



## Rev. David Walker

May 1, 1948 - May 27, 2016

Home Going Celebration For Rev. David Walker:

David Walker was born on May 1, 1948 in Mobile, Alabama to Bery Walker Sr. and Annie Mae Walker. He attended Apostolic Holiness Temple in Mobile.

He graduated from Central High School in 1966 and later earned a B.A. degree in Christian Education from International Bible College and Seminary on July 1, 1996.

David left Mobile, Alabama at the age of 18 and joined Job Corps in Battle Creek, Michigan. After Job Corps, he moved to Detroit and joined Faith Church of the Nazarene at the age of 19 where he gave his life to Christ and met and later married Vivian his future wife. They were married in 1970 and would have celebrated 46 years of holy matrimony, on June 20, 2016.

Some of his early work in the church was as a bus driver for the Sunday School, choir president and provider of transportation for the mothers in the prayer band. He accepted the leadership of the convalescent ministry at Ingleside Nursing Home in Detroit after being led of God.

He enjoyed being around people, although he considered himself shy. He would speak to everyone and never met a stranger. He enjoyed caring for his dog King and dabbled in photography, but most of all he loved God and his

family.

He accepted the call of God to the ministry and his first trial sermon was in June 1978. His trial sermon was attended by a friend from work who was then, Minister. Byron C. Hayes, who later became his pastor. David later joined New Testament Church of God in Christ and became an ordained elder under the leadership of Supt. Nick Edwards.

He and his wife felt the call of God to join Word of Faith International Ministries on February 23, 1992. As a member of Word of Faith, Elder Walker was active as Sunday School Superintendent and he served as leader, at Magnum Care Nursing Home in Saginaw, Michigan. He served in the nursing home ministry for over 40 years bringing encouragement and joy to those who many times felt forgotten about and left behind. He was appointed by Dr. Byron C. Hayes to hold the office of Asst. Pastor on December 12, 1997.

Pastor David Walker departed this life May 27, 2016 after a lengthy illness.

# Cemetery Details

## **Detroit Memorial Park West**

25200 Plymouth Road  
Redford Twp., MI 48239

# Tribute Wall



“ *Rev. David Walker*

January 21, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ *Mrs. Walker, Tiffany, and Chontay...*

*I just heard about Mr. Walker on Facebook. I am so sorry to hear about your loss. I thought he was such a sweet and cool person. It was a pleasure knowing him. Sending my deepest condolences to the entire Walker Family...*

*Love,  
Devin (Cabral) Harvey  
Houston, Texas*

**Nicole Harvey** - June 06, 2016 at 02:58 PM



“ *Dansby Family lit a candle in memory of Rev. David Walker*



**Dansby Family** - June 05, 2016 at 11:48 PM

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**Dansby Family** - June 05, 2016 at 11:45 PM

DA

“ *Deborah Allen lit a candle in memory of Rev. David Walker*



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**Deborah Allen** - June 05, 2016 at 05:57 PM

DA

“ *To Mrs. Vivian Walker, Chantay and Tiffany, You all have my deepest condolences with the loss of your husband and father. Pastor David Walker, wow-there is so much to say about this wonderful man of God. He was a great inspiration to all he came in contact with. He was power-packed with the 'Word' of God, He was a fireball when he grabbed that mic to talk about the goodness of God. There was power in his voice. I am so happy to have had such a powerful person like Pastor Walker in my life. He was such a HAPPY person who loved God, his wife, his beautiful daughters and he loved his church family. Just know that Pastor Walker lived the life he preached about and that alone will bring joy to your hearts, your minds and your spirits. You all have a "true celebration of life" in Pastor Walker. No one need to make up anything while talking about this awesome man of God...There is so much to say that we won't be able to tell it all in one service. May the Lord strengthen you and your family..I love you Walker family, God Bless you all.*

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**Deborah Allen** - June 05, 2016 at 05:51 PM

MT

“ *Missionary Sharisse Twigg lit a candle in memory of Rev. David Walker*



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**Missionary Sharisse Twigg** - June 05, 2016 at 01:19 PM

MT

*To Sister Vivian Walker, Tiffany Walker, and Chantay Walker Williams-*

*You and your entire family are in my prayers in the passing of Elder David Walker. May God continue to uphold you with His right hand and comfort you.*

*Love & prayers-*

*Sister Sharisse A. Twigg*

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**Missionary Sharisse Twigg** - June 05, 2016 at 01:19 PM

JO

“ *1 file added to the album Tribute Wall*



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**Joan** - May 31, 2016 at 05:52 PM

MS

“ Although Pastor Walker is gone he has left a footprint that no one can fill but God. As a true man of valor, he was an example for many to follow always displaying true faithfulness and giving encouraging words just when they were needed. The Strongs really enjoyed worshiping with the Walker family and you all will forever be dear to us. Thank you for sharing your your husband and father with us and may his legacy live on through your lives and the many other lives he also touched. May God continue to strengthen you during this trying time; as we will continually lift you up in prayer. Love Ministers Michael and Marlene Strong & Family!



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**Marlene Strong** - May 31, 2016 at 02:02 PM

JG

“ 1 Peter 5:6-7 “Humble yourselves, therefore, under God’s mighty hand, that he may lift you up in due time. Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you.”



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**Joan Gipson** - May 30, 2016 at 09:38 PM

MA

“ Madlock lit a candle in memory of Rev. David Walker



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**Madlock** - May 30, 2016 at 08:26 PM

MA

“ *Mrs Walker and family, I pray for comfort and strength for your family. Pastor Walker was always smiling and encouraging. He always greeted me with a handshake and a smile that light up a room.*

*Love  
The Madlocks*

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**Madlock** - May 30, 2016 at 08:26 PM