



## Gardenia Barnes

June 6, 1945 - August 27, 2007

Funeral service will take place at 11:00 a.m. Tuesday, September 4, 2007 at Joshua's Way Ministries, 3480 Broadway Street. Pastor, Lerone Clements. Pastor Albert Haynes, Jr. will officiate with interment in Forest Lawn Cemetery. Friends may call at the Browne's Mortuary, 441 N. Jefferson Ave. on Monday from 2:00 until 8:00 p.m. On August 27, 2007, Gardenia Barnes took flight to be with the Lord after a brief illness at St. Mary's of Michigan Medical Center at the age of 62 years. Gardenia was born on June 6, 1945 to Mark and Mattie Lou Barnes in River Rouge, MI. They both preceded her in death. She was educated in the River Rouge Public School System and later attended Ross Medical School where she earned her certification as a Nursing Assistant. She accepted Christ at an early age in River Rouge, MI under the leadership of the late Rev. David Dempert. In 2000 she moved to Saginaw, MI and joined the Mt. Zion Missionary Baptist Church under the leadership of the late Rev. Willie McMillon and continued under the leadership of Rev. Albert Haynes, Jr. where she served faithfully on the Mothers Board until her illness. Gardenia touched many lives, too numerous to mention. Gardenia was well known and loved by many in the community for her selfless acts of kindness and she will be missed dearly. Gardenia leaves to cherish her memory, five loving daughters, Deletha Marie Barnes of Las Vegas, NV, Shelia Barnes of Detroit, MI, Jennifer (Raymond) Wright, Jessica Barnes and Crystal Barnes all of Saginaw, MI; grandchildren, Michael Barnes of Southgate, MI, Anitha Barnes and Stephanie Barnes of Detroit, MI, Melisha and Devon Barnes,

Raymond Wright and Diane Barnes all of Saginaw, MI.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *TT I miss you so much and i love you*

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**Tiara Howell** - August 27, 2007 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Was a pleasure to know through these years. Will be missed.*

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**Gregory Pinnell, MD** - August 27, 2007 at 12:00 AM