



Ms. Gladys Louise (Eloise) Allen

August 16, 1946 - November 29, 2022

Gladys Louise (Eloise) Thomas Allen transitioned onto her next journey on Tuesday, November 29, 2022. Her rest began at Covenant HealthCare-Cooper at the age of 76 years.

Gladys was born on August 16, 1946, in Natchez, Mississippi. As a young child she moved to Saginaw, Michigan with her family. She attended and graduated from the Saginaw Public School District. She matriculated to Delta College and then to Saginaw Valley College (now known as Saginaw Valley State University). Although she resided in Saginaw, she returned to Natchez for a brief time, and had also lived in Columbus, OH and Wichita Falls, Texas.

Gladys kept herself busy with several hobbies and activities: bowling, sewing, crafting, fishing, playing cards, baking, dominoes, and visiting the casinos. She worshipped at Old Town Christian Outreach Center for many years. She participated in several church activities. She also held membership in a number of other clubs and organizations.

Her work season included Heavenrich Elementary School, Dow Chemical and several years as a Certified Nursing Assistant at different facilities.

She is survived by her daughter, Daphne Allen-Bardell, and her son, David Allen, Sr.; her grandchildren, Christopher (Dafina) Allen, Devin (Rebecca)

Bardell, Sr., Alexandrya (Nathaniel) Giddens, Cierra Bardell, Brian Grier, DaLaena Allen, David Allen, Jr., Sharlena (Brian) Clair, Jamar (Ashley) Davis; eleven great-grandchildren; an uncle, John Hoskins; a host of cousins, other relatives and very close friends.

Gladys Louise Thomas Allen was preceded in death by her parents, David and Willie Beatrice Thomas (Daud & Wadia Uqdah); son-in-law, Anthony Quin Bardell; great-granddaughter, Alexis Monae Bardell; many aunts, uncles and cousins.

A memorial will take place at 3:00 p.m. on Monday, December 12, 2022, at Old Town Christian Outreach Center, 600 Gratiot Avenue, Saginaw, MI 48602.

In lieu of flowers, please forward any and all donations to the Old Town Christian Center <https://www.oldtown.ovnline/give>. The family has chosen Old Town Christian Outreach as the only designated donation site. We are not using GoFundMe, Cash App, etc.

Tribute Wall

LC

“ *My Condolences to the Family of Gladys. I had a pleasure of knowing Gladys for many years. She will be missed.* ”

Leeandra Carroll - December 12, 2022 at 10:03 PM

LC

“ *Leeandra Carroll lit a candle in memory of Ms. Gladys Louise (Eloise) Allen* ”



Leeandra Carroll - December 12, 2022 at 10:01 PM

OL

“ *We send our Deepest Sympathy and prayers to the Family and Friends, of Gladys Louise (Eloise) Allen. Growing up our parents lived next door to each other. Gladys was our neighbor and family friend. Gladys became our Big Sister because she was Oldest.* ”



Oscar/Alice (Rainey) Wilson & Jacky Lawr - December 11, 2022 at 09:38 PM

SI

“ *Our prayers are with the Allen family at this time of such a great loss, may the lord hold and cover you during this time.* ”



Sidney Diggs IV - December 11, 2022 at 07:54 AM

GH

“ Gloria Henderson-Eiland lit a candle in memory of Ms. Gladys Louise (Eloise) Allen



Gloria Henderson-Eiland - December 10, 2022 at 06:19 PM

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Gloria Henderson-Eiland - December 10, 2022 at 06:09 PM

DK

“ We Send Our Condolences And Prayers To The Families.



Deacon Bobby & Thelma (Moten) Kelley - December 10, 2022 at 03:40 PM

RA

“ Ramona Atri lit a candle in memory of Ms. Gladys Louise (Eloise) Allen



Ramona Atri - December 08, 2022 at 09:59 PM

AC

“ *Daphne and Chris and family, my prayers and comfort to you*



Arwanda Conner - December 08, 2022 at 04:37 PM

CT

“ *Cynthia Tate lit a candle in memory of Ms. Gladys Louise (Eloise) Allen*



Cynthia Tate - December 07, 2022 at 10:54 AM

DP

“ *Dorothy Price-Omar lit a candle in memory of Ms. Gladys Louise (Eloise) Allen*



Dorothy Price-Omar - December 07, 2022 at 12:27 AM

DD

“ *My condolences to the Allen family and friends.*



Debra Dillard - December 06, 2022 at 01:30 PM

BC

“ *Betty J Cliatt lit a candle in memory of Ms. Gladys Louise (Eloise) Allen*



Betty J Cliatt - December 05, 2022 at 09:25 PM

DW

“ *The Williams Family, inclusive of Blanche, Dexter and Aaron Williams concerning Gladys's transition. She has been a wonderful extension of our family for many, many years. She and my mother shared a wonderful friendship. I have vivid memories of Gladys from my childhood as she tutored me to help me in my early years in elementary school and helped my overcome me being shy. May the lord truly bless her soul as she takes the ride on that old ship of Zion. David, Daphne and Devin our thoughts and prayers are with you.*



Dexter T Williams - December 05, 2022 at 12:41 PM

ES

“ *Condolences go out to the family of Gladys Allen. We're deeply sorry to hear about the passing of Gladys. Our thoughts and prayers are with you, and the family at this time. Ethel Nadiyah Shaheed/Robert Abdul Shaheed and family.*



Ethel Shaheed - December 02, 2022 at 09:01 PM

OJ

“ *Deepest condolences 🌸 from your friend
Dorris and The Entire Jones Family*



Orlando Jones - December 01, 2022 at 06:56 PM

LW

“ *Louis Weems sent a virtual gift in memory of
Ms. Gladys Louise (Eloise) Allen*



Louis Weems - November 30, 2022 at 07:33 PM