



## Mrs. Mary E. Grant-Truss

November 11, 1946 - November 8, 2015

Celebrating The Life Of Mary E. Grant-Truss:

Mrs. Mary Elease Grant-Truss was born to the late Mary Lou and Jim Grant on November 11, 1946 in Springfield, GA. She was the third born of five children. She was preceded in death by her late husband Jimmy Truss, her sister, Claratha Grant, and brothers William and Jimmy Grant.

Mary graduated with honors from Springfield Central High School in 1965. After graduating, Mary moved to Detroit, MI to be with her sister Claratha, She furthered her education at Detroit Business Institute.

In 1975, Mary started her career at General Motors. During shutdown and layoff, she enjoyed working with children at Blackwell Christian School.

Mary accepted Christ at an early age and was baptized at St. Matthew Baptist Church,

Springfield, GA under the leadership of Rev. Lawton. In January of 1977, she became a member of Meditation Missionary Baptist Church under the pastorate of the late Rev. T.W. Wade. She became the church secretary and remained faithful until her health failed. Mary was a dedicated member of many auxiliaries including the Usher Board. One thing is for certain, Mary loved Meditation.

As well as enjoying serving the Lord, Mary was an exceptional seamstress, loved to shop, play Farmville, travel, spend time with her family, and even make her famous dressing for any occasion. If you ever needed ANYTHING, Mary was the one to call. Mary would say "I know it all."

With her favorite son by her side, Mary received her angel wings at 8:35 am, Sunday, November 8, 2015 at her home in Redford, MI.

# Cemetery Details

## Mt. Hope Memorial Gardens

17840 Middlebelt Road  
Livonia, MI 48152

# Previous Events

## Family Hour

Friday, Nov. **20**. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Meditation Missionary Baptist Church  
5841 Oregon Street  
Detroit, MI 48204

## Funeral Service

Friday, Nov. **20**. 10:30 AM (ET)

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5841 Oregon Street  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Mary E. Grant-Truss*

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“ *When we lose a loved one here on earth, we gain an angel in heaven that watches over us. May you take comfort in knowing that you have an angel to watch over you now. We extend our most sincere condolences to you.  
Sonya Hawkins Rolle and family*



**Sonya Rolle** - November 19, 2015 at 01:27 PM



“ *Mary & ,I went to school at Springfield Central High she the one always smiling,there wasn't anyone that met her didn't like her she was that way as long as we've known her.we graduated in 1965 but we kept in touch .our class went on a cruise in 2009 ,44 years,We had so much fun 50 years Mary we will ALWAYS REMEMBER YOUR KIND HEART MOST OF ALL YOUR BEAUTIFUL SMILE !!!!  
Your Forever Friends The Class Of 1965 Ella Bacon*

**Ella Bacon** - November 12, 2015 at 06:03 PM