



Mother Vergie Mae Washington

September 24, 1936 - May 21, 2026

WASHINGTON, Mother Vergie Mae - Age 89, passed away Thursday, May 21, 2026 in Norcross, GA. Family hour 10:00 AM Friday, May 29, 2026, from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral service commencing at 10:30 AM, Pastor Janard Lakes, Officiating. Interment Great Lakes National Cemetery, G-4200 Belford Rd., Holly, MI. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the Funeral Home 10:00 AM Friday, May 29, 2026. Mother Washington will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home and may be viewed during the family hour.

Mrs. Vergie Mae Washington was born September 24, 1936, in Morvin, Alabama. She was the born one of nine children of Jim and Earbilee (Taylor) Findley.

Vergie was a diligent worker with a caring heart. She began her career at McLaren-Flint (McLaren General Hospital) as an Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN). Vergie went on taking care of her husband, Narvell for 16 years of their 48 years of marriage while continuing to work at General Motors Corporation, retiring after 30 years of service. She graduated from Flint Northern High School, "Class of 1956" and went on to gain her Associate Degree in General Studies from Mott College.

Vergie was a long-time member of Antioch Missionary Baptist Church serving on the Nurses Guild and singing alto in Choir No.2. After leaving Michigan, she took residence in Norcross, Georgia and joined her faith with Salem

Missionary Baptist Church under the care of Rev. Dr. Richard B. Haynes. During her leisure times, she loved gardening and fishing. You could also see her at Bingo or the casino.

Mrs. Vergie Mae Washington leaves to cherish her memory: sons, Fred D. Findley of Lansing, MI and Alan N. Washington of Flint; daughters, Beverly R. Washington of Norcross, GA and Joan (Joe) Taylor of Pearland, TX; daughter-in-love, Shelby D. Branch of Norcross, GA; grandchildren, Tenika, Alan "AJ", Russell and Tim; great-grandson, Aiden; grandchildren-in-love, Demar, Sharrod and LeDale; sisters-in-law, Mable and Gwen; a host of nieces, nephews, extended family and friends.

Mrs. Washington was preceded in death by her husband, Narvell Washington; parents, Jim and Earbilee Findley; and 8 siblings.

The family would like to express special thanks to Salem Missionary Baptist Church, Rev. Dr. Richard B. Haynes, Alvin and Sara Bernett, and the Senior Ministry, Angie Bridges and Interim Healthcare.

Acknowledgement

The family appreciates the many kind expressions of love and concern extended to them during this time of bereavement. Our special thanks.

The Family of Mrs. Vergie Mae Washington

Cemetery Details

Great Lakes National Cemetery

G-4200 Belford Rd.
Holly, MI 48442

Previous Events

Family hour & viewing

MAY 29. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home Chapel, Flint
906 W. Flint Park Blvd.
Flint, MI 48505
(810) 789-MOON (6666)
lemoonfhflint@gmail.com
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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Mother Vergie Mae Washington*



Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home - May 29 at 09:26 AM

JB

“ *My condolences to the entire Washington family*



Jeanette Brown - May 30 at 02:00 AM

JB

“ *Our Prayers and Condolences are with the Washington Family. May the memories uplift you each and every day and keep a smile upon your face.*



Betty Bell & Family

Jennifer Ballard - May 29 at 06:07 PM

LB

“ *Loretta Black lit a candle in memory of Mother Vergie Mae Washington*



Loretta Black - May 29 at 04:50 PM

KT

“ *Praying for the family. She was a beautiful woman. She will be missed.* 🙏

The Tucker Family



Karen Tucker - May 29 at 01:23 PM

VB

“ *Virginia Bullockgray lit a candle in memory of Mother Vergie Mae Washington*



Virginia Bullockgray - May 29 at 12:32 PM

CH

“ *Cynthia Higgins lit a candle in memory of Mother Vergie Mae Washington*



Cynthia Higgins - May 29 at 10:00 AM

MM

“ *Mary McGee sent a virtual gift in memory of Mother Vergie Mae Washington*



Mary McGee - May 28 at 11:20 PM

CW

“ *Clyde & Janice Williams lit a candle in memory of Mother Vergie Mae Washington*



Clyde & Janice Williams - May 28 at 09:36 PM

SE

“ *Sending my condolences and prayers to Mother Washington's family and friends.*



Shirley Edwards-Jackson - May 28 at 08:09 PM

RH

“ *God Bless. One of the Best.*

Richard Hatcher - May 28 at 03:15 PM

TW

“ Theresa(Jennings) Watson sent a virtual gift in memory of Vergie Washington



Theresa(Jennings) Watson - May 28 at 01:23 PM

TF

“ Ms. Vergie Wasington.. is what she'd say, with much class and professionalism, when she would call for my mom, Ms. Jessie, after I'd say.. who's calling 😞 I always knew from then on, who she was. Although the miles were pust between them, they remain in contact until.. life had its course. 1st-Lady Ms. Vergie Washington, you will be missed.. especially your "VOICE".. extending our love and prayers to her, beloved family & friends. May this time find each of you smothered in God's love, strength, and His perfect peace.



The Anthony Family - May 28 at 01:14 PM

MM

“ Praying for the family of Mother Washington.



Marsha Marble - May 28 at 10:54 AM

SH

“ *My Deepest Sympathy and Prayers to You and Your Family.* 💜💜💜



Sandra Highes-Hatter - May 28 at 12:28 AM



“ *Lola Marshall sent a virtual gift in memory of Vergie Washington*



Lola Marshall - May 27 at 09:39 PM

DP

“ *Denise Patten-Franklin lit a candle in memory of Vergie Washington*



Denise Patten-Franklin - May 27 at 09:11 PM

FW

“ *Faye Williams lit a candle in memory of Mother Vergie Mae Washington*



Faye Williams - May 27 at 06:38 PM

CA

“ *Cherri Handley Alder lit a candle in memory of Mother Vergie Mae Washington*



Cherri Handley Alder - May 27 at 06:37 PM

AC

“ *In memory of Mrs. Washington. My condolences to the family!*



Arnette Callaway - May 27 at 06:20 PM

DJ

“ *Sending my condolences to the Washington family!*

Mrs. Washington was one of the many mothers on Pulaski St. that helped shape a generation of young people!

You will be missed!

David Johnson - May 27 at 05:56 PM

EG

“ *Earnestine Gray sent a virtual gift in memory of Mother Vergie Mae Washington*



Earnestine Gray - May 26 at 09:59 PM



“ *Lula Lewis lit a candle in memory of Mother Vergie Mae Washington*



Lula Lewis - May 26 at 07:10 PM

DE

“ *Debra Evans lit a candle in memory of Mother Vergie Mae Washington*



Debra Evans - May 26 at 06:07 PM



“ *Wanda Baker lit a candle in memory of Vergie Washington*



Wanda Baker - May 26 at 01:45 PM

CB

“ *Christine Brown lit a candle in memory of Vergie Washington*



Christine Brown - May 26 at 01:33 PM

CH

“ *Cynthia Higgins lit a candle in memory of Vergie Washington*



Cynthia Higgins - May 26 at 12:39 PM