



## Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland

January 23, 1956 - December 5, 2024

BLAND, Ms. Rutha Mae "Tiny" - age 68, passed away Thursday, December 5, 2024 in Pontiac, Michigan. Family hour 10:30AM Saturday December 21, 2024 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 268 North Perry Street, with funeral commencing immediately at 11:00AM. Bishop Antonio Gibson, officiating. Friends and family will assemble 10:30AM at the funeral home Saturday. Ms. Bland will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home and may be viewed between the hours of 12:00PM - 6:00PM Friday.

Ms. Bland leaves to cherish her memory: her children, Kara (Sidney) Carter, Soyinka Boykin, Quami (Angela) Bland and Shariff Bland; a host of grandchildren; a host of great-grandchildren; siblings, Debra O'Neal, Edward Williams and June Miller; and a host of other relatives.

Ms. Bland was preceded in death by her parents, Burnis and Bertha Lee Boykin; and siblings, Rebecca Norman and Mark Miller, Sr.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **20**. 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home Pontiac  
268 North Perry Street  
Pontiac, MI 48342  
(248) 758-1913

## Family Hour

DEC **21**. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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## Funeral Service

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

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland*



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**Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home** - December 21, 2024 at 10:03 AM

DS

“ *Rest easy Ms Ruth. I'll always remember you. Your kind words of wisdom. And your cunning attitude. And you always had me laughing*



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**Darcy Smith** - March 09, 2025 at 07:02 PM

TS

“ *Tonya Seay lit a candle in memory of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland*



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**Tonya Seay** - January 24, 2025 at 08:22 PM

K(

“ *Kim Vaughn (Hurner) lit a candle in memory of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland*



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**Kim Vaughn (Hurner)** - January 03, 2025 at 03:01 AM

MW

“ *Mariah Wiley lit a candle in memory of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland*



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**mariah wiley** - December 21, 2024 at 08:31 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland.*



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December 20, 2024 at 02:36 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland.*

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December 20, 2024 at 02:36 PM

ER

“ Eric Reed lit a candle in memory of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland



Eric Reed - December 20, 2024 at 01:59 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland.



December 20, 2024 at 11:15 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland.

December 20, 2024 at 11:15 AM

SF

“ Sherlandra Mccray & Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland.



Sherlandra Mccray & Family - December 19, 2024 at 07:44 PM

DC

“ *Dianne Chatman lit a candle in memory of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland*



Dianne Chatman - December 19, 2024 at 05:56 PM

BL

“ *Bryan & Audrey Lance purchased the Large Basket Garden for the family of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland.*



Bryan & Audrey Lance - December 19, 2024 at 02:10 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland.*



December 19, 2024 at 11:35 AM

BW

“ *Brenda White sent a virtual gift in memory of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland*



Brenda White - December 18, 2024 at 10:23 PM

LW

“ Laurita Washington lit a candle in memory of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland



Laurita Washington - December 18, 2024 at 04:28 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland.

December 18, 2024 at 12:17 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland.



December 18, 2024 at 12:17 PM

MM

“ Marsha McConner lit a candle in memory of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland



Marsha McConner - December 17, 2024 at 04:43 PM

MM

You will truly be missed

Marsha McConner - December 17, 2024 at 04:47 PM

KF

“ Keonta Barton & Family purchased the Beautiful i  
n Blue for the family of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland.



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**Keonta Barton & Family** - December 17, 2024 at 12:50 PM

KF

“ Keonta Barton & Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland.

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**Keonta Barton & Family** - December 17, 2024 at 12:50 PM

AW

“ Alvina Williams sent a virtual gift in memory of  
Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland



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**Alvina Williams** - December 17, 2024 at 05:22 AM



“ Your Light Shines was purchased for the family of  
Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland.



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December 16, 2024 at 04:38 PM

SM

“ Sabrina Muscovalley-Roberts lit a candle in memory of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland



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**Sabrina Muscovalley-Roberts** - December 16, 2024 at 01:59 PM

AH

“ Quami, I'm so sorry to hear of the passing of your mom. I know she was the life of the party and fun to be around. May she rest peacefully in the arms of the Lord. Praying for the entire family. Love

*Andria Hodges and family.*

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**Andria Hodges** - December 16, 2024 at 12:45 PM

KD

“ My condolences to the family 🙏 The Dean family



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**Kim Dean** - December 15, 2024 at 02:36 PM

KW

“ Praying for the family. Love Kim Walker

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**Kimberly Walker** - December 15, 2024 at 01:08 AM

MD

“ *Monique Daniel lit a candle in memory of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland*



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**Monique Daniel** - December 14, 2024 at 09:26 PM

AE

“ *Alicia Emery lit a candle in memory of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland*



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**Alicia Emery** - December 14, 2024 at 05:53 PM

YF

“ *Yolanda Carr-Johnson and Family purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland.*



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**Yolanda Carr-Johnson and Family** - December 14, 2024 at 04:52 PM

QB

“ *Girl there will never be a day that I don't think about you and I'll never forget you. My Rudy Mae as I would call you and I miss you so much mamma 💔💔💔 Quami*

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**Quami Bland** - December 14, 2024 at 12:05 AM

MD

*I am praying for us all, especially you, your siblings, her grandchildren and your Dad. We lost a great woman ☐ This hurts my heart💔*

Monique Daniel - December 14, 2024 at 09:25 PM

JB

“ JB lit a candle in memory of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland



jB - December 12, 2024 at 03:11 PM

MH

“ Rest peaceful auntie Tiny gonna be truly miss  
💔🙏💜



Mel Hurner Hall - December 11, 2024 at 08:17 PM

BR

“ Beverly Rollins lit a candle in memory of  
Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland



Beverly Rollins - December 10, 2024 at 04:15 PM

JL

“ *Janice Long lit a candle in memory of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland*



Janice long - December 10, 2024 at 03:39 PM

VS

“ *Vicki Sasnett-Cowart lit a candle in memory of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland*



Vicki Sasnett-Cowart - December 10, 2024 at 04:42 AM

RK

“ *Rosalyn Kincade lit a candle in memory of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland*



Rosalyn Kincade - December 10, 2024 at 03:39 AM

C(

“ *Cynthia Johnson (Shake) lit a candle in memory of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland*



Cynthia Johnson (Shake) - December 10, 2024 at 03:21 AM

C(

*You will Truly be Missed R.I.P*

**Cynthia Johnson (Shake)** - December 10, 2024 at 03:22 AM

RK

*My sister my sister gone to soon I'm going to truly miss you you may be gone in sight but not in my heart you are my friend my sister I love you rest now*

**Rosalyn Kincade** - December 10, 2024 at 03:37 AM

ID

“ *IRESHIA DANIEL sent a virtual gift in memory of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland*



**IRESHIA DANIEL** - December 09, 2024 at 05:02 PM

MI

“ *Michael lit a candle in memory of Rutha Mae "Tiny" Bland*



**Michael** - December 09, 2024 at 02:08 PM

VB

“ *Rutha Bland was such a kind individual, filled with unconditional love. I will certainly miss her more than words could say.*

*Victor Andre' Bonds*

**Victor Bonds** - December 09, 2024 at 12:48 PM