



Mother Ruthie Mae Chatman

October 26, 1930 - June 9, 2020

CHATMAN, Mother Ruthie Mae - Age 89, passed away Tuesday, June 9, 2020 at Hurley Medical Center. Mother Chatman will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed Wednesday, June 17, 2020 from 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM. Interment River Rest Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd.

Mother Ruthie Mae Chatman was born October 26, 1930 in Parkin, Arkansas, the daughter of Charlie and Curva Lewis. She was educated in Parkin, Arkansas Public Schools. Ruthie was a resident of Flint, Michigan and a faithful member of Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church for over 40 years. Her primary service was ministering to the Lord. Mother Chatman was a strong prayer warrior, always standing in the gap for the church family, her family, the community and those that were sick and oppressed. She served on the Ruth Mission Circle Ministry and was a member of the Gospel Chorus Choir. Mother Chatman enjoyed spending time with family and friends. She enjoyed listening to Gospel music and cooking.

Mother Ruthie Mae Chatman leaves to cherish her memory: 7 daughters and 3 sons, Minnie (Robert) Harris of Cordova, TN, Lee Ollie Sanders of Grand Rapids, MI, Olivia Shelton of Flint, Carolyn Sanders of Chicago, IL, Jacquelyn Wintersmith of Flint, Shirley (Roy) Hayes of Bloomington, IL, Larry Chatman,

Kathleen (Horace) Sturdivant, all of Flint, Tawanda (Creon) Mattison of Grand Blanc, MI and James Chatman of Flint; 23 grandchildren; 27 great-grandchildren; 22 great-great-grandchildren; sister, Jacqueline Williamson (John Hayes) of Atlanta, GA; brother, Charles (Nural) Lewis of Kellar, TX; a host of cousins; sister-in-law, Ophelia Fleming of Chicago, IL; a host of other relatives and friends including special friend, Hattie Moore.

Mother Chatman was preceded in death by her husband, Matthew Chatman; parents, Charlie and Curva Lewis; step-mother, Pinkie Lewis; brothers, Earl Lewis, A.B. Lewis Sr., Vertis Lewis, Clarence Lewis, Gregory Easter, Willie Donnie Lewis Sr. and Lessie Garrison.

The family would like to express special thanks to Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church family and Mt. Pisgah Missionary Baptist Church family.

Cemetery Details

River Rest Cemetery

G-4413 Flushing Rd.
Flint, MI 48504

Previous Events

Viewing

JUN 17. 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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

Tribute Wall



“ *Mother Ruthie Mae Chatman*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *RIH mother!*



Tiffany Quinn - June 20, 2020 at 03:00 PM



“ *Rest in peace grandmother may GOD receive you into his loving arms. A journey into immortality where everything will be renewed. Peace and joy from my heart to yours. Your Granddaughter Theresa Williams*

Theresa Williams (granddaughter) - June 16, 2020 at 07:02 PM



“ *DAHTUTORING Family - Dwayne Hall purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mother Ruthie Mae Chatman.*



DAHTUTORING Family - Dwayne Hall - June 16, 2020 at 12:17 AM

MG

“ *Monica Garfield sent a virtual gift in memory of Mother Ruthie Mae Chatman*



Monica Garfield - June 15, 2020 at 11:40 PM

CC

“ *My condolences to MS. (Mother)Chapman's family. May God sustain you all in your loss.*



Charlene Causey - June 15, 2020 at 03:43 PM



“ *Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Mother Ruthie Mae Chatman.*



June 15, 2020 at 03:22 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Mother Ruthie Mae Chatman.*



June 15, 2020 at 10:58 AM



“ *A Full Life was purchased for the family of Mother Ruthie Mae Chatman.*



June 15, 2020 at 08:24 AM



“ *My condolences to the family, friends and loved ones at this most difficult time.*



Jacquetta Parks-Rogers - June 14, 2020 at 10:48 AM



“ *Walt And Terry Nickson lit a candle in memory of Mother Ruthie Mae Chatman*



Walt and Terry Nickson - June 13, 2020 at 01:13 PM



“ *Sheila Summers lit a candle in memory of Mother Ruthie Mae Chatman*



Sheila Summers - June 12, 2020 at 12:06 PM



“ *ReGina Adams lit a candle in memory of Mother Ruthie Mae Chatman*



ReGina Adams - June 11, 2020 at 07:40 AM

HC

“ *Praying for the family, she was my neighbor for many years and we became friends, she love her yard with pretty flowers, I truly will miss that beautiful smile 🙏❤️🧸*



Hettie Collins - June 10, 2020 at 11:52 AM

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“ *We, the staff of Ridgecrest Village Apartments, share our deepest condolences to the family of Ruthie Chatman. "Earth has no sorrow that heaven cannot heal." Mrs. Chatman was a long time, model resident of our community, and we will miss her deeply. God Bless and prayers for the family.*

Pat Edwards - June 10, 2020 at 10:31 AM