



## Mrs. Joe Ann Nelson

August 24, 1951 - April 4, 2019

### Joe Ann's Journey:

Joe Ann Nelson was born on August 24, 1951 in Detroit, Michigan to the late Rev. Joseph and Annie Fletcher. She was the fifth of eleven children born to this union. Two siblings, Barbara Jean and Marietta, preceded her in death.

Joe Ann accepted Christ at an early age and joined More Light Missionary Baptist Church in Ecorse, Michigan under the leadership of the late Pastor Price Harris, Sr. Later, she continued her membership under the current pastor, Pastor Marvin L. Harris, Sr., where she served on the nurses guild until her health began to fail her.

Joe Ann was educated in the Detroit Public Schools system. Joe Ann met the love of her life and on June 15, 1985, she was united into holy matrimony to William Nelson (who preceded her in death.) Although she had no children of her own, she loved taking care of children, especially her six godchildren, Kimberly, Tonya, Anthony, Brian, Diont'e, and Kymara.

Joe Ann loved gardening. She would work in her yard for hours. She loved her puzzle books, she loved to dance and travel. Her laughter was contagious, especially if she was tickled about something.

On April 4, 2019 at Henry Ford Hospital in Detroit, Michigan, Joe Ann made

her transition to be with the Lord.

# Cemetery Details

## Woodlawn Cemetery

19975 Woodward Ave.  
Detroit, MI 48203

# Previous Events

## Family Hour

Thursday, Apr. **18**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

More Light Missionary Baptist Church  
3993 15th Street  
Ecorse, MI 48229

## Funeral Service

Thursday, Apr. **18**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Joe Ann Nelson*

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January 21, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ *I'm so sorry to hear about the loss of your dear love one. Please be assured that through the Lord Jesus Christ, there's going to be a resurrection of the righteous and the unrighteous. Then you and your family can be reunited with your dear love one. (Acts 24:15)*

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**Henry Bridges** - April 12, 2019 at 10:54 PM



“ *I am so very sorry for your loss. May the God of all comfort embrace you with peace and hope during this difficult time. Rev 21:4*

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**Ms Laverne** - April 08, 2019 at 01:31 PM