



Gloria Bugg

September 18, 1935 - March 31, 2024

Gloria (Constance) Callaway Bugg

September 18, 1935 – March 31, 2024 (88 years old)

Loving mother to 7 children: Thomas Jr. (Joan), Victoria (Bill) Johnson, Philip (Lisa), Martha (Bob)

Johnson, Laura (Doug) McComb, Beverly (Richard) Dadoush, Sandra (Keith) Taylor. She leaves

behind a legacy, including 24 grandchildren, 12 great grandchildren, soon to be 13. Gloria is

preceded by her loving husband Thomas Sr. (2014).

Born in Dearborn, Michigan to William & Victoria (Goodpastor) Callaway.

Gloria spent most of

her life in Michigan. A good part of her childhood was spent in Allen Park, where she recalled

many fond memories and her introduction to the gospel. As a child, she attended church

because an elder at the Church of Christ would pick her and her siblings up for weekly Sunday

school and Wednesday night Bible study. It was during this time that she developed a strong

love for God's Word and Jesus. This love would stay with her for her whole life.

When she was young, Gloria's mother became very ill and needed to be hospitalized for iron lung treatments. This was way before any health care coverage and would cost her father \$500 for this life-saving treatment. In today's market, this would be about \$10,000. At this time her dad was not a believer in Jesus, and he tried to get loans from everybody he knew but no one would loan him the money. However, the elder at the church offered to take out a loan on his farm to get the money for the treatment. Her dad was so very impressed by this compassion, he began attending church and was baptized shortly afterward. This truly affected Gloria's life, and she often would tell this story to her children and friends.

She met her husband Tom who was a shoe salesman in Detroit. She ended up buying 7 pairs of shoes from him (ironic since they had 7 children!). She later invited him to church. Their first few dates were attending each other's church services. Tom would soon be baptized at the Church of Christ, and about 7 months later they were married on June 27, 1959.

Gloria had her 7 children in the span of 10 years. She realized the importance of getting scripture into the hearts of her children so would encourage bible reading with them while dad was at work and made them memorize key passages such as various Psalms and Proverbs.

She was married to one man for over 50 years with no other in her life. Gloria loved reading and memorizing Scripture, as well as singing hymns. When the kids were growing up the television was nearly always on TBN or other religious programming. She supported Christian Radio and TV with her husband. They were on the same page as far as the bible and faith in Christ was concerned. Her home was always full of children, pets (can't forget the many dogs: Sparky, Fluffy and later sweet Dixie!) Later full with many grandchildren, who she loved to cook and bake for. We never went hungry at the Bugg house! On the evening before she had passed, she sweetly sang 'O, how I love Jesus'. What a precious memory we'll treasure!

Two of her favorite scriptures: Joshua 24:15 Choose this day whom ye will serve...but as for me and my house, we will serve the LORD. John 3:16 For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life

Gloria's family and friends will be gathering to celebrate her life on Saturday, April 6, 2024, at the Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Home 8459 Hall Road (3 Blks E. Van Dyke) Utica. Visitation will be held from 11 am until 2 pm when family and friends will share memories then followed by a funeral service at 3 pm.

The interment will take place with the immediate family at Christian Memorial Cemetery in Rochester Hills, Michigan on Monday, April 8, at 11:00am. Enter West entrance with eagle statue.

Cemetery Details

Christian Memorial Gardens West

521 E. Hamlin Road
Rochester Hills, MI 48307

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 6. 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Wm Sullivan and Son Funeral Home
8459 Hall Road
Utica, MI 48317
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Sharing of Memories

APR 6. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

APR 6. 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Directors created a Gloria "Constance" Bugg's Service Livestream in memory of Gloria Bugg*



Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Directors - April 03, 2024 at 10:53 AM

DB

“ *Darlene B. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gloria Bugg.*

Darlene B. - April 08, 2024 at 12:58 PM

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“ *Bishop and Pastor Robin Oosterveen planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Gloria Bugg.*

Bishop and Pastor Robin Oosterveen - April 06, 2024 at 01:21 PM

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“ *Bishop and Pastor Robin Oosterveen purchased the Ghirardelli Galore Gift Tin for the family of Gloria Bugg.*



Bishop and Pastor Robin Oosterveen - April 06, 2024 at 01:21 PM

MJ

“ 2 files added to the album Mom Bugg Memories



Martha L Johnson - April 05, 2024 at 09:36 PM

RO

Gloria was a blessing to know. She always had a smile on her face and made others smile just by knowing her. Gloria loved Jesus and it showed. She is rejoicing in heaven!! Love and prayers, Pastor Robin Oosterveen.

Robin Oosterveen - April 06, 2024 at 01:53 PM

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“ *I had the honor of knowing this wonderful person, "Mama Bugg" for the past couple years. She ways always full of spunk, life and love. I am really going to miss our conversations we use to have but most of all, her glorious smile, her entire face would light up when she smiled. A very strong woman from the inside out. I am so glad God placed her on my life, she was such a blessing to be around. I look forward to seeing you again Mama Bugg. Heaven gained a perfect Angel 🙏
Love you, Lorre Dewitt*

Lorre - April 04, 2024 at 10:50 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Gloria Bugg.*



April 02, 2024 at 02:36 PM

CJ

“Gloria was always so sweet to us, we had many a chat regarding family, health, and most importantly Jesus. Her passing does make me sad, but also makes heaven that much sweeter. God Bless each of her children and grandchildren today and always.

Cheri Johnson - April 02, 2024 at 02:22 PM