



## Mrs. Thelma "Gertie Mae" Haywood

March 28, 1928 - January 3, 2014

HAYWOOD, Mrs. Thelma "Gertie Mae" - Age 85, passed away Friday, January 3, 2014 at Geneva Hospice-Flint, MI. Family hour 11:30 a.m. Friday, January 10, 2014 at House of Prayer Missionary Baptist Church, 1851 W. Carpenter Rd. with funeral service commencing at 12 p.m. Pastor Kenneth L. Stewart officiating. Interment Lovedale Memorial Cemetery, G-5175 E. Bristol Rd., Burton, MI. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the Church 11:30 a.m. Friday. Mrs. Haywood will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd. and may be viewed from 12 p.m.-8 p.m. Thursday, with family present 4 p.m.-6 p.m.

Mrs. Thelma "Gertie Mae" Haywood was born March 28, 1929 in Flint, MI, the daughter of Alex & Emmie (Goodwin) Turner. Thelma attended Flint Northern High School. She retired from Genesee Memorial hospital as a dietician. Thelma was happily married to her husband, Thomas Haywood Jr. for 61 years. She was a devoted member of the House of Prayer Missionary Baptist Church for more than 40 years. Thelma loved her family and friends dearly.

Mrs. Thelma Haywood leaves to cherish her memory: 3 daughters, Shelley Haywood, Vickie (Earl) Carroll, all of Flint, and Kim (Ernest) Harris of Romulus, MI; 2 sons, Gregory Averyhardt and Craig (Jeri) Haywood, all of Flint; 12 grandchildren; 23 great-grandchildren; sister-in-law, Ann Haywood, Tommie Lou Haywood and Rose Mary Turner, brother in law, Kirk Haywood; a host of nieces, nephews and cousins including long time neighbor Antvovina and special friends, the Pitts, Stallings and Lane Families.

Mrs. Haywood was preceded in death by her husband, Thomas Haywood Jr.; parents, Alex & Emmie Turner; 5 brothers, Emmet Turner, Stanley Turner, Nathaniel Turner, Jackson Turner and Robert Turner; 4 sisters, Irene Keyes, Fannie Walker, Mary Averyhardt, and Nadine Patton; and 1 granddaughter Ty'Leah Haywood.

The family would like to express special thanks to the Mastin family, Harris family, McLaren Flint, Gentiva Hospice, Pastor Kenneth L. Stewart and the House of Prayer

Baptist Church Family, Pastor Kelly Richards and the Grace Cathedral Community Church Family and Stanley "The Handyman" Chapman.

# Cemetery Details

## Lovedale Memorial Cemetery

G-5175 E. Bristol Rd.  
Burton, MI

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

**JAN 9.** 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 Present

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## Family hour

**JAN 10.** 11:30 AM (ET)

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Flint, MI

## Service

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JAN 10. 12:00 PM (ET)

House of Prayer Missionary Baptist Church

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Flint, MI

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Thelma "Gertie Mae" Haywood*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Thank you family and friends for your caring words . Our mom is at peace with the Lord and her husband. We love you all God bless*

**Kim Haywood Harris** - January 13, 2014 at 08:00 PM



“ *Although I didn't find you until well into my adult years, I will always treasure the conversations we shared. Getting to know you helped me find a part of myself. I will always love and treasure the time we shared together. We send our prayers and condolences to our wonderful family. Your loving nephew, Chris D. Turner (Sheila)*

**Chris D Turner** - January 10, 2014 at 10:55 AM



“ *TO MY DEAR FRIEND SHELLY & THE HAYWOOD FAMILY.I AM TRULY SORRY IN THE LOST OF YOUR MOTHER. PLEASE ACCEPT MY SINCERE CONDOLENCES, YOU ARE IN MY PRAYERS &MAY GOD BLESS YOU ALL.WITH GOD'S COMFORT AND PEACE.LOVE YOU SHELLY & FAMILY.YOUR DEAREST FRIEND ARNETHA {NITA} NELSON*

**Arnetha Nelson** - January 10, 2014 at 09:23 AM



“ *Dearest Haywood Family,  
We are so sorry for the lost your mother and our friend. She will be greatly missed in all our lives. She was one of GOD's greatest gift to this world; but he needed her more than we did. I know she is at peace and smiling down at us all. My friend you are now an Angel and a shining Star in heaven above.*

*Your Friends'  
Countess Cabell and Sandra Merriweather*

**Sandra Merriweather** - January 09, 2014 at 07:07 PM



SG

“ Sorry bout your lost she was a great woman god came an got his angel love you all The Griffin Family you are in are prayers

Samella Griffin - January 08, 2014 at 02:24 PM

TF

“ Mrs. Thelma Haywood will be missed by the family that loved her and friends that grew to love her like another mother. Keeping the Haywood family in our prayers.

The Mastin Family - January 08, 2014 at 10:46 AM

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“ LOVEYOURENTIREFAMILY SHELLYRON@SHERRYSHUMAN



SHERRYSHUMAN - January 08, 2014 at 10:36 AM

JT  
Banks

“ The world is going to be a different place without you, Aunt Gert , but heaven has another angel. We send our prayers and condolences to the family. Much love always. Jackie ( Turner) Banks, Reggie Banks and family.

JT Banks - January 08, 2014 at 02:48 AM

MS

“ Mr Mrs Glen And Frances Starling sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Thelma "Gertie Mae" Haywood



mr mrs glen and frances starling - January 07, 2014 at 01:18 PM

MS

“ *Mr Mrs Glen And Frances Starling lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Thelma "Gertie Mae" Haywood*



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**mr mrs glen and frances starling** - January 07, 2014 at 01:17 PM

RT

“ *Raymond Tucker lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Thelma "Gertie Mae" Haywood*



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**Raymond Tucker** - January 07, 2014 at 12:36 PM

RT

“ *To the entire Haywood family, Craig, Shelly, Vicky and Kim. It hurt us hearing of the passing of your Mom, I'll always remember the great times sharing you all's family outings, she will truly be missed, may God bless you all in this time of loss, Tell Pops my prayers are with him, stay strong. Your family friends, Raymond & Brenda Tucker*

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**Raymond Tucker** - January 07, 2014 at 12:36 PM

LI

“ *Dear Haywood Family and Friends,  
I am so very sorry to hear of the loss of your dear loved one. Please accept my sincere condolences. May it comfort you to know that The Most High God has resurrected humans before and He assures us He will do it again. (Acts24:15).  
God longs to bring back those who have fallen asleep in death to perfect health under paradisaic conditions right here on Earth. (Job14:14,15)*

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**Lisa** - January 06, 2014 at 08:10 PM



“ *To the Haywood family, you are in our prayers. May God bless all of you!  
Mr. and Mrs. Trenton Smiley and family*



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**Trenton Smiley** - January 06, 2014 at 07:30 PM

GK

“ To the Haywood family, you are in my prayers and God bless you.  
Glenn Keys and family

Glenn Keys - January 06, 2014 at 05:47 PM

GW

“ To the Haywood family, Gregory, Shelly, Vicki, Craig, Kim, my family and I share in your grieve and sorrow and wish to you God's comfort and peace. Aunt Gert will be missed by all those who were blessed and touched by her presence in this live and beyond.

We love you Aunt Gert and may you be received at the gates of Heaven while the angels rejoice your homecoming.

The Woodward family. (Wayne, Judy, Natalie, and Jacob)

Gary Wayne Woodward - January 05, 2014 at 08:08 PM

KH

Thank you cousin Wayne for the kind words. We love you all as well

Kim Haywood Harris - January 06, 2014 at 05:43 PM

JK

“ Joyce Keys lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Thelma "Gertie Mae" Haywood



Joyce Keys - January 05, 2014 at 04:38 PM

JK

In loving memory of my Aunt Gert. I love you and will miss you.

Joyce Keys - January 05, 2014 at 04:40 PM

AH

“ Dear Family, I am deeply sorry to hear of the loss of your dear loved one. May the hope at Isaiah 25:8 bring the Haywood family and friends much comfort. Here Almighty God assures us that "death will be swallowed up forever and tears wiped from all faces." And we have the opportunity to see our dead loved ones again, as promised at John 5:28,29. May God's love fill your hearts with peace.



Anne H. - January 05, 2014 at 05:07 AM