



## Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben

October 16, 1946 - February 19, 2018

"Miss Marie"

Idilla Marie was born in Beaumont, Texas on October 16, 1946 to the parents of Matthew and Thelma (White) Lewis. She passed away on Monday, February 19, 2018 at the age of 71 years.

Mrs. DeBardelaben resided in Saginaw, Michigan and was a member of World Outreach Campus (Greater Coleman Temple). She was a graduate of Central Michigan University and was the owner of "Like Home DayCare" for 17 1/2 years. "Miss Marie" was the former Pom Pom Coach at Saginaw High School for 20 plus years and touched many kid's hearts. She was a collector of elephants and had accumulated hundreds. She loved spending time with her family and had strong family values.

Marie leaves to cherish her memory, her husband, Donald Mac DeBardelaben of Saginaw, MI; two sons, Rodney Green and James DeBardelaben (Angela) both of Saginaw, MI; one daughter, Andrea DeBardelaben, Saginaw, MI; 12 grandchildren, Elizabeth Henry, Ashley Gray, Ayanna Green, Clifford Smith, Alexandria Green, Quinton Gray, Makeda DeBardelaben, Takisha Gray, Anthony DeBardelaben, Courtney Gray, Tyler DeBardelaben and Marie DeBardelaben; 11 great-grandchildren; one sister, Ivy (James) Ramey, Flint, MI; eight nieces, nine nephews; a host of other relatives and friends including special friends, Penny Williams, Valerie Smith, Jane Gagnon and Sherry

Jackson.

Idilla was preceded in death by her parents, Matthew Lewis and Thelma Lewis.

Funeral service will take place 11:00 a.m. on Tuesday, February 27, 2018 at World Outreach Campus, 2405 Bay Road, Saginaw, MI 48602. Pastor Hurley J. Coleman will officiate with interment in Forest Lawn Cemetery, 3210 South Washington Avenue, Saginaw, MI 48601. Friends may call at the Evans & Browne's Funeral Home, 441 North Jefferson Avenue, Saginaw, MI 48607 on Monday from 2:00 until 8:00 p.m.

# Cemetery Details

## Forest Lawn Cemetery

3210 S. Washington Avenue  
Saginaw, MI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 26. 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

FEB 27. 11:00 AM (ET)

World Outreach Campus  
2405 Bay Road  
Saginaw, MI 48602

# Tribute Wall



“ *Evans & Browne's Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben*



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**Browne's Mortuary** - March 12, 2018 at 04:40 PM

DM

“ *DIANA MIREE sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben*



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**DIANA MIREE** - March 02, 2018 at 11:19 PM

TC

“ *Very sorry to hear of your loss... I remember marie from monitoring the halls of saginaw high... She was always kind... I pray the strenght of God.... Over you all*



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**Teresa choyce** - March 02, 2018 at 06:45 PM

WR

“ To; Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben and The DeBardelaben Family. She is the most beautiful and sweet and kind person you should know, she always smile at you all the time, she is the Aunt of my Nephew Anthony DeBardelaben, I know i'm gonna to miss her but god got her, I love her and I miss her. From Anthony Great Aunt Wanda Faye Reynolds and The Reynolds Family.



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**Wanda Faye Reynolds** - March 02, 2018 at 03:43 PM

CJ

“ Carlis Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



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**Carlis Jackson** - February 28, 2018 at 09:32 AM

OS

“ Orlando Jones Sr lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



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**Orlando Jones Sr** - February 27, 2018 at 12:34 PM

JC

“ Your memory will always be remembered this woman touch so many people heart's just a caring person she taught me how to be independent she was like a mother to me always telling me you always doing for the kids do something for yourself I love you miss Marie



Janice collins - February 27, 2018 at 07:51 AM

KW

“ Kim Caver Wright lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



Kim Caver Wright - February 27, 2018 at 05:16 AM

RT

“ Rosemary, Ronnita, Damion Jr., Autumn and Toby purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben.



Rosemary, Ronnita, Damion Jr., Autumn and Toby - February 27, 2018 at 02:56 AM

VJ

“ Victor & Stella Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



Victor & Stella Johnson - February 26, 2018 at 10:37 PM

VF

“ Vera Clark And Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



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**Vera Clark and family** - February 26, 2018 at 08:06 PM

EM

“ Praying for your family!

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**Ernestine Martin** - February 26, 2018 at 07:17 PM

ST

“ Stella Taylor lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



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**Stella Taylor** - February 26, 2018 at 07:03 PM

PS

“ Don I am sorry Sorry for your loss , we are praying for you and your family. We ask God will give you comfort and peace.

*Pastor William and Vivian Scott*



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**pactor william and Vivian Scott** - February 26, 2018 at 06:42 PM

CG

“ *Cassen Gates lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben*



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**Cassen Gates** - February 26, 2018 at 04:03 PM

AE

“ *Awwe, I was so sad to hear about Ms. Marie..She was my Pom Pom instructor at Saginaw High School. We had so much fun and those were the days. Ms. Marie was so nice and she had a smile that would warm your heart. I will miss her so dearly. I will never forget you. You made going to high school fun and exciting and I could not wait for practice because it was so much fun. God bless the Debardelaben and my prayers are with the family. May you "Cheer for our Lord and Savior Now!"*  
*Arnesha Essex*

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**Arnesha Essex** - February 26, 2018 at 01:05 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben.*



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February 26, 2018 at 12:04 PM

JG

“ *J Milton Goss lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben*



J Milton Goss - February 26, 2018 at 09:55 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben.*



February 26, 2018 at 09:32 AM



“ *To the family,  
I send my sincerest condolences to you all. Aunt Marie will definitely be missed by many. I love you all, and will definitely keep you all lifted in prayer 🙏*

*R.I.P Marie ❤️*

Velissa Batts - February 26, 2018 at 12:26 AM

J(

“ *Joycelyn Sanders (Diane) lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben*



Joycelyn Sanders (Diane) - February 25, 2018 at 08:55 PM

MM

“ *Mary McDonald lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben*



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**Mary McDonald** - February 25, 2018 at 08:30 PM

JW

“ *Jimmie And Beverly Westbrook lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben*



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**Jimmie and Beverly Westbrook** - February 25, 2018 at 08:28 PM

DB

“ *I met this wonderful woman as a teenager when Mary and San moved to Saginaw. Aunt Marie as I was instructed to call her and Uncle Don allowed me to hang out with them as much as I could and they treated me like I was part of their family. I am truly saddened by Aunt Marie's transition. I am praying for you all knowing that God will continue to give you strength.*

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**Dorla Bonner** - February 25, 2018 at 07:04 PM

LT

“ *May God bless the family of Marie DeBardelaben during this time of sorrow.*



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**Lucinda Taylor** - February 24, 2018 at 08:08 PM

TC

“ Tommy Chester lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



Tommy Chester - February 24, 2018 at 04:35 PM

JH

“ Joyce Williams Harvin lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



Joyce Williams Harvin - February 24, 2018 at 10:50 AM

VR

“ I. Remember Maria she always spoke to me gave me some advice I. Will always remember that to this day



valerie d. robinson - February 24, 2018 at 01:22 AM

YG

“ Rip Mrs.Debardeladen



Yvette Granberry - February 24, 2018 at 01:00 AM

GD

“ Gregory Daniel lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



Gregory Daniel - February 23, 2018 at 08:06 PM

CW

“ Calvin And Delores Williams lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



Calvin and Delores Williams - February 23, 2018 at 06:36 PM

SR

“ Sheila Ray-Danley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



Sheila Ray-Danley - February 23, 2018 at 03:01 PM

PF

“ Patricia Fuller lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



Patricia Fuller - February 23, 2018 at 01:28 PM

CM

“ Cheryl Morris lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



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**Cheryl Morris** - February 23, 2018 at 12:24 PM

JH

“ Joe Ann Nash Harris lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



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**Joe Ann Nash Harris** - February 23, 2018 at 11:13 AM

JH

*Mrs. DeBardelaben was at SHS when I went. After graduation, I came back...because of her...and helped with the pom pon squad. We (everyone) loved her. RIH Miss Marie..C/O 1979*

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**Joe Ann Nash Harris** - February 23, 2018 at 11:15 AM

KW

“ Kim Caver Wright lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



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**Kim Caver Wright** - February 22, 2018 at 08:47 PM

ON

“ Ora Neal lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



Ora Neal - February 22, 2018 at 06:39 PM

OJ

“ Otis Jackson sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



otis jackson - February 22, 2018 at 01:20 PM

HB

“ Harriet Brittain lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



Harriet Brittain - February 22, 2018 at 12:41 PM

LD

“ Lenora Dixon Durham and family.



Lenora Durham - February 22, 2018 at 12:36 PM

MF

“ *Ms. Brenda Bryant-Reynolds & Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben*



**Ms. Brenda Bryant-Reynolds & Family** - February 22, 2018 at 05:27 AM

LJ

“ *Lillie Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben*




**Lillie Johnson** - February 21, 2018 at 07:42 PM

CG

“ *Carolyn Griffin lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben*



**Carolyn Griffin** - February 21, 2018 at 03:19 PM

 Yvette  
Oliver  
Morris

“ *Yvette Oliver Morris sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben*



**Yvette Oliver Morris** - February 21, 2018 at 03:14 PM

DM

“ *DIANA MIREE sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben*



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**DIANA MIREE** - February 21, 2018 at 11:44 AM

MM

“ *Moty & Geri McKinney lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben*



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**Moty & Geri McKinney** - February 21, 2018 at 10:14 AM

MF

“ *Mosella Reed And Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben*



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**Mosella Reed and Family** - February 21, 2018 at 09:56 AM

EF

“ *Eugene Blair And Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben*



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**Eugene Blair and Family** - February 21, 2018 at 09:55 AM

SO

“ Rest in peace an awesome pompom coach and hall monitor at SHS.



Sharon Osteen - February 21, 2018 at 08:52 AM

AD

“ Angela (Thompson) Dorsey lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



Angela (Thompson) Dorsey - February 21, 2018 at 08:20 AM

MW

“ MARIE WASHINGTON lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



MARIE WASHINGTON - February 21, 2018 at 12:42 AM

MW

“ MAURICE &MARIE WASHINGTON lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



MAURICE &MARIE WASHINGTON - February 21, 2018 at 12:41 AM

MW

“ MAURICE & MARIE WASHINGTON lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



MAURICE & MARIE WASHINGTON - February 21, 2018 at 12:40 AM

MY

“ Always Aunt Marie!!! Praying for my family.

Myra - February 20, 2018 at 09:37 PM

RB

“ Rochelle Brewer lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



rochelle brewer - February 20, 2018 at 08:58 PM

KM

“ Kathi Mitchell lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



Kathi Mitchell - February 20, 2018 at 07:34 PM

NT

“ *Natasha Thomas sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben*



**Natasha Thomas** - February 20, 2018 at 07:30 PM

NC

“ *Natalie, Natasha, Codi sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben*



**Natalie, Natasha, Codi** - February 20, 2018 at 07:28 PM

MS

“ *Mr & Mrs. Sanders lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben*



**Mr & Mrs. Sanders** - February 20, 2018 at 07:26 PM



“ *Cynthia Reed-Tillman lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben*



**Cynthia Reed-Tillman** - February 20, 2018 at 06:00 PM

IC

“ IRMA CHISM lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



IRMA CHISM - February 20, 2018 at 12:41 PM

LM

“ Loudean Moultrie lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



Loudean Moultrie - February 20, 2018 at 11:53 AM

BS

“ Bishop Ronald & LadyJocelyn Stanley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



Bishop Ronald & LadyJocelyn Stanley - February 20, 2018 at 10:57 AM

DR

“ DoLinda Rhodes lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



DoLinda Rhodes - February 20, 2018 at 09:42 AM

TH

“ Tee-Ar Hines lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



Tee-Ar Hines - February 20, 2018 at 09:33 AM



“ Ann Arceneaux lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



Ann Arceneaux - February 20, 2018 at 09:07 AM

DH

“ Deidre Hunter lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



Deidre Hunter - February 20, 2018 at 08:33 AM

PM

“ Pamela Monroe lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



Pamela Monroe - February 20, 2018 at 08:06 AM



“ Joanie Williams lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



Joanie Williams - February 20, 2018 at 01:42 AM



“ Velissa Batts lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



Velissa Batts - February 19, 2018 at 11:24 PM



“ Claudine”Penny”Fife lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



claudine”Penny”Fife - February 19, 2018 at 11:09 PM



“ Sonny And Freddie Hodges lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben



Sonny and Freddie Hodges - February 19, 2018 at 08:37 PM

IH

“ *Inez Hinton lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben*



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**Inez Hinton** - February 19, 2018 at 07:39 PM

RC

“ *Ralph & Shirley Culpepper lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben*



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**Ralph & Shirley Culpepper** - February 19, 2018 at 07:06 PM

MJ

“ *Marie (Hinton) Jones lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben*



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**Marie (Hinton) Jones** - February 19, 2018 at 06:34 PM

GB

“ *Gloria Blackmon lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Idilla Marie DeBardelaben*



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**Gloria blackmon** - February 19, 2018 at 05:01 PM