



Mrs. Teresa McKinney

June 6, 1932 - November 30, 2013

In Loving Memory Of Teresa McKinney:

Teresa was the firstborn of five children to the late Willie and Mamie Collins in Ruleville, Mississippi. She received her education in the Ruleville school system. She was instrumental in the rearing of her younger siblings at an early age, before beginning her journey to Detroit, Michigan.

Teresa was married to the late JB McKinney, and from this union, seven children were born. She worked for General Motors for over 20 years before deciding to retire to take care of her elderly mother. She lived life to the fullest. She was an extremely hard worker and truly dedicated to the lives of her family. Her compassion knew no boundaries. Her life touched so many and she was a true matriarch in her own right, the centerpiece of the McKinney family. No one was a stranger to Teresa, she befriended almost everyone. Teresa was lovingly known as, "Mon" by her children and their offspring. Teresa had a heart to help anyone in need, and she was affectionately called, "grandma" by almost all of her grandchildren's friends.

Teresa was progressive, passionate, intense, and a risk taker. If you had a new idea for success, she was on board! It could have been viewed that she was mother, sister and best friend to many of her children. Though her health was beginning to fail, she never gave up her dreams. She still had plans and aspirations to take on new challenges. She never gave in to any sickness.

She was also a prayer warrior who could rain down heaven. She fought the good fight of faith, right down to her last breath when the Lord called his daughter home.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Hope Memorial Gardens

17840 Middlebelt Road
Livonia, MI 48152

Previous Events

Visitation

Friday, Dec. 6. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Family Hour

Saturday, Dec. 7. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

First Baptist Institutional Church
17100 West Seven Mile Road
Detroit, MI 48235

Funeral Service

Saturday, Dec. 7. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Teresa McKinney*

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“ *I loved hanging out with my granny, nomatter where we were we always stopped to eat. We laughed together at the old stories she would tell me about when I was an infant, when she first loved me. I'll keep you in my heart forever.*

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