



## Mrs. Tomie Mae Crawford

December 16, 1922 - December 18, 2018

CRAWFORD, Mrs. Tomie - Age 96, passed away Tuesday, December 18, 2018 at Heartland Healthcare-Fostrian Manor, Flushing, MI. Family hour 2:00 PM Sunday, December 23, 2018 at New Heaven Missionary Baptist Church, 3184 W. Pierson Rd., with funeral service commencing at 3:00 PM Pastor Joseph Jenkins officiating. Interment River Rest Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 3:00 PM Sunday. Mrs. Crawford will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM Friday, December 21, 2018.

Mrs. Tomie Mae (Relerford) Crawford began her life's journey on December 16, 1922 in Risen, Arkansas, the second child of the late Nick and Elizabeth (Tolbert) Relerford. Her parents brought her to Flint, Michigan at the age of seven. She attended Flint Public Schools, graduating from the "old" Northern High School in 1942. Mrs. Crawford met and married Mr. Robert Crawford in 1943. To that union three children were born. Mrs. Crawford joined Antioch Missionary Baptist Church as a young adult and remained a member until her passing. She was a member of the Sunday School Class #3, the Esther Circle mission group, and served as Secretary and Treasurer of the General Mission of Antioch Missionary Baptist Church for a number of years.

Mrs. Tomie Mae Crawford leaves a lifetime of wonderful memories: 2

daughters, Brenda Burns of Burton, MI and Mildred Banks of Mt. Morris Twp., MI; son, Robert (Pam) Crawford of Adrian, MI; 6 grandchildren, Rhonda, Darin, Tracey, Rochelle, Tess and Michael; a host of great-grandchildren; sister, Viola Massey; 2 brothers, Frank and Dennis Relerford, all of Flint; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends including special friends, Earnestine Gray, Mary Lansdown, Eunice Ingram and Twinet Jenkins.

Mrs. Crawford was preceded in death by her husband, Robert Crawford; parents, Nick and Elizabeth Relerford; 4 sisters, Doris Cotton, Mable Thomas, Roberta Byckes, and Oris Smith; 2 brothers, Jack Willis and Adam Relerford; son-in-law, Donner R. Banks; 2 brothers-in-law, Adam Cotton Jr. and Sonnie Massey; and 4 nephews.

The family of Mrs. Tomie Mae Crawford would like to thank everyone for their love, support and prayers during her transition. It is a joy to know people like you. A special appreciation to Pastor Joseph Jenkins and the New Heaven Missionary Baptist Church family, the Esther Circle members and Sunday School Teacher, James and wife, Gayle Regston of Antioch Baptist Church, daily care givers; Elder James Puryear, and Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home staff for caring and being there.

# Cemetery Details

## River Rest Cemetery

G-4413 Flushing Rd.  
Flint, MI 48504

# 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 **23**. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

New Heaven Missionary Baptist Church  
G-3184 W. Pierson Rd.  
Flint, MI

## Service

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DEC **23**. 3:00 PM (ET)

New Heaven Missionary Baptist Church  
G-3184 W. Pierson Rd.  
Flint, MI

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Tomie Mae Crawford*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Iwoana Ford sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Tomie Mae Crawford*



**Iwoana Ford** - December 21, 2018 at 09:36 PM



“ *Brenda Calhoun sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Tomie Mae Crawford*



**Brenda Calhoun** - December 21, 2018 at 05:30 PM



“ *Darrius Redwine-Adams lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Tomie Mae Crawford*



**Darrius Redwine-Adams** - December 21, 2018 at 05:12 PM

WB

“ William And Neysa Burns lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Tomie Mae Crawford



William and Neysa Burns - December 21, 2018 at 03:59 PM

BS

“ Beverley Smith lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Tomie Mae Crawford



Beverley Smith - December 21, 2018 at 09:29 AM

CW

“ Cleola Wright-Griffis sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Tomie Mae Crawford



Cleola Wright-Griffis - December 21, 2018 at 01:42 AM

DJ

“ Dennis & Shirley Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Tomie Mae Crawford



Dennis & Shirley Jackson - December 20, 2018 at 05:50 PM



“ *Wanda Baker sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Tomie Mae Crawford*



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**Wanda Baker** - December 20, 2018 at 05:00 PM

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“ *Freda Ratliff-Williams lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Tomie Mae Crawford*



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**Freda Ratliff-Williams** - December 20, 2018 at 01:29 PM

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“ *Yvonne Howell (niece) lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Tomie Mae Crawford*



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**Yvonne howell (niece)** - December 19, 2018 at 07:09 PM

MP

“ *MINISTER PAM sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Tomie Mae Crawford*



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**MINISTER PAM** - December 19, 2018 at 07:50 AM

MP

“ *MINISTER PAM lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Tomie Mae Crawford*



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**MINISTER PAM** - December 19, 2018 at 07:50 AM