



First Lady Rosa L. West

December 16, 1944 - February 6, 2021

First Lady Rosa L. West, age 76, departed this life on Saturday, February 6, 2021 at St. Joseph Mercy Oakland. Home Going Service is Friday, February 12, 2021 at 2:00 pm at the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 268 North Perry St., Pastor Al James Terrell, Officiating. First Lady Rosa West will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home and may be viewed from Noon – 6:00pm on Thursday, February 11, 2021.

Daughter of the late Marie and Jimmie Lee Hampton; mother of Betty Buckner, Pontiac, MI, James Buckner II (Maricel), Waterford, MI, Daphne Ross (Ronald), Troy, MI; 'adopted' daughter, Zandra Earl, Accokeek, Maryland; 8 grandchildren, Cherease Waddy, Jonas McDougal, Jasmine Ross, Chantelle Buckner, Ronald Ross II, Chalyn Buckner, Jada Ross, James Buckner III; 3 great grandchildren, Mekhi Waddy, Juwan Bradford, Madisen Waddy; four brothers, Jimmie Hampton (Melody), Nashville, TN, Anthony Wayne Hampton, Bowling Green, KY, Chris Hampton, Russellville, KY, Charles Hampton (Lisa), Bowling Green, KY; five sister-in-laws, Annie Taylor, Pontiac, MI, Mary Ann West, Franklin, KY, Ora Lee Offutt (Charles), Auburn, KY, Orean Ray (Willie), Franklin, KY, Bessie West, Franklin, KY; goddaughters, Pam Turner and Pam Jackson-Hodges; many nieces and nephews; special friends, Pauline Edwards, Charlene Foster, Mae Frances Payton and Rose Brinker; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 11. 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of First Lady Rosa L. West*



Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home - February 12, 2021 at 01:33 PM

GL

*Betty, James, and Dapne, we are praying for God to give you the strength to endure. Love you all.
Your Franklin KY Family*

Gloria - February 12, 2021 at 02:19 PM

PM

I will always love and miss you Godma! I'm so grateful for you and all the love you shared with me ! Praying and sending love to my god sisters and god brother Betty Daphne and James

Pamela Mitchell - February 12, 2021 at 02:48 PM

DM

Betty James dapnie your mom was a very special lady Godfearing woman of God I pray that God give you guys strength everyday of your lives and keep reflecting on how wonderful she was and what she meant to not only her family to the Friends of the family I love her and I'm going to miss herand so grateful that I had an opportunity to meet her some people just flowers and she's a beautiful flower love you guys and be praying your strength in the Lord

Donna Martin - February 17, 2021 at 04:18 PM

TC

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with Betty, Daphne and Bubba, love you all.*

Terri Covington - February 15, 2021 at 10:19 AM



“ *Too Neicy, bubba, Daphne.. I'm so sorry for your loss Mrs Rose was a wonderful person. I'm sorry I wasn't there.. god bless Love Lisa*



Le Le Douglas - February 13, 2021 at 09:45 PM

PA

“ *Praying for the family.*

Patricia Anderson - February 12, 2021 at 05:14 PM

PA

“ *Patricia Anderson lit a candle in memory of First Lady Rosa L. West*



Patricia Anderson - February 12, 2021 at 05:12 PM

JS

“ *James & Dianne Smothers lit a candle in memory of First Lady Rosa L. West*



James & Dianne Smothers - February 12, 2021 at 11:44 AM

MS

“ Sending love, prayers, and condolences to Betty and the family.” Weeping might endure for a night, but joy comes in the morning family.
Renee & Robert Smoot



Michele R Smoot - February 12, 2021 at 08:14 AM

WG

“ William Glover lit a candle in memory of First Lady Rosa L. West



William Glover - February 12, 2021 at 01:50 AM

WG

Brother James and family, may the abundance of prayers and thoughts comfort you during this difficult time. Love, William and Alma GLOVER

William Glover - February 12, 2021 at 01:56 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of First Lady Rosa L. West.



February 11, 2021 at 05:49 PM

TH

“ *Timmy Hampton lit a candle in memory of First Lady Rosa L. West*



Timmy Hampton - February 11, 2021 at 05:27 PM

GH

“ *Gayle Hampton lit a candle in memory of First Lady Rosa L. West*



Gayle Hampton - February 11, 2021 at 05:16 PM

GH

Sending prayers to her children, grand children and brothers. Rosa and my husband Jackie were very close cousins.

Gayle Hampton - February 12, 2021 at 07:48 AM

ET

“ *Eugenia Todd lit a candle in memory of First Lady Rosa L. West*



Eugenia Todd - February 11, 2021 at 05:06 PM

ET

Rosie was always a Sweet person we always cut up because we shared the same Birthday Love Tuffy

Eugenia Todd - February 11, 2021 at 05:08 PM

SH

“ *Rosa was my first cousin. Such a beautiful lady with great spirit. Keeping our family in prayer. Steve and Evelyn (Tut) Hutchison Atlanta Ga.*



Steve and Evelyn Hutchison - February 11, 2021 at 04:57 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of First Lady Rosa L. West.*



February 11, 2021 at 03:09 PM

TC

“ *Toya Curry lit a candle in memory of First Lady Rosa L. West*



Toya Curry - February 11, 2021 at 02:36 PM

RC

“ *To Betty and family, we send our deepest condolences! Rosemary and Roy Couser*

Rosemary and Roy Couser - February 11, 2021 at 01:41 PM

RC

“ Rosemary And Roy Couser lit a candle in memory of First Lady Rosa L. West



Rosemary and Roy Couser - February 11, 2021 at 01:38 PM

BW

“ Bessie West lit a candle in memory of First Lady Rosa L. West



Bessie West - February 11, 2021 at 12:18 PM

EA

“ Daphne, Betty, Betty and family of SisterRose; My thoughts are with you as you walk throughout the shadows of death. I have only fond memories of your Mom. Elizabeth Anderson



Elizabeth Anderson - February 11, 2021 at 11:47 AM

OO

“ Ora Lee Offutt lit a candle in memory of First Lady Rosa L. West



Ora Lee Offutt - February 10, 2021 at 11:26 PM

OR

“ *Orean Ray lit a candle in memory of First Lady Rosa L. West*



Orean Ray - February 10, 2021 at 11:04 PM

KT

“ *Sending our condolences, prayers and deepest sympathy to the family of First Lady Rosa L. West.
Sincerely,
Walter and Karen Terry*



Karen Terry - February 10, 2021 at 09:46 PM

OO

To the family of rosa west we love y'all, praying GOD will give you peace thru your grief, Offutt family

Ora Lee Offutt - February 11, 2021 at 09:45 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of First Lady Rosa L. West.*



February 10, 2021 at 06:51 PM

MW

“ *Marlo S Warren lit a candle in memory of First Lady Rosa L. West*



Marlo S Warren - February 10, 2021 at 05:04 PM

MW

Sending Heartfelt Condolences to the immediate & extended family of 1st Lady Rosa West. Friend of Gloria Edmonds.

Marlo S Warren - February 10, 2021 at 05:03 PM

MB

“ *To Daphne, Betty and James; No words can express how sorry I was to hear about the passing of Aunt Rosie. My prayers are with you and the rest of the family.*



Love u all

Michelle Offutt Blakey

Michelle Blakey - February 10, 2021 at 05:03 PM



“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of First Lady Rosa L. West.*



February 10, 2021 at 04:25 PM

GE

“ We will miss you Auntie. ❤️
Betty, James, and Daphne, we love you and are praying for you all.
🙏❤️

Gloria Edmonds - February 10, 2021 at 04:13 PM

RN

“ We will remember First Lady Rosa as being
so kind and always with a beautiful smile.
Rest in Peace. Chuck and Regina Nelson



Regina Nelson - February 10, 2021 at 01:21 PM

TR

“ My prayers and condolences go out to the
family of First Lady West. I've always admired
and loved her. She was my mom's best
friend. RIHP Mrs. West.



TERESA RUSH - February 10, 2021 at 11:57 AM



“ Large Basket Garden was purchased for the
family of First Lady Rosa L. West.



February 10, 2021 at 11:40 AM

RS

“ *Rev. Tony & Sylvia Simpson lit a candle in memory of First Lady Rosa L. West*



Rev. Tony & Sylvia Simpson - February 09, 2021 at 08:16 PM

PJ

“ *Pam Jackson-Hodges sent a virtual gift in memory of First Lady Rosa L. West*



Pam Jackson-Hodges - February 09, 2021 at 07:38 PM

PJ

*A ROSE for ROSE... I'm so sad to hear that my God-Mother Rose passed away. She was one of the sweetest people I've ever known. 🙏
May she Rest In Peace 🌹*

Pam Jackson-Hodges - February 09, 2021 at 07:45 PM



“ *Pandoretta Jackson sent a virtual gift in memory of First Lady Rosa L. West*



Pandoretta Jackson - February 09, 2021 at 09:10 AM

RJ

“ Rosie Jordan lit a candle in memory of First Lady Rosa L. West



Rosie Jordan - February 08, 2021 at 07:07 PM

OE

“ I am so sorry to hear about the death of Rose. We have known each other for a long time. My condolences to the family. Praying for God's intervention and comfort during this time of loss. Rose may be gone by she will never be forgotten. She will live on in us. 🙏🙏
🙏

Otis B Ewing - February 08, 2021 at 05:14 PM

DT

“ Dollie And Rick Taylor lit a candle in memory of First Lady Rosa L. West



Dollie and Rick Taylor - February 08, 2021 at 04:54 PM

CO

“ ConnieJoyner lit a candle in memory of First Lady Rosa L. West



ConnieJoyner - February 08, 2021 at 04:50 PM

RF

“ *RODGER ALEXANDER SR. & FAMILY lit a candle in memory of First Lady Rosa L. West*



RODGER ALEXANDER SR. & FAMILY - February 08, 2021 at 01:17 PM

KW

“ *Katrina Wilson lit a candle in memory of First Lady Rosa L. West*



Katrina Wilson - February 08, 2021 at 11:04 AM