



Mrs. Rosa L. Small

July 27, 1933 - June 27, 2018

SMALL, Mrs. Rosa L. - Age 84, passed away Wednesday, June 27, 2018 at her residence. Family hour 10:00 AM Tuesday, July 10, 2018 at Mt. Hermon Missionary Baptist Church, G-5283 Clio Rd., with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM Pastor K.D. Yarber officiating. Interment Sunset Hills Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10:00 AM Tuesday. Mrs. Small 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 Monday.

Mrs. Rosa Lee Small was born July 27, 1933 in Odessadale, Georgia, the daughter of Oscar and Rosa Parks. She attended school in Odessadale and later moved to Flint, Michigan in 1957. Rosa was a faithful member of Mt. Hermon Missionary Baptist Church until her health failed. She began under the leadership of Rev. Henry and continued with Pastor K.D. Yarber. Rosa was the mother of 2 children Glenell Parks and Michael Parks. She gained employment at IMA Food Service where she served for 30 years. Rosa was a loving person, her door was always open. She loved people and family. Rosa was know as "Ma Rose" by many that adopted her as their mom. She loved shopping, cooking, rummage sales, traveling and being with family. Rosa will be forever missed.

Mrs. Rosa Lee Small leaves to cherish her sweet memory: granddaughter,

Tamika (James) Smith; 2 great-grandsons, Damarco Hollis (Aisha) and Damario Smith; 2 great-grandchildren, Mariyah Hollis and Damario Smith Jr.; 2 step-grandchildren, Shamika Cain and Darryl Cain; adopted god-son, Willie Williams; adopted, god-daughter, Deborah Seabron; adopted grandson, Stanley White; 4 sisters, Virginia Griggs, Frances Calvert (best friend), Lela Lovelace and Ola (Waymond) Johnson; 3 brothers, Mack Parks, Bobby Parks and W.C. Williams; a host of nieces including special nieces, Tanga Earnest, Josephine Crawford, Nadine Hopkins and Hazel Mobley; a host of nephews, other relatives and friends including special friends, Ms. Clementine, Teresa & Valerie Naylor, and June Spiller.

Mrs. Small was preceded in death by her children, Glenell Parks and Michael Parks; granddaughter, Teana McFadden; parents, Oscar and Rosa Parks; 3 sisters, Jewell Render, Mattie Smith and Mary Parks; 2 brothers, Oscar Parks Jr. and Dewey Parks.

The family would like to express special thanks to her nurses, Melissa Hanson and Trina, and the American Hospice Team. A big thank you to her caregivers, W.C. Williams, Deborah Seabron, Ann Jamieson, Dana Collins, Pastor K.D. Yarber and the Mt. Hermon Missionary Baptist Church family.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Hills Cemetery

G-4413 Flushing Rd.
Flint, MI 48504

Previous Events

Public Viewing

JUL **9**. 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

JUL **10**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Mt. Hermon Missionary Baptist Church
G-5283 Clio Rd.
Flint, MI 48504

Service

JUL **10**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Rosa L. Small*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Jacquetta Rogers lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rosa L. Small*



Jacquetta Rogers - July 09, 2018 at 09:35 PM



“ *Mother Small you will be missed and I will cherish the wonderful memories I have of you. I'm praying for the entire family, extended family, church family and the many friends, Mother Small has left behind. Love & Blessings, Deb Miling, Granddaughter of the late Mother Mosley.*



Deborah Milling - July 09, 2018 at 08:10 PM



“ *Edward Horton lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rosa L. Small*



Edward Horton - July 07, 2018 at 06:59 AM



“ Sutton Family (Lomita Street)



S - July 07, 2018 at 02:27 AM



“ BettyParks lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rosa L. Small



BettyParks - July 06, 2018 at 07:08 PM



“ Mt. Hermon Church Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Rosa L. Small



Mt. Hermon Church Family - July 06, 2018 at 02:59 PM



“ Judy Franks sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Rosa L. Small



Judy Franks - July 02, 2018 at 03:46 PM

JH

“ MY DEEPLY SYMPATHY TO THE ENTIRE
SMALL AND PARKER FAMILY



JOHANNA ANDERSON HOUSTON - June 30, 2018 at 06:33 PM

VJ

“ My condolences to the family of Mrs. Rosa
Small



Vivian Johnson-McMillian - June 29, 2018 at 11:35 AM



“ Wanda Baker lit a candle in memory of Mrs.
Rosa L. Small



Wanda Baker - June 29, 2018 at 09:36 AM



“ Rio Grand lit a candle in memory of Mrs.
Rosa L. Small



Rio Grand - June 28, 2018 at 08:11 PM

TE

“ *Missing you the most Aunt Rose, Love you*

Tanga Earnest - June 28, 2018 at 01:22 AM

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“ *Tanga Earnest lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rosa L. Small*



Tanga Earnest - June 28, 2018 at 01:22 AM