sylvia Smith-Willis - January 10, 2020 at 10:04 AM

SS

“ Sylvia Smith-Willis lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Reola Handy



Sylvia Smith-Willis - January 10, 2020 at 10:01 AM

TS

“ *Trina Stewart lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Reola Handy*



Trina Stewart - January 09, 2020 at 01:37 PM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Reola Handy.*



January 09, 2020 at 07:48 AM

MP

“ *Melanie Peeler lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Reola Handy*



Melanie Peeler - January 08, 2020 at 03:31 PM

CH

“ *Chanda lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Reola Handy*



Chanda - January 08, 2020 at 11:27 AM

S(

“ I LOVE YOU FAMILY.



Sharon Marks (Joiner) - January 08, 2020 at 11:04 AM

MS

“ Our sincerest condolences to your family.
Melodie & Scottie Snipes and Betty Turner

Melodie Snipes - January 07, 2020 at 09:51 PM

AB

“ Annette Bridges lit a candle in memory of
Mrs. Reola Handy



Annette Bridges - January 07, 2020 at 07:37 PM

CS

“ Charley L Jones Sr. lit a candle in memory of
Mrs. Reola Handy



Charley L Jones Sr. - January 06, 2020 at 09:29 PM

LN

“ *Lolo Nocentelli-Jones lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Reola Handy*



Lolo Nocentelli-Jones - January 06, 2020 at 09:28 PM

AM

“ *Audrey McNeal sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Reola Handy*



Audrey McNeal - January 06, 2020 at 01:43 PM

AM

“ *Audrey McNeal lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Reola Handy*



Audrey McNeal - January 06, 2020 at 01:43 PM

DS

“ *Oh the sweet memories of my dear Sister Cousin Reola warms my soul. the fun times, the countless conversations brings me joy especially when she was a different celebrity every time she called. even our friends loved Reola and looked forward to her visits. I miss her, Daphne*

Daphne Spinks - January 06, 2020 at 01:19 PM

MN

“ Our condolences to the Handy family. We have known the family since childhood and we are so sorry for your loss. Love you. Patrick Family— Michelle, Buffy, Portia and Calandra.

Michelle Norvell - January 06, 2020 at 09:40 AM

ED

“ Eva Davis lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Reola Handy



Eva Davis - January 06, 2020 at 12:01 AM

TS

“ Trina Stewart lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Reola Handy



Trina Stewart - January 05, 2020 at 09:00 PM

K(

“ Katrina Yearby (Hatchett) lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Reola Handy



Katrina Yearby (Hatchett) - January 04, 2020 at 11:20 PM

GR

“ *Glynis Rice lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Reola Handy*



Glynis Rice - January 04, 2020 at 07:53 PM

MR

“ *I'm sending healing prayers and comforting hugs
I hope you feel surrounded by much love
Sharing in your sadness as we remember Reola Handy
My sincere condolences*

Michelle Dicks - Rowe - January 04, 2020 at 06:10 PM

MM

“ *Marva Mcdaniel lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Reola Handy*



marva mcdaniel - January 03, 2020 at 09:06 PM



“ *Gloria Jenkins sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Reola Handy*



Gloria Jenkins - January 03, 2020 at 07:27 PM

CC

“ *My condolences to the entire Handy Family. Chandra Vickers-Clements & Family*



Chandra Vickers Clements - January 03, 2020 at 06:58 PM

RK

“ *Russell Kirksey lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Reola Handy*



Russell Kirksey - January 03, 2020 at 12:14 PM

CM

“ *My condolences to the Handy n Davis family Reola will be miss very much she was sweet person she always (call me her girl) she could talk for hour I enjoy my her. Know the family from Paterson st.*



Charlotte McCoy - January 02, 2020 at 12:05 PM

DM

“ *Dawud And Lena Majied lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Reola Handy*



Dawud and Lena Majied - January 02, 2020 at 09:54 AM

CA

“ *Deepest sympathy praying for your family Carmon Billings*

carmon - January 02, 2020 at 12:26 AM

MP

“ *My prayers go out to Lorrice and her entire family. Mrs. Handy was a beautiful, strong, thoughtful and caring woman of God. She will be truly missed. Forever loved, the Pettigrew Family.*

Madge Pettigrew - January 01, 2020 at 10:23 PM

CR

“ *Catherine Roberts lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Reola Handy*



Catherine Roberts - January 01, 2020 at 09:14 PM

DS

“ *My condolences to the family.*



Dorothy Simbler - January 01, 2020 at 05:05 PM

VM

“ *My condolences goes outto the family a Diva gain her wings*

Victoria McCreay - January 01, 2020 at 03:03 AM