



## Mrs. Gertrude M. Jackson

April 29, 1919 - July 27, 2013

Gertrude Myrtle Jackson, daughter of the late James and Helena Bradshaw of Phoenixville, PA was born April 29, 1919 in Chester County and death claimed her temporal life, July 27, 2013 in St. John Macomb/Oakland in Warren, Michigan. She bore her illness with strength and was able to express her love and her good-byes until the end.

Gertrude attended Phoenixville Public Schools and graduated from Phoenixville High School in the class of 1937. While in school she played on the titled basketball team and also played on an out of town team as a great scorer.

Gertrude married her first husband Robert E. Walden and was blessed with two children, Roberta and Kenneth Walden. Encouraged by her sister Helena, in 1953, she moved and raised her daughter in Detroit. She married her second husband, Johnnie Jackson in July, 1969 until he preceded her in death in 1984. Gertrude began a long career as head seamstress for Motor City and Midwest Casket Interior companies until her retirement. Gertrude was a life member of Detroit Court #1, Heroines of Jericho and Marracci Court No. 32, Daughter of Isis, Deborah Chapter #33. She enjoyed all the activities and honors involved. She also belonged to the Marracci Court Bowling team and bowled until her 80's. Gertrude also found time to enjoy her hobbies of gardening, canning and making homemade wine. She also enjoyed watching

professional baseball and followed men's professional golf passionately.

“Nana,” as she was affectionately known to her grandchildren and great-grandchildren, Aunt Gert or Aunt Trudie or by her friends as Trudie. She enjoyed having family and friends around especially for special occasions and dinners.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

Sunday, Aug. **4.** 10:00 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

O. H. Pye, III Funeral Home  
17600 Plymouth Road  
Detroit, MI 48227  
(313) 838-9770  
info@pyefuneralhome.com

## Family Hour

Monday, Aug. **5.** 5:00 PM - 5:30 PM (ET)

O. H. Pye, III Funeral Home  
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## Funeral Service

Monday, Aug. **5.** 5:30 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



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