



PALLBEARERS

Earl Small, Jr
 Aaron John Small
 Joshua Davis
 Wendell N. Davis. III

Michael Tuma
 Spencer Small
 Cyril Yancey
 Simeon Davis

FLOWERS BEARERS

Friends of the Family

Interment

WOODLAWN CEMETERY
 1995 Woodward Avenue
 Detroit, Michigan 48203
 (313)368-0010



Final Arrangements Entrusted To

JAMES H. COLE HOME FOR FUNERALS, INC.
 2624 W. Grand Blvd.
 Detroit, Michigan 48208
 (313)873-0771

Acknowledgement

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Special Thanks to Spiritual Son, Rev. Kenneth James Flowers, Senior Pastor of Detroit World Outreach Bishop CJ Andre and Senior Pastor of

*Celebrating the Life
 Of*



Jean Davis

SUNRISE: AUGUST 21, 1930

SUNSET: DECEMBER 27, 2022

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 4, 2023
 Family Hour: 10:30 A. M.
 Homegoing Service: 11:00 A. M.
 JAMES H. COLE FUNERAL HOME CHAPEL
 2624 West Grand Blvd
 Detroit, MI 48208

REPASS: 2:30 P. M.
 CHURCH FOR ALL NATIONS
 14205 Twelve Mile Road
 Warren, MI 48088

Reverend Kenneth James Flowers, Pastor, Officiating

OBITUARY

Jean Davis, was the last born to Maggie Bell Taylor and Fletcher Taylor on August 21, 1930 in Carters, Georgia. She attended Pine Grove Elementary School in Georgia. Jean's family later moved to Albion, Michigan where she graduated from High School. She later earned an Associates of Arts Degree from Wayne County Community College after her children were all nearly grown.

Jean married Wendell N. Davis, Sr. of Jackson, Michigan on August 14, 1949. She always said Wendell was determined to be her husband. They were married 61 years before he passed on October 26, 2010. Jean gave her life to Christ at an early age and as an adult diligently served in many positions when she and her husband attended Henderson Memorial Methodist Church in Detroit, Michigan.

There were four children born during Jean and Wendell's marriage, to wit: Wendell N. Davis, Jr. (Brenda), Tyrone Davis, Deborah Booker (Gary), Gwendolyn Davis-Yancey (Kenneth). Jean and Wendell were blessed with 17 grandchildren: Wendell N. Davis, III, Simeon Davis, Joshua Davis, Adelia Davis, Tyrone Davis, Jr., Jeremiah Davis, Brian Davis, Heather Davis, Earl Glenn Small, Jr. Ingrid Shepherd, Aaron-John Small, Spencer, Natosha Tuma (deceased), Michael Tuma, Nicole Caldwell-Gross, Jennifer and Cyril Yancey.

Jean's siblings Henry Taylor, James Taylor, Dave Taylor, Mary Taylor, Ruthie Taylor, Lillie Taylor, John Taylor, George Taylor and Dollie Taylor, preceded her in death.

Jean is survived by numerous greatgrandchildren, nieces, great nieces & nephews, God daughter, Kierra Flowers and Spiritual Son Rev. Kenneth Flowers and hundreds of cousins, family and friends.

Following her education Jean devoted her expertise to teaching interior design and additional life skills classes for the Detroit Public Schools. Jean mastered the art of crocheting and sewing over the years. She also worked many years at her daughter, Gwen's law office, Davis-Yancey Law Office, PLLC.

Jean loved skating with her husband when they were dating and after marriage going on cruises with her husband, family and friends, as well as playing bingo and sitting in her favorite "China Shores" seat.

Jean always referred to her husband, Wendell as "the Love of her Life". Excerpts from the letter that he wrote to her on March 8, 1957 gives you an idea of why: "My dearest, beautiful, lovable wife;Praise be unto the Creator and His Son Jesus Christ, our Redeemer and Savior. My heart also tells me today that I am the luckiest man in the world to have found such a wonderful loving wife as you. Since the first time we dated my heart has leaped and fluttered with excitement, just at the thought of you...Our marriage August 14, 1949 was a gift of God. His love and care was upon us....and with God's grace, you my beloved and I shall grow together learning, accepting and carrying out our duty to our children, relatives, friends and above all to ourselves. I have become and shall remain your husband until death do us part. Your Love For Eternity, Wen"

SPECIAL WORDS FROM YOUR BABY GIRL:

Mom, you always said that I wouldn't let go of your hand when I was a little girl. I looked to you for love, protection and security. You continued to hold my hand and help me get to college classes when I was very sick, took my kids to Detroit Country Day, Cranbrook & Southfield High School, provided for Cyril to attend BHHS, and you worked at my law office for several years. **Please know that it has been an honor to hold your hand and not let go over the last ten years that I took care of you, all the way to your last breath. I'm in awe of the grace, appreciation and faith that you continuously showed me when I know what was happening inside of your body was tough to endure.** I love you, will miss you, but know that you are now pain free and living among The Most High God. Say hi to Daddy & Natosha! Love Forever! Your Baby Girl, Gwen



ORDER OF SERVICE

- ORGAN PRELUDE.....
- PROCESSIONAL "Oh How I Love Jesus"
- MUSICAL SELECTION "How Great is Our Lord"
- SCRIPTURE *I Thessalonians 4:13-18*..... Pastor Nicole Calwell-Gross
Nobleville First United Methodist Church
Nobleville, IN
Granddaughter
- PRAYER Reverend Steven Williams, Pastor
Grace Temple Church of God In Christ
Albion, MI
Nephew
- MUSICAL SELECTION "When You Hear of My Home Going"
- ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF CARDS, CONDOLENCES
AND OBITUARY Sister Mia Waugh
- MUSICAL SELECTION "The Old Rugged Cross"
- REMARKS (limit 2 minutes, please)..... Pastors
Friends
Family
- SPECIAL REMARKS/PRAYER Bishop C J Andre
Detroit World Outreach
- MUSICAL SELECTION
- WORDS OF COMFORT..... Reverend Kenneth James Flowers, Pastor
Greater New Mt. Moriah Missionary Baptist Church
(Spiritual Son)
- RECESSIONAL "When We all Get to Heaven"
- ORGAN POSTLUDE.....

"I am the resurrection and the life; he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live. And whosoever liveth and believeth in me, shall never die" St. John 11:25-26

