



## Ms. Annie Rose Stephenson

August 28, 1929 - December 14, 2018

Mrs. Annie Rose (Morris) Stephenson was born on August 28, 1929 in Greenville, Mississippi to Ceasar and Alberta (Jones) Morris. She passed away on Friday, December 14, 2018 at the age of 89 years.

At the age of 18, Annie Rose and her husband, DC Stephenson moved to Saginaw, Michigan in search of work and a better way of life. He preceded her in death. Mrs. Stephenson landed a job working as a nanny for Roland and Marianne Sargent and she later became the nanny for their children Margaret Keeler and Fran Sargent. She became a permanent family member of the Sargent family.

As a young woman, Annie Rose knew the Lord and enjoyed sharing a message or a bible verse with anyone willing to listen. Her belief in God helped her to pioneer Calvary United Methodist Church. After Calvary dissolved, she became a member of Jefferson United Methodist Church then later moved to Ames United Methodist which was her final church home. Annie Rose also funded the ministry of many pastors and bishops around the Mid-Michigan area. Annie Rose Stephenson loved children and did not discriminate against anyone based on their race or disability. She was known as "the neighborhood candy lady."

Mrs. Stephenson leaves to cherish one brother, Johnnie Lee Morris; step-

brother, Ceasar Morris, Jr.; step-sister, Wanda Morris; she has 15 nieces left to cherish her memory, Thelma Wyatt (William), MI; Gerlean Hymes, MS, Jacqueline Young, MS, Shirley Harvey, MI, Valerie Morris, MS, Mary Augustus, GA, Catherine Teague (Mel), GA, Linda Morris, MS, Gloria Banks, OH, JoAnn Jones (Ester), Diane Morris, MS, Susie Mae Morris, CA, Bonita Alexander (Henry), Trina Scott, MN and Earlie Morris, CA; six nephews, Jimmie Morris (Erma), Michael Morris (Gracie), Kenneth Morris, David Morris, Robert Louis Preston, Willie D. Morris, Jr. and Johnnie Morris; she leaves an abundance of great-nieces and nephews, other relatives and friends.

She was also preceded in death by her parents, Ceasar and Alberta Morris; two sisters, Lulla B. Campbell and Lucille Simmons; three brothers, Ceasar Morris, Jr., Willie D. Morris and Samuel Morris; three sisters-in-law, Dorothy Morris, Leola Morris and Suzie Mae Morris; one niece, Pamela Morris; two nephews, Aaron Turner and Samuel Watkins; a few special friends, Ann Boatman, Mary Ann Simmons Sarah Whittington and Larry.

The family would like to express a heartfelt thanks to Compassionate Care, A&D Health Care Pace and Mrs. Margaret Keeler.

Funeral service will take place at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, December 21, 2018 at AMES United Methodist Church, 801 State Street, Saginaw, Michigan 48602. Pastor Doug Mater will officiate with interment in Buena Vista Cemetery, 612 South Airport Road, Saginaw, MI 48601. Friends may call at the Evans & Browne's Funeral Home, 441 N. Jefferson Ave., Saginaw, MI 48607 on Thursday from 2:00 until 8:00 p.m.

# Cemetery Details

## BV Cemetery

612 South Airport Road  
Saginaw, MI 48601

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **20**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Evans & Browne's Funeral Home  
441 N. Jefferson Avenue  
Saginaw, MI 48607  
(989) 754-0481  
evansbrownes@gmail.com  
<https://www.evansbrownesfuneralhome.com>

## Funeral Service

DEC **21**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Ames United Methodist Church  
801 State Street  
Saginaw, MI 48602

# Tribute Wall



“ *Evans & Browne's Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ms. Annie Rose Stephenson*



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**Browne's Mortuary** - January 02, 2019 at 12:13 PM

WS

*Good bye Annie rose Stevens rest in heaven*

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**Willie smith** - April 16, 2019 at 09:22 PM

CT

“ *Cynthia Tate lit a candle in memory of Ms. Annie Rose Stephenson*



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**Cynthia Tate** - December 21, 2018 at 01:10 PM

DD

“ *Dolores Davenport lit a candle in memory of Ms. Annie Rose Stephenson*



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**Dolores Davenport** - December 20, 2018 at 01:15 PM



“ *Joanie Williams lit a candle in memory of Ms. Annie Rose Stephenson*



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**Joanie Williams** - December 20, 2018 at 01:43 AM



“ *Antoinette Bland lit a candle in memory of Ms. Annie Rose Stephenson*



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**Antoinette Bland** - December 18, 2018 at 09:57 PM



“ *Praying for the family*



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**Bernadette Tinsley** - December 18, 2018 at 03:58 PM



“ *Yvonne Sanders sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Annie Rose Stephenson*



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**Yvonne Sanders** - December 18, 2018 at 08:35 AM

WB

“ *Walsezetta Bennett sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Annie Rose Stephenson*



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**Walsezetta Bennett** - December 18, 2018 at 03:50 AM

CP

“ *Cynthia Parham-Daison lit a candle in memory of Ms. Annie Rose Stephenson*



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**Cynthia Parham-Daison** - December 17, 2018 at 06:55 PM

JW

“ *So Sorry to Hear this She was A Inspiration to me Growing Up A Mother Figure and Saint of God May Her Spirit Rest in the Father Peace and love*



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**James Weston** - December 17, 2018 at 05:26 PM

MV

“ *Monica Vaughn lit a candle in memory of Ms. Annie Rose Stephenson*



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**Monica Vaughn** - December 17, 2018 at 12:29 PM

BH

“ *Betty Holmes lit a candle in memory of Ms. Annie Rose Stephenson*



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**Betty Holmes** - December 17, 2018 at 11:50 AM



“ *Dee Johnson lit a candle in memory of Ms. Annie Rose Stephenson*



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**Dee Johnson** - December 17, 2018 at 07:21 AM



*Sending prayers to the family*

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**Dee Johnson** - December 17, 2018 at 07:22 AM