



## Mrs. Ruby Jean Upchurch

January 13, 1938 - December 13, 2015

UPCHURCH, Mrs. Ruby Jean - Age 77, passed away Sunday, December 13, 2015 at her residence. Family hour 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, December 22, 2015 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd. with funeral service commencing at 11 a.m.

Pastor Kenneth L. Stewart, officiating. Family and friends will assemble at the funeral home 10:30 a.m. Tuesday. Mrs. Upchurch will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, and may be viewed from 12 p.m.- 8 p.m. Monday.

Mrs. Ruby Jean Upchurch was born January 13, 1938 in Flint, Michigan, the daughter of Gertrude and Thomas Williams. She was a member of Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist Church. Ruby graduated from Emerson High School and attended Mott College. She was employed part time for the Flint Board of Education and Foster Grandparents Program. Ruby was a sweet loving person. She enjoyed writing poems, reading and listening to music. Ruby also enjoyed spending time with her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Ruby Jean Upchurch leaves to cherish her memory: 3 daughters, Earlene (Benny) Nard of Bakersfield, CA, Darlene Upchurch of Racine, WI and Ruby (Clayton) Standokes of Flint; 3 sons, Anthony (Marilyn) Williams of Atlanta, GA, Earl Upchurch and Earthly (Tanisha) Upchurch, all of Flint; a host

of grandchildren and great-grandchildren including special grandchildren, Tony and Tameka Standokes, and Elijah Moore; 2 sisters, Patsy of Chicago, IL and Janette of Springfield, MO; a host of other relatives and friends including special friends, Mable T, Roxanne, her church family and the entire Flint Heights Terrace residents and staff.

Mrs. Upchurch was preceded in death by her son, Michael Williams; granddaughter, Clarissa A. Upchurch; and parents, Gertrude and Thomas Williams.

The family would like to express special thanks to McLaren-Flint nurses and Kith Haven Nursing Facility.

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

DEC **21**. 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

DEC **22**. 10:30 AM (ET)

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## Service

DEC **22**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Ruby Jean Upchurch*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Always was humble and nice to us Randolph children. Your legacy of who you are lives on.*



**Carolyn Randolph-Witcher** - January 29, 2016 at 09:40 AM



“ *I remember when Mrs. Upchurch would sat on her front Porch on Sunday. At that time We lived in the same neighborhood. She was very soft spoken Person. She always had a smile on her face. So, I want to send my Deepest Sympathy to the Family and friends. God Bless You with Strength and Peace. My Prayers are with you all, Sincerely Vershann Dawson & Family. GIG ( GOD IS GOOD ALL THE TIME. )*

**Vershann Dawson Wisdom** - December 27, 2015 at 07:40 PM

VS

“ Valerie Southall lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Ruby Jean Upchurch



Valerie Southall - December 21, 2015 at 04:58 PM

MA

“ The family of the late Margaret Bell Mosley, Ruby Jean's cousin, send our prayers and condolences for your loss.



Melinda Mosley Anderson

Melinda Mosley Anderson - December 21, 2015 at 06:19 AM

MA

“ Melinda Mosley Anderson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Ruby Jean Upchurch



Melinda Mosley Anderson - December 21, 2015 at 06:09 AM

LK

“ Loretta Kenebrew-Cox lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Ruby Jean Upchurch



Loretta Kenebrew-Cox - December 21, 2015 at 01:10 AM

WW

“ *Wisteria Whitaker lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Ruby Jean Upchurch*



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**Wisteria Whitaker** - December 20, 2015 at 04:48 PM

PR

“ *Patricia Rice lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Ruby Jean Upchurch*



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**Patricia Rice** - December 19, 2015 at 01:45 AM

BF

“ *Belk Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Ruby Jean Upchurch*



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**Belk Family** - December 18, 2015 at 02:35 AM

CR

“ *We love the Upchurch family very dearly...  
Memories are so vivid of countless moments together...  
Send our deepest condolences Carolyn,  
Everett, Deanna, John Jr., Elijah, Kamela,  
Janean, Octavian, Adrian and Bessie Randolph*



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**Carolyn Randolph-Witcher** - December 16, 2015 at 01:41 PM

MJ

“ *Mary Hussey Jones lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Ruby Jean Upchurch*



**Mary Hussey Jones** - December 16, 2015 at 05:34 AM

MJ

“ *Mary Jones lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Ruby Jean Upchurch*



**Mary Jones** - December 15, 2015 at 02:05 PM

MF

“ *Mackey/Smith Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Ruby Jean Upchurch*



**Mackey/Smith Family** - December 14, 2015 at 09:07 AM

MF

*Earlene,Earl,Darlene,Ruby and Earthly. I know we haven't seen each other for some years. Just letting you guy's know we still love you! If you need anything were just an call away. Rip Mama Upchurch. Love ya!*

**Mackey/Smith Family** - December 14, 2015 at 09:49 PM

LD

*Dear Family,*

*Your Aunt Jeanette and cousins Loretta, Clifton and Brittany from St. Louis send our heartfelt sympathy for the passing of Ruby. Words cannot express our sadness. We know that she is resting in peace. You are in our thoughts and prayers. May God bless you and keep you.*

*Love you,  
Aunt Jeanette and Loretta*

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**Loretta Davis** - December 15, 2015 at 07:46 PM

BG

*The family in Chicago of the late Ruby's big sister Patsy sends a sympathy at the lost of her baby sister.*

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**belinda gunn** - December 17, 2015 at 08:15 PM

ML

*Thanks for being you and accepting me into your heart. You were a great Mother-In-Law and your spirit lives on. My heart is heavy but I find comfort in knowing you are resting in God's arms. Love you always.*

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**Marilyn Leach-Williams** - December 18, 2015 at 05:42 PM

DU

*Thank you to everyone who sent their love for my mother. I / we miss her a lot. She's resting in Gods arms now. Love you mommy.*

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**Darlene Upchurch** - August 20, 2016 at 05:23 PM