



## Ms. Holly Jean Washington

July 4, 1971 - December 9, 2024

Holly Jean Washington was born on July 4, 1971 in Saginaw, Michigan the daughter of Ben and Mary Sue Washington. She passed away on Monday, December 9, 2024, at the age of 53 years.

Ms. Washington was a lifelong resident of Saginaw and a cherished member of Christ Kingdom Ministries under the leadership of Apostle Edward and Mattie Jackson. A proud graduate of Arthur Hill High School "Class of 89" and she earned a Master's Degree in Business from Spring Arbor University. Holly exemplified determination and resilience. Her academic achievements were just one facet of her multifaceted life; she was also known for her unwavering support for her family and friends. She was not only an accomplished woman, but she was incredibly warm hearted.

Spending time with her grandchildren brought her immense joy. Her love for family was evident in everything she did making her a beloved figure in her community. She had a special way of making everyone feel valued and loved, and her presence will always be fondly remembered.

Holly leaves to cherish her memory two daughters, Ashley Washington and Angel Turner, both of Saginaw. She found immense joy in being a grandmother to Jesse and Jayceon Turner. She shared deep bonds with her brothers, Duane Moten, Andy Deon Moten, Glen Jackson, Sr., and Ben Smith; sisters, Bria Smith, Valli Sangster and Kendra (Luconious ) Ross; aunts and uncles, Betty (Spiva) Haynes, Helen Brown, Willa Walters, Catherine Harris and Tom Sanders; her lifelong friend, Willie Barnes; Nephew/like a son, Clifford Wicker Jr., special niece, Chelaine Smith; a host of other nieces, nephews, and cousins including special cousin, Jacharri (Todd) Lewis-Dixon; special god-brother, Charles (Charmekka) Lawrence; and a host of relatives and friends relationship enriched Holly's life immeasurably.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Ben (Newsome) Washington and Mary (Mae Sue) Washington; grandparents, James and Emma Newsome and Jack and Linne Mae

Johnson; sister Sheila Newsome; brothers, Ben (Puddin) Washington, Jr., Gregory Jackson, Warren Wesley and Lavern Corneil; aunt, Mary Gates; uncles, James Jack Johnson, Charles Bubba Johnson, Jim Newsome and Robert Stephen; favorite cousin, Jermaine Gates; close friends, Marilyn Wright and Ramona Steward.

Throughout her journey on this earth, Holly embodied compassion. Whether it was through lending an ear or offering words of encouragement during tough times or celebrating joyous moments with laughter that echoed through gathering filled with love- she made every moment count. Her legacy will live on not only through the memories shared, but also through the values instilled within those who loved her dearly.

Family hour 10:00 AM Monday, December 23, 2024 at Evans & Browne's Funeral Home, 441 N. Jefferson Ave., Saginaw, MI 48607 with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM. Apostle Edward Jackson, officiating. Interment Forest Lawn Cemetery, 3210 S. Washington Ave., Saginaw, MI 48601. Visitation will take place from 9:00 a.m. until the time of service.

# Cemetery Details

## Forest Lawn Cemetery

3210 S. Washington Avenue  
Saginaw, MI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 23. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Evans & Browne's Funeral Home  
441 North Jefferson Avenue  
Saginaw, MI 48607

## Family Hour

DEC 23. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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## Funeral Service

DEC 23. 11:00 AM (ET)

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

# Tribute Wall



“ *Evans & Browne's Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington*



**Browne's Mortuary** - December 23, 2024 at 10:49 AM

SS

*Awesome service RIP Holly. Tell Mrs. Mae Sue, Hat and Linda we miss them too.*

**sharon osteen Aka shell** - December 23, 2024 at 12:48 PM

SM

“ *Sophonra R Baynes Murphy-Sparks lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington*



**Sophonra R Baynes Murphy-Sparks** - July 12, 2025 at 10:51 AM

SL

“ *Stephanie And Sophia Lawrence lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington*



**Stephanie and Sophia Lawrence** - December 29, 2024 at 09:35 PM

AB

“ *Love ALWAYS Holly Jean  
Love "The Crew"*



**Arlinda Baldwin** - December 23, 2024 at 01:00 PM

LW

“ *Larissa White lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington*



Larissa White - December 23, 2024 at 12:02 PM

TC

“ *Teesha Redeemer Cheatham lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington*



Teesha Redeemer Cheatham - December 20, 2024 at 10:51 PM

DT

“ *Sending Condolences, Prayers and Love*



Delphine Tillman-Martin - December 20, 2024 at 08:43 PM

GC

“ *Gail Calhoun Crittendon lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington*



Gail Calhoun Crittendon - December 20, 2024 at 08:15 AM

PF

“ *Pratt Family lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington*



Pratt Family - December 19, 2024 at 04:56 PM

RF

“ *Rosa Pratt Family lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington*



Rosa Pratt Family - December 19, 2024 at 04:50 PM

KC

“ *Kris Conley sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington*



kris conley - December 19, 2024 at 03:31 PM

RE

“ *Lisa and Eddie*



rhonda ervin - December 18, 2024 at 03:51 PM

BD

“ *Brittney Donald lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington*



Brittney Donald - December 17, 2024 at 04:08 AM

AN

“ *I'm so sad to hear you left us Auntie.. sending my deepest condolences to my family and friends of Holy.. Holly I will cherish our memories* 📿💔💔



Atosha Newsome - December 17, 2024 at 12:28 AM

YC

“ Yvonne Corley lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington



Yvonne Corley - December 16, 2024 at 10:06 PM

RS

“ Roger Sims lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington



Roger Sims - December 16, 2024 at 05:46 PM

CS

“ You will truly be missed , your dear friend Charlotte.



Charlotte Sinclair - December 16, 2024 at 01:31 PM

NA

“ Sorry for your loss.



Neelyian Ambrose - December 16, 2024 at 01:22 PM

DS

“ Love you cuz. Rest in paradise. Stephenson and Johnson family.

Delano Stephenson - December 16, 2024 at 01:22 PM

RS

“ Roderick And Jennifer Sims lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington



Roderick and Jennifer Sims - December 16, 2024 at 01:03 PM

JB

“ Juanita Boyd lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington



Juanita Boyd - December 16, 2024 at 01:03 PM

KH

“ Kim Holliday lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington



Kim Holliday - December 16, 2024 at 09:42 AM



“ Classic Sympathy Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Ms. Holly Jean Washington.



December 16, 2024 at 08:02 AM

EJ

“ Great memories of Saginaw and family.  
Loved all the good times together.  
Holly a sweet person and loved the Lord. We will miss you so much. ❤️❤️



Emma Jean - December 15, 2024 at 07:06 PM

GC

“ Gail Calhoun Crittendon lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington



Gail Calhoun Crittendon - December 15, 2024 at 05:57 PM

PM

“ Praying for the family 🙏



Pastor Herbert Morris - December 15, 2024 at 05:49 PM

CS

“ Chris Snow-Jeter sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington



Chris Snow-Jeter - December 15, 2024 at 03:50 PM

SH

“ Holly was a very sweet person have been a childhood friend for a very long time. Gone to soon but God has got a truly awesome person. The Foster family



Shaun - December 15, 2024 at 11:30 AM

SH

“ Sabrena Henry lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington



Sabrena Henry - December 15, 2024 at 09:15 AM

LW

“ Lakeisha N Williams lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington



Lakeisha N Williams - December 15, 2024 at 08:37 AM

FS

“ Felicia Slaughter lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington



Felicia Slaughter - December 15, 2024 at 07:57 AM

CB

“ RIP Holly you were an amazing young lady. Take your rest and count it all joy.



Clareeta Burton - December 15, 2024 at 07:31 AM

BM

“ Bobby Myles lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington



Bobby Myles - December 15, 2024 at 07:04 AM

EJ

“ My neighborhood friend and also Classmate.  
Rest Peacefully Holly and much Love and Prayers to the family

Endora Johnson - December 15, 2024 at 06:34 AM

MT

“ *Melissa Taylor lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington*



Melissa Taylor - December 15, 2024 at 03:37 AM

MA

“ *My Girl Holly Jean don't be so mean 🥰🥰 Rest up beautiful. #thecrew*

Margie - December 15, 2024 at 12:08 AM

FB

“ *Felice Bond lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington*



Felice Bond - December 14, 2024 at 08:56 PM

FS

“ *The Steward Family would like to express our heart felt condolences to Holly and her family, may she rest in peace.*



Fay Steward - December 14, 2024 at 03:27 PM

LI

“ *My Condolences To Holly Children And Family R I.P.Holly*  
🙏



Lisa - December 14, 2024 at 02:15 PM

EL

“ I got so many memories of Holly But more then a memory is remembering her spirit how strong her faith was. Her trust in God carried her the through the toughest situation. We teamed up to share our faith with the beautiful women in Saginaw in hopes to save our city and reduce the death toll. She stood with them and counseled them to create a stronger inner worker that was infused with live hope and forgiveness, I know She is in heaven still pulling for her city. she really went out and served she did a lot of giving and spoke her truth I know she has her wing as The word said the race is not for the wise the swift but those who endure to the end and her love never waived she was the first to ask God to deliver her and her motto was don't judge cause don't know how or why people do what they do ask question and try to reason and touch and agree to break the holds and bonds of the enemy welcome to heaven and we will meet it again in heaven

Eulene Lewis - December 14, 2024 at 01:53 PM

GR

Prayers for the family ❤️ my friend til the end Holly love you and miss you friend

Gladie Rice - December 14, 2024 at 03:09 PM



“ Tammie Peoples lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington



Tammie Peoples - December 14, 2024 at 01:04 PM



“ Rest in heaven Holly your mother is waiting for you ❤️❤️❤️ my prayers for my family 🙏🙏

Tammie Peoples - December 14, 2024 at 01:04 PM

BD

“ Brittney Donald lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington



Brittney Donald - December 14, 2024 at 12:26 PM

VB

“ *Velissa Batts lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington*



Velissa Batts - December 14, 2024 at 10:56 AM

WF

“ *My sincere condolences may the comfort and peace of God locate and rest upon you all during this difficult time* ❤️🙏



Wanneka Fair - December 14, 2024 at 10:27 AM

OL

“ *Prayers to Ashley and Angel during this difficult time. My prayers are to you all and family that God guides you all one day at a time.*

Olajuwana Lessage - December 14, 2024 at 10:15 AM

CL

“ *Being the proud GOD brother of Holly I remember all of the times spent living next door to them on 14th. When we moved we still continued to share so many good times that remain some of my fondest memories! I love and will see you again Sis!! :(*

Chuckie Lawrence - December 14, 2024 at 09:11 AM

SK

“ *Shontorie Knox sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington*



Shontorie knox - December 14, 2024 at 09:01 AM

TJ

“ Tina Jamerson-Mata lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington



Tina jamerson-Mata - December 14, 2024 at 06:22 AM

SH

“ Shelbie lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington



Shelbie - December 14, 2024 at 06:14 AM

VR

“ I am going to miss you so much talk to you we shall see each other again give my love to my godmother I love you and I didn't know that was last time we were going to try and see each other Dion and Duane you have my prayers and to her kids love you guys also your god sister Valerie D Robinson

Valerie D Robinson - December 13, 2024 at 11:23 PM

FY

“ Always loving you lil sis and will forever cherish the moments we've shared. Great memories  
Fontella

Fontella Young - December 13, 2024 at 06:11 PM

PR

“ Paula Rogers lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington



Paula Rogers - December 13, 2024 at 04:43 PM

MV

“ *Monica Vaughn lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington*



Monica Vaughn - December 12, 2024 at 07:34 PM

DW

“ *Denise Wilburn sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington*



Denise Wilburn - December 12, 2024 at 04:55 PM

PS

“ *Love you forever sister. Your life has been impactful of endurance. To my nieces Angel & Ashley may the hand of God carry you through. Love you.*



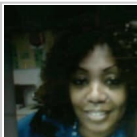
Pastor Benjamin Smith - December 12, 2024 at 12:04 PM

MT

“ *Deepest Condolences to the Washington Moten and Barnes Family May God gives you Peace in this time of need*



Ms. Michelle Tatum - December 12, 2024 at 02:47 AM



“ *Joanie Williams sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington*



Joanie Williams - December 12, 2024 at 12:42 AM

VG

“ Venita GainesTippins lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington



Venita GainesTippins - December 11, 2024 at 11:16 PM



“ My sincere prayers and deepest condolences to Ashley, Angel, her grandchildren, and her siblings. I am still bother by the news of her passing. May the strength of the Lord comfort you all during this difficult time.

Yvonne McLemore - December 11, 2024 at 08:14 PM

BJ

“ Brenda Jones lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington



Brenda Jones - December 11, 2024 at 02:10 PM

DK

“ Deborah Kelly lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington



Deborah kelly - December 11, 2024 at 12:17 PM

DT

“ Delphine Tillman-Martin lit a candle in memory of Ms. Holly Jean Washington



Delphine Tillman-Martin - December 10, 2024 at 08:36 PM