



## Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton

August 19, 1939 - May 18, 2022

Our dear mother Rosie Mae Cotton sadly passed away on May 18, 2022 at the age of 82 years. She was born in the beautiful city of Pope, Mississippi and in later years relocated to Saginaw, Michigan.

She was a wonderful mother who was always there for her children whom she loved dearly. Mother was the happiest when she was with her family no matter what the occasion. Her family was what she cared and lived for. Through her, we know what love and perseverance truly look like.

Our mother enjoyed playing cards with family and friends. She also enjoyed taking yearly road trips to Louisiana to visit family. Our mom will be missed dearly. She will always live in our hearts and will never be forgotten. Mom retired from the Saginaw County Commission on Aging as a bus driver which she enjoyed.

She is survived by her children, Bobby Vance, Linda Boyd-Lawson, Joyce Terrell, Johnnie Cotton, Rennie Cotton, Judy Craft and Leon Cotton; grandchildren, Tameka Boyd, Latoya and Stephanie Cotton, Kwenji Vance, Sedrick McGhee, Carlos and Latasha Terrell, Johnnie Cotton IV, Denisreon Craighead, Andrea Cotton and Corion Adams; brothers and sisters, Check McGhee, William Phillips, Bobby Haynes, Shirley George, Harry and Larry Phillips; sons-in-law, Kenneth Lawson and Carl Terrell; daughters-in-law,

Angela and Tammy Cotton; sister-in-law, Kristi Phillips; brother-in-law, Willie Haynes; god-daughter, Victoria Guster-Hines; other relatives and friends.

Ms. Cotton was preceded in death by her parents, Rosie Lee Washington; father, Homer McGhee; sister, Jean and a brother, Ernest Phillips.

Funeral service will take place at 11:00 AM Friday, May 27, 2022, at Evans & Browne's Funeral Home, 441 North Jefferson Avenue, Saginaw, Michigan 48607. Rev. John Rincher, will officiate. Interment will take place in Forest Lawn Cemetery, 3210 South Washington, Saginaw, Michigan 48601. Visitation will begin at 9:00 AM until the time of service.

# Cemetery Details

## Forest Lawn Cemetery

3210 S. Washington Avenue  
Saginaw, MI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 27. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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

## Funeral Service

MAY 27. 11:00 AM (ET)

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

# Tribute Wall



“ *Evans & Browne's Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton*



**Browne's Mortuary** - May 27, 2022 at 10:43 AM

RM

*Go head Preacher!!!!*

**r murchison** - May 27, 2022 at 12:17 PM

PR

“ *Pastor Terry Randolph and the Gethsemane MBC of Flint, MI would like to extend our sincere condolences to the family, may God comfort each of you during this transitional period of your loved one.*

**Pastor Randolph** - June 08, 2022 at 08:05 AM

LA

“ *Our sincere condolences to the Cotton family; May God's grace carry you through this great loss as you celebrate the life of your mother, Mrs. Rosa Mae Cotton;*

*Larry/Linda Adams*



**LARRY ADAMS** - May 31, 2022 at 10:09 AM

MT

“ *Mary Hannibal, Fort Worth, Texas lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton*



Mary Hannibal, Fort Worth, Texas - May 30, 2022 at 04:38 AM

PJ

“ *Purvis Carter Jr. sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton*



Purvis Carter Jr. - May 26, 2022 at 05:34 PM

DE

“ *I love you Grandma Rosie. I will always remember you. You always had a beautiful spirit. You were always Gorgeous with pretty long hair. I will see you in heaven one day an we will get to chat together an hug again. Please tell your grandson Otis I love him an miss him too. I will see you all again.*



*Love your grand daughter Deneishreon Washington A.k.A Tootie*

Dee - May 26, 2022 at 04:57 PM

SO

“ Remembering Rose from our (COA) days together. She would bring seniors to various senior centers throughout the county and some days between runs she would get in a card game or two with the fellas. 🤔 sending love to her family.



Sylvia Oates - May 26, 2022 at 03:11 PM

KC

“ Karen Cork lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton



Karen Cork - May 26, 2022 at 04:38 AM

LM

“ Larry Martin lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton



Larry Martin - May 25, 2022 at 09:23 PM

LM

“ *Larry Martin lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton*



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**Larry Martin** - May 25, 2022 at 08:43 PM

GL

“ *Barbara (Bobby), Bobbie and family, sending caring thoughts in the passing of your beloved mother and sister. May God's love provide peace and comfort to you.*



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**Glendorah Lawrence** - May 25, 2022 at 07:58 PM

JC

“ *Love You Mother. Missing You So Much Rest in Heaven. Save a Seat For Your For Baby Girl*



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**Judy craft** - May 25, 2022 at 03:01 PM

TM

“ *Tyana McDaniel lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton*



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**Tyana McDaniel** - May 25, 2022 at 09:13 AM



“ *White Standing Spray was purchased for the family of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton.*



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May 25, 2022 at 08:02 AM



“ *White Standing Spray was purchased for the family of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton.*



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May 24, 2022 at 10:14 PM



“ *We extend our deepest sympathy and heartfelt prayers to the family of Mrs. Rosie Lee Cotton.*



*Sincerely,*

*Gwen White Bowman  
and Kim White Coleman*

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**Gwendolyn W. Bowman** - May 24, 2022 at 01:15 PM

GS

“ Gail Smith lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton



Gail Smith - May 24, 2022 at 08:16 AM



“ White Sympathy Baskets was purchased for the family of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton.



May 24, 2022 at 06:41 AM

CW

“ Carolyn Wicks lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton



Carolyn Wicks - May 23, 2022 at 09:14 PM

MV

“ Mildred Valley lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton



Mildred Valley - May 23, 2022 at 06:53 PM



“ *Mildred Valley*

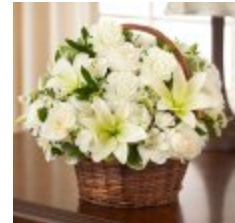


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**Mildred Valley** - May 23, 2022 at 06:52 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- All White was purchased for the family of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton.*



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May 23, 2022 at 06:17 PM



“ *My condolences to the family and friends Jonnie I hope you are in good spirits RIP Ms Cotton*



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**Clarence Abernathy Sr.** - May 23, 2022 at 04:46 PM

KM

“ *My sincerest condolences and heartfelt prayers for strength and peace to the family of Mrs. Cotton. She was truly a sweetheart, had a great sense of humor and always had the brightest smile when I saw her. I enjoyed our conversations as we definitely had our share of laughs and good times. You will forever remain in my heart and will always be "my gurl".*



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**K. Matthews** - May 23, 2022 at 02:59 PM

LJ

“ *Missing you*



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**Latoya & Jayla** - May 23, 2022 at 02:36 PM

LJ

“ *Missing you*



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**Latoya & Jayla** - May 23, 2022 at 02:35 PM

YF

“ *Your Brother Check Mcghee & Family purchased the White Standing Spray for the family of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton.*



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**Your Brother Check Mcghee & Family** - May 23, 2022 at 12:05 PM

AF

“ *Annie Ruth Speight Fuller lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton*



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**Annie Ruth Speight Fuller** - May 23, 2022 at 10:16 AM

KS

“ *Kathy Shaw lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton*



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**Kathy Shaw** - May 23, 2022 at 05:05 AM

KD

“ *KAY CHESTER DAWKINS lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton*



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**KAY CHESTER DAWKINS** - May 22, 2022 at 10:32 PM

SH

“ Sincere condolences and prayers to the family, may God comfort you during this difficult time.



Stephanie Hall - May 22, 2022 at 09:40 AM

JC

“ Jeanette Champion sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton



Jeanette Champion - May 22, 2022 at 09:07 AM

MF

“ Mr. & Mrs. Terry Faulk lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton



Mr. & Mrs. Terry Faulk - May 21, 2022 at 07:58 PM

SF

“ Stephanie Ford sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton



Stephanie Ford - May 21, 2022 at 06:47 PM

WP

“ *RIH Dear Sister!*

William and Kristi Phillips - May 21, 2022 at 06:18 PM

WP

“ *William & Kristi Phillips lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton*



William & Kristi Phillips - May 21, 2022 at 06:16 PM

MM

“ *Mr&Mrs Johnnie Cotton Rih Mother lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton*



Mr&Mrs Johnnie Cotton Rih Mother - May 21, 2022 at 10:23 AM



Margaret Stuckett

“ *Margaret Stuckett sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton*



Margaret Stuckett - May 21, 2022 at 08:30 AM



Margaret Stuckett

“ Margaret Stuckett sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton



Margaret Stuckett - May 21, 2022 at 08:29 AM

KC

“ Karen Cork lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton



Karen Cork - May 20, 2022 at 09:02 PM

AC

“ Alina Cannon lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton



Alina Cannon - May 20, 2022 at 06:33 PM

DT

“ Denise Terrance Tanya lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton



Denise Terrance Tanya - May 20, 2022 at 04:13 PM

BH

“ Bobby Haynes lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton



Bobby Haynes - May 20, 2022 at 04:09 PM

BH

“ I am missing my beautiful sister she has been like a mother to me after our mother passed. I loved her cooking and her caring ways she always made time to talk about anything . I love my nieces for taking care of my sister they were there until the very end she raised some strong & responsible women & she would be proud of how they are taking care of each other. We know you got tired of hospitals & needles so God took you home to rest. Rest on In Heaven Big Sis we know that you are in a better place no more pain or suffering I hope to see you later. Love you❤️❤️❤️❤️



Bobby Haynes - May 20, 2022 at 04:08 PM

IH

“ Ida Helton lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton



Ida Helton - May 20, 2022 at 03:16 PM

YS

“ Yvonne Sanders lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton



Yvonne Sanders - May 20, 2022 at 01:39 PM

PH

“ Pam Harris lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton



Pam Harris - May 20, 2022 at 01:03 PM

LR

“ Lloyd And Carolyn Riley lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton



Lloyd and Carolyn Riley - May 20, 2022 at 05:41 AM

LR

“ Lloyd And Carolyn Riley lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton



Lloyd and Carolyn Riley - May 20, 2022 at 05:27 AM

LR

“ *Lloyd And Carolyn Riley sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton*



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**Lloyd and Carolyn Riley** - May 20, 2022 at 05:25 AM

LV

“ *Liz Vance lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton*



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**Liz Vance** - May 19, 2022 at 06:40 PM

DP

“ *Dorothy Price-Omar lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton*



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**Dorothy Price-Omar** - May 19, 2022 at 05:03 PM

DP

“ *Dorothy Price-Omar sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton*



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**Dorothy Price-Omar** - May 19, 2022 at 05:03 PM

JH

“ *My Aunt Mae was an incredibly stylish lady who fiercely loved her family. I pray that her children, grandchildren, and siblings find peace in knowing that rests comfortably with the Lord and those who have gone before her.*

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**Jennifer Haynes** - May 19, 2022 at 03:32 PM

DW

“ *My Sincere Condolences To The Entire Family Of Mrs. Rosie Mae Cotton and My Grandson.*



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**Doretta J Williams** - May 19, 2022 at 02:59 PM

VG

“ *Barb, Linda, Joyce, Judy, Leon, and John:  
Thank you for sharing Rosie Cotton (my sweet pea) with Deb and me. She was such a kind and loving mother to us after our mom passed away and she was proud to call us her daughters. She will be greatly missed and loved forever more.*

*Deb and I are so so sad for you guys because your mom was the rock that always made us feel better and do better. All of our hearts are aching and we must continue to support and love one another.*

*I will miss our Sunday calls and the love and comfort that she gave us everyday. God bless you as she will live in us forever until we meet again.*

*Victoria Guster-Hines and Debra Guster*

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**Victoria A Guster-Hines** - May 19, 2022 at 01:49 PM

VG

“ Victoria A Guster-Hines lit a candle in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton



Victoria A Guster-Hines - May 19, 2022 at 01:40 PM

ED

“ Edith Lewis/Quest Diagnostics sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton



Edith Lewis/Quest Diagnostics - May 19, 2022 at 12:32 PM

ED

“ Edith Lewis/Quest Diagnostics sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton



Edith Lewis/Quest Diagnostics - May 19, 2022 at 12:14 PM

CD

“ Corliss Dawkins sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Rosie Mae Cotton



Corliss Dawkins - May 18, 2022 at 06:16 PM