



Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson

March 6, 1938 - October 4, 2023

Our beloved Lizzie Mae Dillard Robinson passed away October 4, 2023, following a brief illness. She was 85 years old.

A woman of wisdom, kindness and strength, she touched many throughout her life, including her family, friends and the numerous children she taught during her nearly 40-year career as an educator.

Lizzie was born March 6, 1938, in Newellton, La., to Willie Barber (mother) and Willie Dillard (father).

An exceptional student, she was the valedictorian of her 1956 graduating class at Tensas Parish High School in Louisiana. Four years later, she graduated with highest honors—summa cum laude—from Southern University in Baton Rouge, La., with a bachelor's in mathematics. In 1978, she earned her master's degree from the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor.

Lizzie married Tallulah, La.-native Steven Nathaniel Robinson on June 25, 1961, and afterward, moved to Saginaw. During the next four years, she and her husband would become parents to two children: Reginald and Sonya.

Although Lizzie began teaching math in 1960 at her former high school, she spent most of her career in Michigan, where she worked in Buena Vista and Saginaw. In 1963, she joined the staff of Arthur Eddy Junior High School as a

math teacher and happily remained there 25 years. When 'Eddy' closed in 1989, she taught math at North Intermediate Middle School, retiring in June 1998.

Known for her warm smile and honesty, she was a good listener and had a gift for making others feel valued. She believed in the importance of family and simply adored her grandsons.

Dedicated to her Christian faith, she was a member of TrueVine Missionary Baptist Church. She had been a former member of Zion Missionary Baptist Church and Bethlehem Baptist Church, serving for years as a youth Sunday School teacher and usher, respectively. She also was a lifetime member of the NAACP.

Especially dear to her heart was her sorority, Delta Sigma Theta. A Delta soror for 65 years, she was a founding member of the Saginaw Alumnae Chapter and remained committed to her sorority and its goals until her death.

Cherishing her memory are her children, Reginald Robinson, Saginaw, and Sonya (George) Baker, Indianapolis, IN; grandsons Randall (Miles Faciane) Robinson, Chicago, IL; Samuel Johnson, Killeen, TX; Geordan Baker, Los Angeles, CA; and Tyler Baker, Indianapolis, IN; siblings George Washington and Willie Washington, both of Las Vegas; NV; Bobbie (Ronnie) Culpepper, Detroit, MI; godson Maurice Taylor and special 'son' Michael Thomas, both of Saginaw; special 'daughters' Jeanette Anderson, Hurst, TX, Carlean Brown and Uzena (Baqui) McKnight, both of Saginaw; special 'grandsons' James Akins and Devin Brown, both of Saginaw, and Anthony Akins, Grand Rapids, MI; and a host of dear nieces, nephews, relatives, sorors and friends.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 57 years Steve Robinson, parents Willie Barber and Willie Dillard, siblings Hersea Brown and Louise

Thompson, and grandson Reginald Brown.

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Incorporated, Saginaw Alumnae Chapter, will conduct their Omega Omega Service at 7:00 p.m. Friday evening.

Funeral service will take place at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, October 21, 2023 at TrueVine Missionary Baptist Church, 2930 Janes St., Saginaw, MI 48601. Friends may call at the funeral home on Friday from 2:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. Pastor Paul E. Broaddus will officiate with interment in Great Lakes National Cemetery, G-4200 Belford Rd., Holly, MI 48442.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **20**. 2:00 PM - 7:00 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

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

Truevine Baptist Church
2930 Janes Street
Saginaw, MI 48601

Tribute Wall

HN

“ *H. L. Brazil Nelson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



H. L. Brazil Nelson - October 29, 2023 at 08:03 PM

JH

“ *Judy Holloway-Mayes lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Judy Holloway-Mayes - October 23, 2023 at 11:09 PM

TF

“ *T.W. And Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



T.W. and family - October 23, 2023 at 01:17 PM

MM

“ *Melleretha Moses-Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Melleretha Moses-Johnson - October 21, 2023 at 09:07 AM

YR

“ Mrs. Robinson always greeted me with a smile which I will never forget , a calm humble presence that gave me a sense of peace followed with good conversation.
You will be Truly Missed



Yolanda Russell - October 21, 2023 at 08:56 AM

EG

“ She is a wonderful math teacher at Arthur Eddy Junior High and a mentor she will be truly missed especially her beautiful smile a real queen



Elaine Greer - October 21, 2023 at 08:15 AM

DC

“ Deonta & Andrea Cotton lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Deonta & Andrea Cotton - October 21, 2023 at 07:33 AM

DC

“ Deonta And Andrea Cotton lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Deonta and Andrea Cotton - October 21, 2023 at 07:31 AM

DS

“ *Denise R. Steele lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Denise R. Steele - October 21, 2023 at 01:08 AM

DC

“ *Daveda Crisler lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Daveda Crisler - October 20, 2023 at 07:58 PM

AH

“ *Aretha Hairston sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Aretha Hairston - October 20, 2023 at 05:30 PM

KD

“ *Lit a candle for a fellow Southernite a member of the Jaguar Nation.*

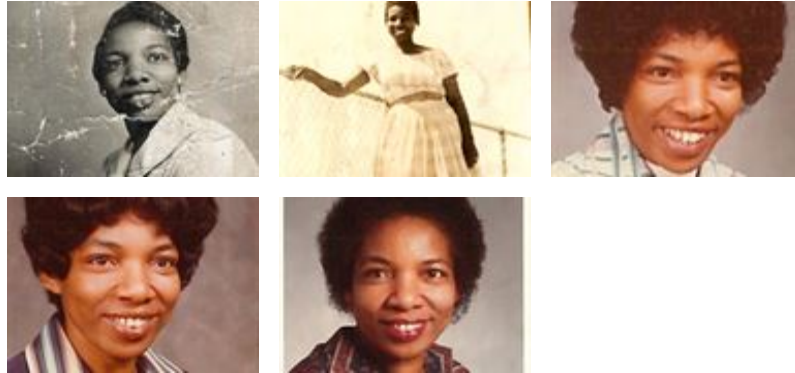
Kermit and Sidney Diggs



Kermit Anderson Diggs - October 20, 2023 at 02:46 PM



“ 72 files added to the album Life Tributes



Browne's Mortuary - October 20, 2023 at 02:00 PM

FF

“ From Linda Holmes and Family purchased the White Standing Spray for the family of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson.



From Linda Holmes and Family - October 20, 2023 at 11:03 AM

FF

“ From Linda Holmes and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson.

From Linda Holmes and Family - October 20, 2023 at 11:03 AM

DD

“ Debra Dawkins lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Debra Dawkins - October 19, 2023 at 09:23 PM

CJ

“ Connie Jackson-Jenkins lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



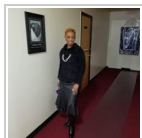
Connie Jackson-Jenkins - October 19, 2023 at 03:53 PM

JW

“ Honoring a woman who gave much to our community in so many ways. Our family valued her friendship. Soror Robinson will be remembered always.



Jimmie and Beverly Westbrook - October 19, 2023 at 11:11 AM



“ Mary Robinson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Mary Robinson - October 19, 2023 at 09:00 AM

CB

“ Charles Burt lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Charles Burt - October 19, 2023 at 06:34 AM

SG

“ Shawn Gills lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Shawn Gills - October 18, 2023 at 10:04 PM

JR

“ Jerry Rance sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Jerry Rance - October 17, 2023 at 11:04 PM

JF

“ Jerry Rance Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Jerry Rance family - October 17, 2023 at 11:03 PM

CG

“ *Cassen Gates lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Cassen Gates - October 17, 2023 at 08:24 PM

MM

“ *Mildred Mason lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Mildred Mason - October 17, 2023 at 08:03 PM

CM

“ *Charles And Dale Mirtchner sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Charles and Dale mirtchner - October 17, 2023 at 10:36 AM

TG

“ *Tammie M Gillespie lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Tammie M Gillespie - October 17, 2023 at 03:01 AM

MM

“ *Melleretha Moses-Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Melleretha Moses-Johnson - October 16, 2023 at 08:52 PM

KD

“ *Karyn Dixon lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Karyn Dixon - October 16, 2023 at 07:10 PM

BC

“ *Billy And Karen Cork lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Billy and Karen Cork - October 16, 2023 at 01:55 PM

MR

“ *Truly a beautiful woman inside and out. She will be missed. Marie Rhoden*



Marie Rhoden - October 16, 2023 at 12:07 PM

DT

“ *Memories forever!!! Rest on my precious Soror.*
Dawn Tatum



Dawn Tatum - October 16, 2023 at 12:05 PM

CW

“ *Calvin And Delores Williams lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Calvin and Delores Williams - October 16, 2023 at 11:39 AM

BM

“ *Beatrice F. McAfee lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Beatrice F. McAfee - October 15, 2023 at 08:34 PM

BR

“ *Barbra Roberson/Dallas,Tx sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Barbra Roberson/Dallas,Tx - October 15, 2023 at 09:40 AM

AC

“ Arwanda Conner lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Arwanda conner - October 15, 2023 at 12:24 AM

DB

“ Diane Bond sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Diane Bond - October 14, 2023 at 02:30 PM

SW

“ Shelona Brown Wilson sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Shelona Brown Wilson - October 13, 2023 at 12:27 PM

SM

“ Shayla Miller lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



shayla miller - October 13, 2023 at 05:12 AM

CM

“ *Condolences and prayers to the family 🙏🙏*



CHERYL MORRIS - October 12, 2023 at 08:44 PM



“ *My condolences to the Robinson family. Remembering her with my younger heart of her being a great educator. She will be remembered by many, rest easy my Lady. A greatful student.*



Debra Dillard - October 12, 2023 at 06:34 PM

SN

“ *Lizzie was an outstanding educator, a dedicated Christian mother, and my loving prayer partner. She had a loving heart and such a warm smile. Her kind words and hugs will be missed. You have fought a good fight. Rest in peace. My deepest sympathy to family . Saginaw has lost real treasure*



Shirley Nuckolls - October 12, 2023 at 12:43 PM

FJ

“ *Felicia A. Jones lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Felicia A. Jones - October 12, 2023 at 09:14 AM

VP

“ Vickie Pearce lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Vickie Pearce - October 11, 2023 at 10:42 PM

FA

“ Faye Strode



Faye - October 11, 2023 at 10:22 PM

SS

“ Shelva Scott-Veal sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Shelva Scott-Veal - October 11, 2023 at 09:42 PM

SP

“ Stephanie Pratt-Jones lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Stephanie Pratt-Jones - October 11, 2023 at 09:14 PM

SH

“ *One of my favorite teachers at Arthur Eddy
Sincerest condolences to her family*



Shauna Hemphill - October 11, 2023 at 08:37 PM

JA

“ *JJ Akins lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie
M. Robinson*



JJ Akins - October 11, 2023 at 06:30 PM

PS

“ *Patricia Scott-Mason lit a candle in memory of
Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Patricia Scott-Mason - October 11, 2023 at 04:57 PM

PS

*Condolences and Prayers to my loving family. This loss touches deep
into my family. Love ❤️ and blessings as we share in prayer 🙏 with
you now and forever.*

Patricia Scott-Mason - October 11, 2023 at 05:00 PM

HT

“ Howard Tate And Yvonne Tate lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Howard Tate and Yvonne Tate - October 11, 2023 at 01:02 PM

LW

“ Lori Wright lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Lori wright - October 11, 2023 at 10:04 AM

MS

“ My condolences to the family of Mrs. Lizzie Robinson.



Marilyn Sawyer - October 11, 2023 at 09:52 AM

BF

“ Brazil Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Brazil Family - October 11, 2023 at 09:24 AM

GL

“ *Sending my sincere condolences to the family of Lizzie Robinson*

Glendorah Lawrence - October 11, 2023 at 09:04 AM

CC

“ *CRISTINA COON lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



CRISTINA COON - October 11, 2023 at 09:01 AM

AM

“ *A great teacher and.a beautiful person
Who touched many lives with her kindness and gentleness. Prayers
to the family.*

Audrey McKandes - October 11, 2023 at 06:13 AM



“ *Barbara Hickman lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Barbara Hickman - October 10, 2023 at 11:51 PM

LP

“ Sonya and family prayers of comfort and strength to you all 🙏❤️🙏❤️



Lakeisha Pelt - October 10, 2023 at 11:47 PM

MB

“ Michelle Blair lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Michelle Blair - October 10, 2023 at 10:14 PM

JT

“ John And Lillian Thomas lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



John and Lillian Thomas - October 10, 2023 at 07:16 PM

JR

“ Joyce Robinson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Joyce Robinson - October 10, 2023 at 05:28 PM

WF

“ Wanda Faye Reynolds And Reynolds Family
lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M.
Robinson



Wanda Faye Reynolds and Reynolds Family - October 10, 2023 at 04:48 PM

BN

“ Barbara Jones Nichols lit a candle in memory
of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Barbara Jones Nichols - October 10, 2023 at 04:14 PM

LV

“ Linda McClain Veasley lit a candle in memory
of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Linda McClain Veasley - October 10, 2023 at 03:54 PM

DG

“ DELORES GILES lit a candle in memory of
Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



DELORES GILES - October 10, 2023 at 03:39 PM

BF

“ Sending sincere condolences to Reginald, Sonya and extended family. May God grant you unspeakable peace as you celebrate the life of our dear cousin "Lizzie Robinson". Another soldier in the army of the Lord marching home. We love you all and are here if you need us.



Cousins Larry/Linda (Berry) Adams

BERRY FAMILY - October 10, 2023 at 02:26 PM

GV

“ Glenda Richardson Vaughn lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



glenda richardson vaughn - October 10, 2023 at 12:20 PM

VM

“ Veronica K. McClain lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Veronica K. McClain - October 10, 2023 at 10:57 AM

YG

“ Y.T. & Barbara Gray lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Y.T. & Barbara Gray - October 10, 2023 at 09:32 AM

TF

“ The Reese Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



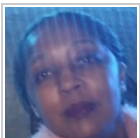
The Reese Family - October 10, 2023 at 12:44 AM

AC

“ Annie Carr lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Annie Carr - October 09, 2023 at 11:05 PM



“ Lynette Brown-Butler lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Lynette Brown-Butler - October 09, 2023 at 10:07 PM

NH

“ *Noland & Karen Heath lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Noland & Karen Heath - October 09, 2023 at 09:52 PM

MS

“ *Condolences to the family of Mrs. Robinson*



Marilyn Sawyer - October 09, 2023 at 09:24 PM

DM

“ *Sincere condolences to Soror Sonya, Reggie, and the entire Robinson Family.* 🙏❤️



Deborah Morris-Williams - October 09, 2023 at 09:24 PM

HS

“ *Helen Scott lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Helen Scott - October 09, 2023 at 08:42 PM

D(

“ *Diane (Burns)Blackmon lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Diane (Burns)Blackmon - October 09, 2023 at 08:10 PM

GA

“ *ToThe Robinson Family!
You have our deepest sympathy in the loss of Lizzie Robinson.We
will keep the family in our prayers and thoughts.
Georgew & Marilyn Adams.*

George & Marilyn Adams - October 09, 2023 at 05:59 PM

CP

“ *Chery Pratt lit a candle in memory of Mrs.
Lizzie M. Robinson*



Chery Pratt - October 09, 2023 at 02:05 PM

JK

“ *My sincere condolences to Reggie, Sonya
and the entire family. Ms. Lizzie was a
beautiful person.*



Janice Kemp-Anderson - October 09, 2023 at 11:44 AM

BF

“ *Bryan & Anna Patton Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Bryan & Anna Patton Family - October 09, 2023 at 10:55 AM

AW

“ *Audrey Watkins-Savage lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Audrey Watkins-Savage - October 09, 2023 at 10:44 AM

JB

“ *Jerome Buckley lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Jerome Buckley - October 09, 2023 at 10:13 AM

AF

“ *Annie Ruth Speight Fuller lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Annie Ruth Speight Fuller - October 09, 2023 at 09:19 AM

RW

“ *Rhonda L. Warren lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Rhonda L. Warren - October 09, 2023 at 01:58 AM

MD

“ *Ms. Cherilyn Davis lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Ms. Cherilyn Davis - October 08, 2023 at 03:30 AM

AC

“ *My prayers and condolences to Soror Lizzie's family. I will always remember her love for family and Adela Sigma Theta Sorority. She was a true Sister and I simply loved her.*



Arwanda Conner - October 08, 2023 at 01:48 AM

DA

“ *Debra Austin lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Debra Austin - October 08, 2023 at 01:21 AM

VR

“ *Veronica Roby lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Veronica Roby - October 08, 2023 at 12:46 AM

YS

“ *Yvonne Sanders lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Yvonne Sanders - October 07, 2023 at 09:45 PM

JP

“ *Janice Powell-Coleman*



Janice Powell-Coleman - October 07, 2023 at 08:04 PM

ER

“ *Eddie Rance lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson*



Eddie Rance - October 07, 2023 at 01:11 PM

JO

“ JoEllenGaddis-McElhaney sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



JoEllenGaddis-McElhaney - October 07, 2023 at 01:06 PM

CJ

“ Carrie Jackson-Zackrie lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Carrie Jackson-Zackrie - October 07, 2023 at 12:12 PM

BL

“ Bobbie Lockhart(Gissendanner) lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Bobbie Lockhart(Gissendanner) - October 07, 2023 at 10:44 AM

BC

“ Bobbie Crosby-Locke lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Bobbie Crosby-Locke - October 07, 2023 at 10:34 AM

YS

“ Yvonne Sanders lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Yvonne Sanders - October 07, 2023 at 12:32 AM

LM

“ Larry And Pamela Monroe sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Larry and Pamela Monroe - October 06, 2023 at 07:50 PM

JG

“ JoEllen Gaddis-McElhaney sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



JoEllen Gaddis-McElhaney - October 06, 2023 at 05:47 PM

AL

“ Annie Lowery sent a virtual gift in memory of Mrs. Lizzie M. Robinson



Annie Lowery - October 06, 2023 at 04:58 PM

HJ

“ *God's Blessings and Love To Mother Lizzie Robinson's Family and Friends. She was Houston's "Favorite Teacher!" She was such a "Precious Jewel." We thank God that she came our way. To God Be The Glory! Houston & Elaine Jackson, Jr. & Family*



Houston Jackson, Jr. and Elaine Jackson - October 06, 2023 at 12:22 PM

LB

“ *Our prayers and condolences to Reggie & Sonya.*



Larry & Marilyn Bowman - October 06, 2023 at 12:16 PM