



Mrs. Rosa Watson Lewis

September 2, 1926 - May 24, 2018

Rosa was born on September 2, 1926 in Natchez, the daughter of Ike Watson and Josephine Pope Watson. She graduated from Brumfield High School and received her Masters from Alcorn A&M College. Rosa was a retired educator at Gloster Elementary School in Amite County. She was a member of Jerusalem Baptist Church where she served as a Deaconess, member of the Program Committee and Missionary Society. Mrs. Lewis also held memberships with the NAACP and Retired Teachers Association. She loved gardening, sewing and most of all her family and church.

She is preceded in death by her parents; husband: Herbert Lewis, Sr.; two daughters: Hattie B. Ellis and Darleen Lewis Johnson; grandson: Renard Ellis; fifteen brothers and sisters.

Survivors include: her sons: Herbert Lewis, Jr. and wife Marzettia, Robert Lewis, Sr. and wife Dinah, and Paul Lewis, Sr. and wife Bernice; daughter: Joyce Marie Lewis; sister: Mable King; grandchildren: Tremaine, Darrick, Sr., Robert, Jr., Herbert III, Brian, Henson, Bruce, Paula, Jeremy, Paul II, Collier, Ryan; and sixteen great-grandchildren and other relatives and friends.

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Online condolences may be made at www.westgatefh.com

Cemetery Details

Natchez National Cemetery

41 Cemetery Rd
Natchez, MS

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 31. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

West Gate Funeral Home (Natchez)
409 N Martin Luther King Jr Street
Natchez, MS 39120
(601) 445-2008
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Celebration of Life Wake Service

MAY 31. 6:00 PM (CT)

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Funeral Service

JUN 1. 11:00 AM (CT)

Jerusalem Baptist Church
1333 Dr. M. L. King, Jr. Road
Natchez, MS 39120

Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Rosa Watson Lewis*

September 17, 2022 at 03:10 AM



“ *To the Lewis Family - I am sending my Deepest and Sincerest heartfelt condolences to the Family. I've just learned that your Beautiful Mom has gone home to be with our Lord. I have such fond memories of your Mom and Dad and the Easter Egg Hunts that they hosted when we were just kids. She was Beautiful inside and out and had such a calming demeanor. We held such admiration for both your Mom and Dad.*

Praying for your family's healing and comfort during this very difficult time.

Linda "Robinson" Cave

Linda Cave - June 05, 2018 at 11:52 AM



“ *Dina Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rosa Watson Lewis*



Dina Johnson - June 01, 2018 at 06:15 PM



“ Jennifer Minor-Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rosa Watson Lewis



Jennifer Minor-Johnson - June 01, 2018 at 10:33 AM



“ Freddie And Bettie Ward lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rosa Watson Lewis



Freddie and Bettie Ward - June 01, 2018 at 01:48 AM



Freddie and Bettie are praying for your strength in the Lord.

Freddie and Bettie Ward - June 01, 2018 at 01:51 AM



“ Luther and I are praying for comfort for the family. Being a lifetime member of Jerusalem I have known Mrs. Rosie for as long as I can remember. She was always dressed beautifully and attended all of the services until her health started to fail her. Mrs Rosie had a nice way of making her feelings known. Alfredia Knight



Alfredia Knight - May 31, 2018 at 09:00 PM

AI

“ So sorry! Praying for you all.



Allison Isaac - May 31, 2018 at 05:12 PM



“ Gloria Snyder-Patton lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rosa Watson Lewis



Gloria Snyder-Patton - May 31, 2018 at 04:46 PM

JT

“ So sorry for your loss. May God's peace with my extended Lewis family.



Joyce Earnest Trask - May 31, 2018 at 01:39 PM



“ Maxine Railey lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rosa Watson Lewis



Maxine Railey - May 31, 2018 at 10:30 AM

JL

“ *Joyce Lewis lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Rosa Watson Lewis*



Joyce Lewis - May 31, 2018 at 09:07 AM

LW

“ *Lance and Tenia White purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Mrs. Rosa Watson Lewis.*



Lance and Tenia White - May 30, 2018 at 06:24 PM

PR

“ *Prayers for your family during this time of great loss.*

Patricia Robinson Royal

Patricia Royal - May 30, 2018 at 06:04 PM

WH

“ *West Gate Funeral Home and staff extends our deepest sympathy to your family. Mrs. Lewis lived a long life. That's a blessing. May the many memories that you've shared with her bring you comfort and joy during this difficult time.*

West Gate Funeral Home - May 27, 2018 at 06:02 PM

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“ *West Gate Funeral Home lit a candle in
memory of Mrs. Rosa Watson Lewis*



West Gate Funeral Home - May 27, 2018 at 05:59 PM