



Mrs. Vertis "Marie" Clark

June 12, 1943 - July 26, 2024

CLARK, Mrs. Vertis "Marie" - Age 81, passed away Friday, July 26, 2024, at her residence. Family hour 10:30 AM Monday, August 5, 2024, from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM Pastor Stephen Murphy, officiating. Family and friends will assemble at the funeral home 10:30 AM Monday. Mrs. Clark will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home and may be viewed from 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM Sunday with family present from 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM to receive friends. Vertis Marie (Henderson) Clark was born June 12, 1943 in Union Church, Mississippi, the 3rd daughter of Memphis and Missouri Henderson. She later moved to Grand Rapids, Michigan where she attended South High School. "Re" as she was affectionally called married the Late Joe Louis Clark where they later moved to Flint, Michigan and to this union 4 children were born. "Re" spent her time as a homemaker who enjoyed cooking, cleaning and helping others but most of all taking care of her family. She was a dedicated mother and grandmother that always laughed at their jokes even if they were about her. Vertis Marie Clark leaves to cherish her loving memory: son, Robert "Tuffy" (Delores) Clark; 2 daughters, Suzanne (Scott) Morgan, all of Flint, MI and Barbara "Penny" (Shawn) Charles of Ann Arbor, MI; special goddaughter, Cheasha (Adrian) McClain of Flint; 8 grandchildren, JaVonda Keith of Flushing, MI, Tara (Arthur) Gowdy, Shaquala (Domonique) Crayton, all of Flint, Dejujuan Nelson of Grand Rapids, MI, Damonte (Devin) Nelson of Lansing, MI, Tia Horne of

North Carolina, Jaylen Nelson of Saginaw, MI and A'Kayla Charles of Ann Arbor, MI; 7 great-grandchildren, Michael II and Mykel Banks, Jordan and Jaida "Honey Boochie" Gowdy, Kennedi and Isaiah Crayton, and Baby Deion Nelson; sister, Emily Barker of Grand Rapids, MI; sisters-in-law, Lula Henderson of Chicago, IL and Betty (Johnny) Green of Hattiesburg, MS; brothers-in-law, Daniel and Frank Clark, both of Union Church, MS; special friend, Tammy Lawson; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends. Vertis was preceded in death by her husband, Joe Louis Clark; son, Baby Bobby L. Clark; parents, Memphis and Missouri Henderson; 2 sisters, Margarie and Almedas Clark; 4 brothers, Memphis, Curtis, Andrew and James Henderson.

Previous Events

Public Viewing

AUG 4. 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home Chapel, Flint
906 W. Flint Park Blvd.
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<http://www.lawrenceemoonfuneralhome.com>

Family Present

AUG 4. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Mrs. Vertis "Marie" Clark*



Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home - August 05, 2024 at 08:39 AM

RH

“ *Condolences to the family of beautiful Queen Verta 💖. May The Creator of everything grant her peace and paradise. A good friend and neighbor and friend to my son Terry 💖*



Retha Jameelah Hasan - August 14, 2024 at 03:56 PM



“ *We will always love you Mrs. Clark. So many memories! Our last conversation we spoke about Jesus. And I just know you're resting with him in peace. I'm praying for the whole family 💖💖*



Renesha Renae - August 04, 2024 at 10:45 AM

AB

“ Althea J. Barbee lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Vertis "Marie" Clark



Althea J. Barbee - August 02, 2024 at 12:49 PM

DF

“ Douglas, Karen & family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs. Vertis "Marie" Clark.

Douglas, Karen & family - August 02, 2024 at 12:10 PM

DF

“ Douglas, Karen & family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Vertis "Marie" Clark.



Douglas, Karen & family - August 02, 2024 at 12:10 PM

AP

“ Alvin, Michele & Caleb Parker lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Vertis "Marie" Clark



Alvin, Michele & Caleb Parker - August 01, 2024 at 08:32 PM

RK

“ Russell & Diane Kirksey lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Vertis "Marie" Clark



Russell & Diane Kirksey - August 01, 2024 at 05:54 PM

RJ

“ Ray, Tara, Jordan and Jaida planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs. Vertis "Marie" Clark.

Ray, Tara, Jordan and Jaida - August 01, 2024 at 11:56 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Vertis "Marie" Clark.



August 01, 2024 at 11:56 AM

LF

“ Lawson Family purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Vertis "Marie" Clark.



Lawson Family - August 01, 2024 at 10:44 AM

TF

“ *The entire Smith Family purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Mrs. Vertis "Marie" Clark.*



The entire Smith Family - July 31, 2024 at 03:36 PM

PC

“ *Patrice Curtis lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Vertis "Marie" Clark*



patrice curtis - July 29, 2024 at 09:30 PM

OG

“ *Ondria Gillespie sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Vertis "Marie" Clark*



Ondria Gillespie - July 28, 2024 at 05:14 PM