



## Matilda "Tilda" Stewart

July 14, 1931 - February 2, 2013

"I have fought the good fight." 2 Timothy 4:7

Mrs. Matilda Stewart went home to be with the Lord on Saturday, February 2, 2013 at Hoyt Nursing and Rehab Centre. She was born July 14, 1931 in Union Springs, Alabama to Tommy and Mary Harris.

Tilda was a virtuous woman, a pillar of strength and a solid essence for her family. She was a long time member of Rosehill Missionary Baptist Church where she served on various auxiliaries, until her health fail her. Tilda enjoyed cooking and baking for her family and friends. She enjoyed her birthday parties that she had every year, that were given by her grandchildren, whom she loved so dearly.

Left to cherish her memory are her seven children, Mary Bennett of Shreveport, LA, Carolyn Wicks of Murfreesboro, TN, Shirley (Carl) Garrett, Barbara (Leon) MC Ghee, C. W. (Eunice) Harris, Jim Stewart, Jr. and Elbert Stewart of Saginaw, MI. Her memory will also be cherish by a special companion, Carl "POPS" Hodges; three sisters, Mary Donald of Saginaw, MI, Elizabeth (Major) Davis of Manhattan, NY, Lula (Willie) Hooks of Pensacola, FL; 20 grandchildren, 42 great-grandchildren and nine great- great-great grandchildren; two sisters-in-law, Annie Harris and Equilar Harris of Saginaw, MI; a special niece, Patricia Brent; a special cousin, Lizzie Pickett; many

nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends, including special friends, Ken (Mary) Jones and family, and her beloved cat, "Shuga".

Matilda was preceded in death by her parents; three brothers, Tommy Harris, Johnny (Mae) Harris and Charlie Harris; great-granddaughter, Jasmine Houston; and two sons-in-law, Raymond Wicks and Meorlin Bennett.

Funeral service will take place at 1:00 p.m. on Monday, February 11, 2013 at Rosehill Missionary Baptist Church, 2403 E. Remington. Pastor Murry Culberson will officiate with interment in Forest Lawn Cemetery. Friends may call at the Evans & Browne's Funeral Home, 441 North Jefferson Avenue, on Sunday from 2:00 until 8:00 p.m.

# Cemetery Details

## Forest Lawn Cemetery

3210 S. Washington Avenue  
Saginaw, MI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 10. 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>

## Service

FEB 11. 1:00 PM (ET)

Rosehill Missionary Baptist Church  
2403 E. Remington  
Saginaw, MI 48601

# Tribute Wall

MF

“ *Ms. Brenda Bryant-Reynolds & Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Matilda "Tilda" Stewart*



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**Ms. Brenda Bryant-Reynolds & Family** - February 19, 2013 at 09:42 AM

TW

“ *Sincere condolences to the Stewart family during this time~Tilly was our babysiter when we were in elementary school and our families have been connected for many years ~although it has been a long time since we have been together~I pray that she rest in peace for we all know the battles are not ours but the Lord's. May God be a source of strength to you all during this time. Condolences also extended to Ms Mary Lee~her sister.*

*God Bless~ Mr Tracy S Woods and Family - Detroit, Michigan*

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**Tracy Woods** - February 16, 2013 at 11:04 PM

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AO

“ Adetunji TJ Ojo lit a candle in memory of Matilda "Tilda" Stewart



Adetunji TJ Ojo - February 12, 2013 at 12:38 PM

AO

*Rest in perfect peace.*

Adetunji TJ Ojo - February 12, 2013 at 12:40 PM

W(

“ Willie D. Mims (Chip) lit a candle in memory of Matilda "Tilda" Stewart



Willie D. Mims (Chip) - February 12, 2013 at 09:58 AM

EC

“ Evangelist Pamela J. Dottery & Children sent a virtual gift in memory of Matilda "Tilda" Stewart



Evangelist Pamela J. Dottery & Children - February 11, 2013 at 03:29 PM

JH

“ *Jamie Sanders Hicks lit a candle in memory of Matilda "Tilda" Stewart*



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**Jamie sanders hicks** - February 11, 2013 at 02:42 AM

SD

“ *Stacy Dugan lit a candle in memory of Matilda "Tilda" Stewart*



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**Stacy Dugan** - February 10, 2013 at 12:28 PM

DF

“ *David & Carol Garrett Fenn lit a candle in memory of Matilda "Tilda" Stewart*



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**David & Carol Garrett Fenn** - February 10, 2013 at 09:05 AM

EG

“ *Evelyn Hardy Garrett lit a candle in memory of Matilda "Tilda" Stewart*



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**Evelyn Hardy Garrett** - February 10, 2013 at 09:01 AM

WW

“ *To: Mr. C.W. Stewart & Family  
From: Mrs. Carrie Lee Simon-McLeod & Family  
(REVISED COPY)*

*My heart was saddened when I heard of the passing of Mrs. Matilda Stewart. I have not seen her in about thirty-five years, every since I was a little girl. Now I am residing back in Saginaw. I was happy to see C.W. last year, at his grand-daughter's birthday party.*

*I am the baby sister of: Dorothy Simon-Boone, The Late Robert Simon Jr., Roosevelt Simon, The Late Willie James Simon and The Late Elijah Simon. We lived on 9th street back in the day. We are the children of The Late: Mr. Robert Simon Sr. & The Late Mrs. Carrie Lee Simon. Always remember to: "Lean and Depend on Jesus. He will see you through. May God Bless you and give you all the strength you need.*

*Sorrowfully Submitted,*

*Mrs. Carrie Lee Simon- McLeod  
&  
Family*

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**www.csm@netcharter.com** - February 09, 2013 at 09:31 PM

RS

“ From: Mr Roosevelt Simon  
To: The Stewart Family

*I regret to hear of the passing of your mother, Mrs. Matilda Stewart. We were like family. We knew each other every since we lived on 9th street. Please be comforted to know that "GOD" will keep you and take care of you. He will see you all through this most difficult time May God bless each and everyone of you.*

*Roosevelt Simon*

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**Roosevelt Simon** - February 09, 2013 at 08:43 PM

DF

“ From: Mrs. Dorothy M. Simon-Boone & Family

*Sorry to hear about the passing of your mother: Mrs. Tilda Stewart. I know you all loved her. Just remember, she is at peace now.. " No more pain, and no more suffering. Just remember the "GOOD" times you all shared. "Sleep on Mrs. Tilda and take your rest!" We all love, but God loves you best I will be praying for you all.*

*"May God Keep you!*

*Mrs. Dorothy Mae Simon-Boone  
&  
Family*

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**Dorothy Simon-Boone & Family** - February 09, 2013 at 08:30 PM

TG

“ Theresa Goodman lit a candle in memory of Matilda "Tilda" Stewart



Theresa Goodman - February 09, 2013 at 06:45 AM

MS

“ MaryLee StewartBennett lit a candle in memory of Matilda "Tilda" Stewart



MaryLee StewartBennett - February 08, 2013 at 08:52 PM

YS

“ Yolanda Stewart-Gipson lit a candle in memory of Matilda "Tilda" Stewart



Yolanda Stewart-Gipson - February 08, 2013 at 07:00 PM

SM

“ Shonda Myles lit a candle in memory of Matilda "Tilda" Stewart



Shonda Myles - February 07, 2013 at 06:38 PM

YC

“ Yvonne Corley sent a virtual gift in memory of Matilda "Tilda" Stewart



Yvonne Corley - February 07, 2013 at 09:14 AM



“ Sacred Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Matilda "Tilda" Stewart.



February 06, 2013 at 01:42 PM

SW

“ Shantell Walden lit a candle in memory of Matilda "Tilda" Stewart



Shantell Walden - February 06, 2013 at 09:49 AM

KS

“ Kelly Streeter lit a candle in memory of Matilda "Tilda" Stewart



Kelly Streeter - February 06, 2013 at 09:42 AM

TS

“ Tonya Stewart-Cunningham lit a candle in memory of Matilda "Tilda" Stewart



Tonya Stewart-Cunningham - February 05, 2013 at 08:54 PM

DW

“ Deborah A. Williams lit a candle in memory of Matilda "Tilda" Stewart



Deborah A. Williams - February 05, 2013 at 08:03 PM



“ Helen Lewis lit a candle in memory of Matilda "Tilda" Stewart



Helen Lewis - February 04, 2013 at 07:56 AM



So Sorry to hear of your loss. My Thoughts and Prayers goes out to the family.

Helen Lewis - February 04, 2013 at 08:01 AM