#### PALL BEARERS

Robert Thornton Delando Thornton O'Shea Moore Darius Thornton Terrance Johns Arvel Allen

### HONORARY PALL BEARERS

Ernest Hardiman Jhett Michael Thornton Christian Smith Obdue Hardiman Khalid Brandon Dmarea Rankin

Gary Britter

## Acknowledgement

The family of the late Mrs. Emma Mae Wright acknowledges with sincere appreciation, your understanding, your prayers, and all acts of kindness shown during their time of bereavement.

A special thank you to the nursing staff at St. Vincent Hospital and Heartland at ProMedica.

#### Interment

Historic Woodlawn Cemetery Toledo, Ohio

#### Repast

Believe Center

#1 Aurora Gonzalez Dr. Off South St. near Anthony Wayne Trail

#### ~Final Arrangements Entrusted To~

House of Day Funeral Home 2550 Nebraska Ave. Toledo, OH 43607 419-534-2550

Programs by: Leslye Calbert - Janes "Bunny"



Celebration
Of
Life

Emma Mae Wright

"Foxx"

Sunrise
August 16, 1950



*Sunset* May 1, 2019

10:00am Family Hour 11:00 Funeral Saturday, May 11, 2019

House of Day Funeral Chapel

2550 Nebraska Ave Toledo, OH 43607 Rev. Thomas Bell - Eulogist

# Order of Service

Officiant - Rev. Thomas Hutchen

SelectionChayla Brown
Scripture Reading
Prayer
SelectionPat Lewis
Acknowledgements/ObituaryMissie Britter
A Tribute to GrannyNation Rankins, Tahjina King, Tiffany Johns
SelectionMatt Brown
RemarksTwo Minutes, Please
A Tribute To "Mom"Emma's Daughters
Eulogy
Recessional



God saw you were getting weary So he did what He thought best, He came and stood beside you And whispered, "come and rest"

You bid no one a last farewell,
Not even a good bye,
You were gone before we knew it
And only God knows why.



Mom,
Your life was a blessing,
Your memory a treasure...
You are loved beyond words
And missed beyond measure.

Renee Wood

Love always, Your children

## Obituary

Emma Mae Wright passed away May 1, 2019 in Toledo, OH. She was born in Grenada, MS on August 16, 1950 to the union of Ernest Hardiman Sr. and Betty (Perkins) Hardiman. Emma Mae was affectionately known as "Foxx". She was educated in Grenada, MS public schools and moved to Toledo in the early 1970's.

Emma loved God and attending worship service. She loved to sing and enjoyed Quartet singing. Emma worked as a waitress in several Toledo area restaurants and was a Crossing Guard for Toledo Public Schools. Her favorite holiday was Christmas when she especially went all out cooking and baking for her family. Her children loved her dressing and they all agreed that hers was the best they'd ever eaten. She enjoyed every minute she shared with her family and when they departed from her she always reminded them to "Go with God" a few other sayings she often used were: "You can bank on it", "Keep it on the down low", "I'm cool" and "I'm just chillin".

Emma was preceded in death by: her parents; husband, Eddie Wright; father of her children and love of her life, Willie Lee Rankin; sisters, Alice Johnson and Lula Weathers; brothers, Jimmy Horns and Ernest Hardiman, Jr.; nephews, Percy Hardiman, Jr. and Willie Rankins, Jr.

She is lovingly survived by her sons, Ernest (Kaccye) Hardiman and Obdue Hardiman; daughters, Melvina Johns, Daneticha Rankin (Gary Britter), Marquita Rankin, Cicelia Rankin and Tiffany Rankin; siblings, Lois Rankins and Percy Hardiman of Grenada, MS; 19 grandchildren, 18 great-grandchildren and host of other loving relatives and friends.







