



## Mrs. Terrell Bowers

February 18, 1945 - October 18, 2025

BOWERS, Mrs. Terrell - Age 80, passed away Saturday, October 18, 2025, at The Lavigne Home. Family hour 1:30PM Wednesday, October 22, 2025, from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with Memorial service commencing at 2PM, Pastor Anthony Artis, officiating. Friends and family will assemble at the funeral home 1:30PM Wednesday.

### A Life Well Lived

Terrell Ruth Bowers was born on February 18, 1945, in Detroit, Michigan, to Yvonne Russell. She was later adopted and lovingly raised by her grandparents, Sam and Ruth Russell, in Holly, Michigan. From a young age, Terrell's radiant spirit shone brightly. She was deeply involved in civic and community activities, always eager to lend a hand and uplift those around her.

During her school years, Terrell's charisma and enthusiasm led her to become a cheerleader. In her sophomore year, she was crowned Queen—making history as the first African American Woman to receive that honor at her school. Her grace and leadership continued to shine as she was later named Miss Palladian Queen, a title that reflected both her beauty and her vibrant heart.

After graduation, Terrell began her career at General Motors. During this time,

she married Peathon Massey, and together they welcomed two children, September Gray and Sohn Massey. Following their divorce, Terrell later married James Bowers in 1970. Together, they built a successful career in sales with a cosmetics company, where Terrell's passion and people skills helped her rise to the position of National Sales Director. Her success allowed her to travel widely, forming countless cherished friendships and lifelong connections along the way.

After years of adventure and accomplishment, Terrell and James made their home in Atlanta, Georgia. It was there that Terrell dedicated her life to God and found joy in serving her church and community. Known for her generosity and warm hospitality, she loved hosting dinner parties, decorating, attending estate sales, and watching the History Channel. She was also a gifted cook and a devoted prayer warrior—always ready with an encouraging word and a heartfelt prayer for anyone in need.

After her separation from James Bowers, Terrell returned home to Michigan to lovingly care for her mother. During this time, she became a devoted member of Faith Tabernacle, where she found a beautiful community of family and friends who supported her as she rebuilt her life.

Following her mother's passing, Terrell continued to live a life of service and compassion. She cared tenderly for her beloved Aunt Bernice Seay until the Lord called her home, and she found great joy and purpose in raising her grandson.

Terrell's heart for others was evident in everything she did. She never hesitated to open her home or share what she had with those in need. Whether she was feeding the hungry or offering words of encouragement, Terrell nourished both body and soul—sharing not only food, but also the Word of God. Her kindness, generosity, and faith touched countless lives,

leaving a legacy of love and service that will never be forgotten.

### Cherished Memories

Terrell was preceded in death by her mother, Yvonne Kinchen, and her sister, Beverly Kinchen. She leaves to cherish her memory her beloved children, September Gray of Atlanta, Georgia; Sohn Massey of Flint, Michigan; and James Bowers of California. She is also lovingly remembered by her many grandchildren, extended family, and countless friends whose lives were touched by her love, kindness, and unwavering faith.

### Her Legacy

Terrell will forever be remembered for her radiant smile, her generous heart, and her deep love for God and people. Her legacy of grace, strength, and compassion will continue to live on through all who knew and loved her.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Mrs. Terrell Bowers*



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**Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home** - October 22, 2025 at 02:26 PM

GA

“ *Gloria Acker lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Terrell Bowers*



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**Gloria Acker** - October 23, 2025 at 10:39 PM

GA

“ *Gloria Acker lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Terrell Bowers*



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**Gloria Acker** - October 23, 2025 at 10:07 PM

KL

“ *Kimberlyn and Lamont purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mrs. Terrell Bowers.*



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**Kimberlyn and Lamont** - October 22, 2025 at 09:55 AM

LB

“ *Love, Marian & Bill purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Mrs. Terrell Bowers.*



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**Love, Marian & Bill** - October 22, 2025 at 09:42 AM

CB

“ *Christine Brown lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Terrell Bowers*



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**Christine Brown** - October 22, 2025 at 06:09 AM

KL

“ *Terrell you are special part of my life because you have been there since I can remember remembering things. You became more than a neighbor you and your family became family to us. We are going to miss you down here but you will definitely be in good company. Rest in peace beautiful spirit. With love and prayers Kobie Ladd*

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**Kobie Ladd** - October 22, 2025 at 01:10 AM

DR

“ DeVon J. Robertson purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Terrell Bowers.



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DeVon J. Robertson - October 21, 2025 at 10:35 PM

DR

“ DeVon J. Robertson planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs. Terrell Bowers.

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DeVon J. Robertson - October 21, 2025 at 10:35 PM

EG

“ Evang Gloria Garland lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Terrell Bowers



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Evang Gloria Garland - October 21, 2025 at 10:08 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Terrell Bowers.



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October 21, 2025 at 08:58 PM

KS

“ Krystal Smith planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs. Terrell Bowers.

Krystal Smith - October 21, 2025 at 08:58 PM

MF

“ Much Love, The Monteilh Family purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Mrs. Terrell Bowers.



Much Love, The Monteilh Family - October 21, 2025 at 08:33 PM

MF

“ Much Love, The Monteilh Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs. Terrell Bowers.

Much Love, The Monteilh Family - October 21, 2025 at 08:33 PM

TF

“ The Southern Edge Family purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Terrell Bowers.



The Southern Edge Family - October 21, 2025 at 05:03 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Mrs. Terrell Bowers.*



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October 21, 2025 at 03:55 PM



“ *Eric & Key Banks purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Mrs. Terrell Bowers.*



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**Eric & Key Banks** - October 21, 2025 at 03:48 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs. Terrell Bowers.*



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October 21, 2025 at 01:50 PM



“ *To the Family Of Terrell Bowers. Our prayers and thoughts are with Lisa and Shawn, Jamie. Ms. Terrell was beautiful inside and out with an Angelic voice. Her memories will be cherished forever. Your babysitter Vivian (Warren)Ross-Stocker & The entire Ross Family*



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**Vivian Ross-Stocker** - October 21, 2025 at 01:35 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mrs. Terrell Bowers.*



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October 21, 2025 at 01:33 PM



“ *The Means Family. Chicago, IL. purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Mrs. Terrell Bowers.*



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**The Means Family. Chicago, IL.** - October 21, 2025 at 11:56 AM



“ *My heart is touched hearing of the passing of my sister in Christ, Terrell was an angel on earth. She had an angelic anointed voice. We used to sing together in the Church Choir and in Easter and Christmas productions at Faith Tabernacle in the 1980's, everyone was blessed when she led songs. Praying for her children September, Shawn, Jamie and grandchildren 🙏*

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**Delores Johnson** - October 21, 2025 at 10:41 AM



“ *We only met Mrs. Bowers a couple of times through her loving daughter, September, but loved her kind spirit. Wishing the family comfort and joy in their memories of her.  
Frantz and Neva Osse*

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**mcghee osse** - October 21, 2025 at 10:21 AM

MD

“ Michael and Deborah Draper purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mrs. Terrell Bowers.



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Michael and Deborah Draper - October 21, 2025 at 10:17 AM

MD

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Michael and Deborah Draper - October 21, 2025 at 10:17 AM



“ My sincere condolences to the Bowers family. My heart goes out to the family and friends during this difficult time. Wishing you all comfort and peace as you remember Mrs. Bowers love and legacy.



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Normandie Stroter - October 20, 2025 at 11:17 PM



“ Margene Burkett lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Terrell Bowers



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Margene Burkett - October 20, 2025 at 10:29 PM

LW

“ Love, Vicki and Leo Williams purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Terrell Bowers.



Love, Vicki and Leo Williams - October 20, 2025 at 09:50 PM

MH

“ Michael & Kim Humphrey purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mrs. Terrell Bowers.



Michael & Kim Humphrey - October 20, 2025 at 06:49 PM

MH

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Michael & Kim Humphrey - October 20, 2025 at 06:49 PM

DJ

“ My sincere condolences to the family of Terrell Bowers, she was an awesome woman of God. We were in the choir together at Faith Tabernacle back in 80's and became close sister's in Christ and our son's Rickey and Jamie were close. She had an angelic anointed voice, I loved hearing her lead songs so effortlessly. Her children and grandchildren are in my continued prayers 🙏🙏

Delores Johnson - October 20, 2025 at 05:58 PM

TD

“ Tina & Miko DeFoor purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mrs. Terrell Bowers.



Tina & Miko DeFoor - October 20, 2025 at 05:03 PM

SR

“ Our hearts are saddened to learn of your transition. To our Dear Mother & Gracious Sister we Believe that One Day in Heaven we will Embrace You Again...In Pure LOVE!  
Bro. Fletcher Sr , Sis. Rosie Lee Rheaves

Sis. Rosie Lee Rheaves - October 20, 2025 at 04:57 PM

DG

“ Saddened to hear of the transition of terrell Bowers  
Praying for the family 🙏🏾❤️



Deacon Terry Gates - October 19, 2025 at 02:11 PM



“ My condolences to the family & dear friends of Mrs. Terrell Bowers.



Ivan Wilson - October 19, 2025 at 12:13 PM

AS

“ *Aileen Spence sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Terrell Bowers*



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**Aileen Spence** - October 18, 2025 at 01:49 PM

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