



## Ms. Ronda Unice Ashmon

August 6, 1960 - June 23, 2015

### Her Journey:

Ronda Unice Ashmon was called home to rest the evening of June 23, 2015 surrounded by loved ones. She was born to the union of Ronald Eugene Ashmon and Alice Ashmon on August 6, 1960 in Detroit, Michigan. She was reared and educated on the eastside of Detroit.

She attended Denby High School where she was a stellar athlete who enjoyed competitive sports. She was on both the basketball and track teams and relished in showcasing her talents and abilities. Her slam dunks were epic. After graduating from Denby High School in 1979, Ronda continued to excel in numerous athletic and physical activities such as tennis, martial arts and aquatic sports. Health and fitness was an integral part of her lifestyle. She excelled in this area and went on to become an aerobics instructor and a member of the Marcus Garvey Academy African dance troupe.

After high school she went on to pursue a psychology degree at Wayne State University. Following her studies, she landed her ideal job as a Sheriff with the Wayne County Sheriff's Office.

In recent years as her health began to deteriorate, she continued to work each day in spite of her challenges. As a single mother, Ronda worked tirelessly to provide a comfortable life for her family. The resilience and perseverance she

displayed with her work was a common thread found throughout her lifetime. Momma Ronda, as she was affectionately known, was a woman of great strength and courage. She valiantly battled ill health with very few complaints. She was a proud woman who was quiet, often soft spoken but fiercely private and protective. Momma Ronda was an excellent cook who was known for her famous baked goods especially sweet potato pie and pineapple upside down cake. The family looked forward to any occasion that would warrant her donning the apron. Ronda was also very nostalgic and famous for chronicling milestones and events. She collected a treasure trove of family mementos and photographs that were prized and held dear to her heart. Ronda was a constant source of encouragement and support to those she loved. You could always count on her to have your back.

She was a loving mother who doted on her two children and a proud grandmother to three wonderful grandchildren. She will forever be loved, cherished and missed.

# Cemetery Details

## **Detroit Memorial Park East**

4280 East 13 Mile Road  
Warren, MI 48092

# Previous Events

## **Family Hour**

Thursday, Jul. 2. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Greater Grace Temple  
23500 W. 7 Mile Road  
Detroit, MI 48219  
(313) 543-6000

## **Funeral Service**

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Ms. Ronda Unice Ashmon*

January 21, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ *I am so very sorry for your loss. May the God of all comfort embrace you with peace and hope now and in the days to come. Rev 21:4*

**Ms Laverne** - July 08, 2015 at 03:51 PM



“ *I've been on this site several times not sure what to say or which memory to share. All I can say is I Love you Momma Ashmon, you are an incredible woman.*



**Monique Torbert** - July 02, 2015 at 07:49 AM



“ *To my extended family - The Ashmons-Bobbie-Terry-Pam-Jaton-and Ronda's children. My heart cannot express the sympathy and love that I have for you all. She was such a sweet loving person from childhood on up. May she enter into her eternal rest, and may God give all of you His gracious love and peace that surpasses man's understanding. Cousin-Debbie Petit/family-Charlotte NC*

**Deborah Petit** - July 01, 2015 at 12:40 PM

ZS

“ *Rest in Heaven Cpl. Ashmon. I've ALWAYS ADMIRERD your enthusiasm and spirit. You will definitely be missed. God Bless you, God Bless and comfort your family and friends.*

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**Zee Seegars** - June 30, 2015 at 09:39 PM

MP

*Condolences and prayers. She always had a pleasant spirit*

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**Marsha P.** - July 02, 2015 at 10:20 PM

TW

“ *If I could build a stairway to heaven  
where every step up would take me down memory lane*

*I would not only build that stairway, but I would build it with pure gold and I would walk right up to heaven and bring you home to relive all those beautiful moments we shared over and over again*

*Although I did get a chance to tell you that I love you; I feel as if no farewell words were spoken and we had no time to say good-bye*

*My spirit is torn and my heart is severely broken on how you're just gone before a blink of an eye*

*I know God don't make mistakes, but I have no control over how my heart aches or how I'm drowning in my own tears from constant flow.*

*Words can never express how much I love and miss you big sister, therefore trying to write how I feel is harder than one will ever know.*

*I know if you were here you would tell me to stop crying and not to mourn for you anymore*

*You would tell me to cherish your memories, remember all the happy times we shared, and to live and enjoy the good times that God has for my life in store*

*My friend/My big sister your humbleness and grateful ways will never be forgotten... Today I pledge to you that the hallowed place within my heart where my love for you resided when you were here, is exactly where it will remain because for you I will always truly care*

*I promise you I will be strong... I will wipe all my tears dry and no longer ask God why he made the choice to take you away from here to be there*

*I'll merely learn to understand that you're in your glory... Living peacefully without pain in heaven's new light, and from this day fourth God's new angel I will send you my love every night as I pray my Holy Prayer*

*Rest In Heaven Ronda Ashmon... I will always LOVE you big sister.*

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**Tonia Williams** - June 30, 2015 at 08:32 PM

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**Tonia Williams** - June 30, 2015 at 08:29 PM



“ *Mama Ronda was a great person. I met her many years ago as a classmate of Nick's at Garvey. She always showed EVERYONE nothing but love & was like a second mother to everyone. Everyone loved Mama Ronda & would love to see her smile. She would even put u in check, even if u wasn't her child. But one thing for certain, she truly truly her some Nick & Jalonna!!!!  
Nick & Jalonna, u guys have my deepest sympathy & condolences!!  
Love ya 🥰🥰*

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**Nikki Jay** - June 29, 2015 at 10:01 PM



“ *Another bright spirit called home! I hope you dance like you've never danced before, because now your spirit is free. No more suffering, no more pain! We'll miss you, Beautiful! Rest Peacefully, Mama Ronda!*

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**Kashi Techalla** - June 29, 2015 at 10:00 PM



“ *Mama rhonda u always been like. A mother to me since the first time i met nick way back in 92 u was one of the only people house i could even go over when i was little im so sad that your gone and wish i woulda. came to visit more cause. I know u always thought of me as your son your with god now no more pain rest. Peacefully. I will never forget you or all the good times i had with you and your family love you ..from your other son. Byron langdon II*



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**Detroit Lord** - June 29, 2015 at 05:57 PM



“ *I've been Jerlonna friend for 17 years and Mama Rhonda was like a second mother to me, she yelled at me, told me when I was wrong, and she always give me good advice. Its hard to believe that she is no longer here with us but I know she is in a better place. She taught us alot of things that we still sit back say mama Rhonda tell us that and everything she said was true. I miss talking to her but I am greatfull to have meant a wonderful like her. I love you and I miss you, Rest In Paradise Mama Rhonda, Toneea*

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**Toneea Janise** - June 29, 2015 at 04:41 PM



“ *God called home an Angel She was a beautiful woman inside and out. My condolences are with your family in this time of grievance*



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**Latosha Caldwell** - June 29, 2015 at 03:25 PM



“ *Elizabeth Karol Hunter-Rosier lit a candle in memory of Ms. Ronda Unice Ashmon*



Elizabeth Karol Hunter-Rosier - June 29, 2015 at 09:41 AM



“ *I have been trying to write this for hours now. Mama Rhonda has always made an positive impact on my life. Not only did she give me a mothers love she gave me an extended family. This is still all too unreal. Jai and Nick y'all are my siblings. We may not talk everyday but y'all know I'm here for y'all. I love you and i am deeply saddened by our lost. Love you and miss you mama Rhonda.*

Elizabeth Karol Hunter-Rosier - June 29, 2015 at 09:38 AM



“ *Since I've known Ma Ronda see has been nothing but good to me. I still remember the day she asked me to be her daugther in law. We were sitting in her truck going to visit Nick Christmas of 2008. She will forever be in my heart and I lovely her dearly*



Keshia Evans - June 29, 2015 at 09:13 AM



“ I remember the very first time I met mama Ashmon it was brief because apparently me Chunky Monique and a few other of our friends were making way too much noise lol it was the last time though. It's been a long time since I've been around her but I still remember how nice to is she was and sweet warm and loving. To the Ashmon family I don't know all of you but I love you all and pray strength in all of your lives and Chunky you know I love and care for you too if there is anything you need you already know you can ask me I've been here before and I understand how hard this transition can be but you will get through this...  
Love you mama Ashmon  
May God give you eternal rest

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**Robert Evans** - June 29, 2015 at 06:36 AM

CP

“ Ms. Ashmon I can't believe you are no longer with us but you now have your everlasting wings. Jalona, I can only imagine what you are going through. I love you and your mom. She was always welcoming. Jalona, I wish I could be there but I'm only a phone call away. Ms. Ashmon, may your sweet soul rest forever in Paradise. That love and memories will forever live on. Until we meet again.

*Cierra Peebles  
Birmingham, Alabama*

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**Cierra peebles** - June 28, 2015 at 07:36 PM



“ I meet mother Ashmon when I was in kindergarten every since that day she treated me like her own son she would come pick up Jai from school I run to her she be like son you being good I'm like yes she reach in her purse to give me a piece of candy in said the good will always be rewarded she did that every day for years she touched a lot of people not because she was a cop 🚔?? but because she had a heart❤️❤️ of gold She was a nice kind hearted woman she may be gone but memories last forever I'm blessed that mother Ashmon was in my life I love you please watch over me my angel.👼👼🌹🌹🌹🌹🌹🌹  
🌹 Mr.Green

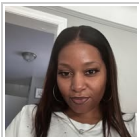


Markus Green Sr. - June 28, 2015 at 04:00 PM



“ My Auntie Was Amazing!!! I love you for always being a wonderful loving ,giving and supportive person!! You will be missed auntie!!!

vanquez williams - June 28, 2015 at 03:04 PM



“ Hello my name is Tenesha Cooper and I would like to share my memories of Ronda. Momma Ronda was a loving and quiet lady but don't get it twisted she would let you know if you wrong. Momma Ronda was a fighter she never complained and you never knew when she was having a bad day. For years she fought a good fight and I want her children to know that God makes no mistakes. The lord prepared her a place with him in heaven and once he finished he called her home. Momma Ronda you are loved and you will be missed.

Tenesha Cooper - June 28, 2015 at 12:49 PM

JB

“ *Big Thank You for delivering an great person into this world. You've done such am great job with Jai, as her great mind, heart, parenting is part of your work. May your spirit live on to deliver joy and happiness through memories, music, food and love.*



*Sincerely Jesse Brandon*

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**Jesse Brandon** - June 28, 2015 at 12:41 PM