



## Mrs. Carrie Lee Ussery

November 24, 1930 - January 30, 2017

Going Home Celebration For Carrie Lee Ussery:

Carrie Lee Byrd Ussery was born on November 24, 1930 in Metter, Georgia to the late James Byrd and Bertha E. Troup. Carrie was the youngest of eight siblings; three girls and four boys. Their names were Maggie, Willow Nell, Rosie, Pervit Sr., Maceo, Nathaniel and James Milland Byrd who all preceded her in death.

Carrie attended Metter High School in Metter, Georgia. She graduated in 1950. While in high school she received honor awards and was class valedictorian. She played on the girls basketball team, who won the State Championship in the 1949-1950 school year.

Carrie was a member of First Baptist Church in Metter, Georgia where she accepted Christ at an early age.

Shortly after completing high school she moved to Detroit, Michigan where she met and married her husband Calvin Benjamin Ussery who preceded her in death 2004. From this union their three daughters were born; Kimberly, Veronica who preceded her in death in 2011, and Karen Ussery. Carrie was a stay at home wife raising and caring for her daughters. In 1970 she began working at General Motors (GM) in Warren, MI. Carrie worked as a custodian

at GM for 35 years until she retired in 2005.

In Carrie's spare time she enjoyed traveling, going to the races with Calvin, watching soap operas, talk shows, Family Feud, golf and other sports with her grandchildren. She also enjoyed playing card games, with family and friends. What gave Carrie the most joy was preparing holiday dinners and spending time with her family. She always made sure everyone was well fed.

In the afternoon on Monday, January 30, 2017 at 4:30 P.M. our beloved Carrie was called home. She will be forever loved and missed.

# Cemetery Details

## **Detroit Memorial Park West**

25200 Plymouth Road  
Redford Twp., MI 48239

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Carrie Lee Ussery*

January 21, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ *Kathy Byrd-Williams & Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Carrie Lee Ussery*



**Kathy Byrd-Williams & family** - February 07, 2017 at 10:48 AM



“ *A Message Of Sympathy For The Family : May these few words of sympathy help at least in part, to ease the burden that you bear and the sadness in your heart..... Thinking Of You At This Sad Time. May the God of all tender mercies and hope sustain the family at this time. 2Corinthians. 1:3,4.*

**p.smith** - February 06, 2017 at 08:48 AM



“ *My condolences to the family. Recall pleasant memories you shared with your loved one. May you draw close to God in prayer and he will sustain you.-Psalms 55:22*

**Ms. Tuffy** - February 06, 2017 at 06:00 AM