



Ms. Brenda A. Stubbs

November 24, 1956 - March 17, 2022

*****ATTN: CORRECTION: VISITATION & FUNERAL SERVICE TIMES

*****NOTE: CORRECTION*****A SERVICE IN LOVING MEMORY FOR MRS. BRENDA A. STUBBS WILL BE HELD ON SATURDAY, APRIL 2, 2022 AT OUR FUNERAL HOME,

****NOTE: PLEASE SEE VISITATION & TIMES LISTED BELOW****

****PLEASE NOTE THE FAMILY IS REQUESTING THAT MASKS ARE WORN AND WE WILL PROVIDE HAND SANITIZER WHEN ENTERING OUR BUILDING.

If you have any questions, please contact us at: (269) 342-1000

THE OBITUARY

Ms. Brenda Ann Stubbs went home to be with the Lord, March 17, 2022 in Kalamazoo, Michigan. She was born in Atlanta, GA the daughter of Charles "Charles Joe" Bloodworth Sr. and Ollie L. (Samuel) Bloodworth. She relocated to Kalamazoo in the 1980's.

In 1985, she met and united in marriage to Ervin Sylvester Stubbs, Sr..

Brenda was employed as a Certified Nurse's Assistant for many years. In the mid 1990's, she became a member of Galilee Baptist Church under the leadership of Pastor Dr. J. Louis Felton and remained a faithful member under the leadership of Pastor Dr. Michael T. Scott, Sr.

Brenda cared about people and was active in the community with ISAAC (Interfaith Strategy for Advocacy & Action in the Community) for many years. She loved her children and grandchildren and once said she would have only sons, and she did. Later when she was blessed with grandchildren and they also were all boys! Brenda enjoyed music and loved to watch country western and action movies. She was someone who once you met her, you wouldn't forget her. Brenda was a loving, caring, kind-hearted person, but you knew not to take her kindness for weakness because she was a very strong black woman. She was someone who had an opinion but she had a forgiving nature. She wouldn't hold grudges if you disagreed with her because she would always get over any disagreement quickly. She will be missed by all who knew her.

She is preceded in death by her husband Ervin Sylvester Stubbs, Sr.; her parents Charlie Joe and Ollie L. Bloodworth; her brothers, Charlie Joe Bloodworth Jr., Lonnie Bloodworth and Vincent; sister, Barbara Harris; grandfather, Arch Samuel and grandmother, Essie Mae Samuel; nephew, Gary Bloodworth; nieces, Sallie Mae Bloodworth, Jasmine, Tonetta and Paulette.

She is survived by her sons, Jeffery, Timothy, Ervin Jr. and Quincy; her siblings, Robert, Delphine, William, Carla, Terry and Annie; grandchildren: twins, Jeff and Steven; Quincy Jr. and Keiyyin Allen Bloodworth. Also, a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Previous Events

Walk Through Visitation For Family & Friends

APR 2. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Harper Funeral Home - Chapel
521 Douglas Avenue
Kalamazoo, MI

A Service in Loving Memory

APR 2. 2:00 PM (ET)

Harper Funeral Home - Chapel
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Tribute Wall



“ Harper Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ms. Brenda A. Stubbs



Harper Funeral Home - March 27, 2022 at 05:55 PM



“ Ms. Brenda A. Stubbs

October 23, 2023 at 06:06 AM



“ Ms. Brenda A. Stubbs

October 06, 2023 at 10:42 AM



“ My condolences to the family 🙏



Crystal B - January 28, 2023 at 05:06 AM

JL

“ *Jessie Lipsey lit a candle in memory of Ms. Brenda A. Stubbs*



Jessie Lipsey - May 20, 2022 at 08:19 PM

DS

“ *DaNikka Snell lit a candle in memory of Ms. Brenda A. Stubbs*



DaNikka Snell - May 09, 2022 at 04:07 PM

LW

“ *Laverne Walker lit a candle in memory of Ms. Brenda A. Stubbs*



Laverne Walker - April 18, 2022 at 08:33 PM

PF

“ *PATTERSON FAMILY lit a candle in memory of Ms. Brenda A. Stubbs*



PATTERSON FAMILY - April 13, 2022 at 06:54 AM

PG

“ *Pauline (Mills) Gardner lit a candle in memory of Ms. Brenda A. Stubbs*



Pauline (Mills) Gardner - April 07, 2022 at 09:25 AM



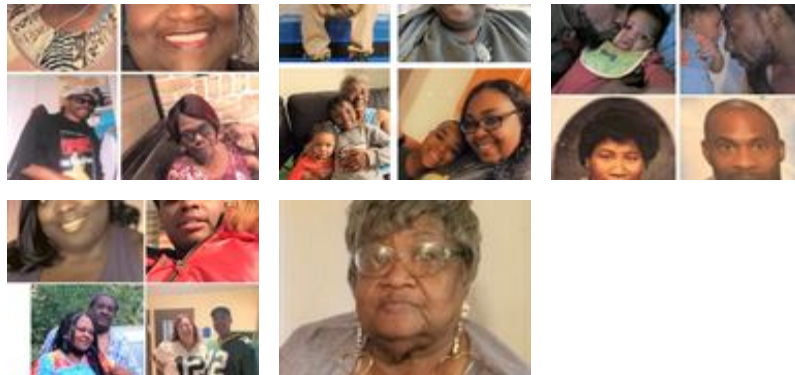
“ *2 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Harper Funeral Home - April 03, 2022 at 05:21 PM



“ *7 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Harper Funeral Home - April 01, 2022 at 06:26 PM

AN

“ *Ms Brenda, our earthly loss is Heavenly gain. Thank you for for being such a social justice trailblazer. The cause continues and you being gone means we now have heavenly inspiration to continue this work. Till we meet again RIP.*



Andrew - April 01, 2022 at 01:19 PM

JU

“ *Kalamazoo County Advocates for Senior Issues remembers Brenda as a fierce advocate for older adults and people with disabilities. She served on the board for several years and was a steadfast member of the legislative committee; we could always count on her! We send our sincere condolences to Brenda's family and friends.*

JudySivak - April 01, 2022 at 12:36 PM

MP

“ *Condolences and prayers to the family.*



Mollie Peterson - March 31, 2022 at 05:12 PM

SA

“ 4 files added to the album Life Tributes



Savanna - March 30, 2022 at 11:35 AM

LF

“ Love, The ISAAC Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Ms. Brenda A. Stubbs.



Love, The ISAAC Family - March 30, 2022 at 06:27 AM



“ Brenda and I shared some good conversations and a warm friendship. She loved her children and grandchildren and loved to talk about them. You could the love in her eyes when speaking. She was a good source of information about social justice in Kalamazoo. Public transportation improvement and aid for the disabilities were her passion. She was a devoted child of God and outspoken for her religious beliefs. Anyone who had her as a friend on facebook saw her devotion to her God and family. I will miss the talks we had as she played my dog Jack and I will miss her friendship deply

Albert Dixon - March 29, 2022 at 12:13 PM

RH

“ It was an honor to go with Ms. Brenda on advocacy trips to Lansing to support families and young children in getting an equitable start in life. She led the way with faithful courage and determination and loved her family fiercely. May she rest in peace. Rochelle Habeck



Rochelle Habeck - March 29, 2022 at 11:17 AM

TF

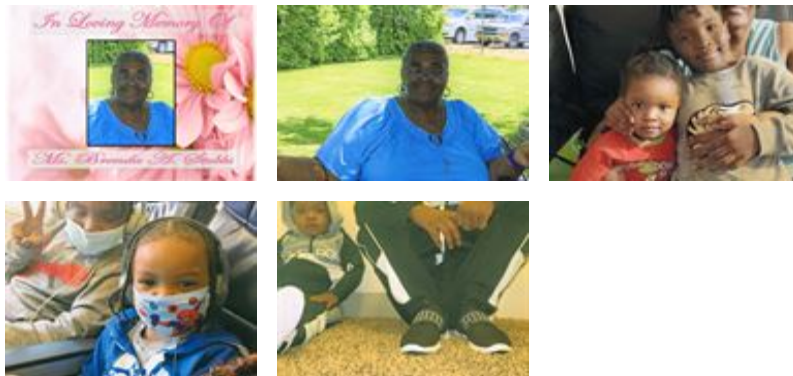
“ The Habeck/Hunt Family purchased the Classic Charcuterie Snacks Gift Set for the family of Ms. Brenda A. Stubbs.



The Habeck/Hunt Family - March 29, 2022 at 11:10 AM



“ 86 files added to the album LifeTributes



Harper Funeral Home - March 27, 2022 at 05:48 PM

LW

The Samuel Cousin's Family Reunion 2022 would like to extend our sincerest condolences for our family member, Ms. Brenda Stubbs. "I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me, though he die, yet shall he live, and everyone who lives and believes in me shall never die. Do you believe this?" – Jesus, in John 11:25-26.

L.C. WASHINGTON - March 30, 2022 at 02:32 PM

PF

“ *Patterson Family lit a candle in memory of Ms. Brenda A. Stubbs*



Patterson Family - March 25, 2022 at 05:30 PM

DG

“ *Doreen Gardner lit a candle in memory of Ms. Brenda A. Stubbs*



Doreen Gardner - March 25, 2022 at 10:20 AM

KC

“ *Brenda will be fondly remembered not only for her work with ISAAC but also with Disability Resource Center as a dedicated advocate! I am proud to have known her as she worked to improve her circumstances while raising up her two sons. She was a strong advocate for herself and her family then too. God bless her two boys. May God be with you during this time. And may your mother Rest in Peace with her Father in Heaven.*

Kathy Cooney - March 24, 2022 at 11:19 PM

WS

“ *Wendy Stubbs lit a candle in memory of Ms. Brenda A. Stubbs*



Wendy Stubbs - March 24, 2022 at 11:05 PM

AR

“ *My Condolences to this family, so sorry for your loss.*



Auddrey Rancifer-McGrew - March 24, 2022 at 05:08 PM

TR

“ *Sending love and light to the family of Ms. Brenda Strubbs, she was an amazing person!*



Tami Rey - March 24, 2022 at 02:57 PM

GS

“ *I really enjoyed watching you grow in the body of Christ seen you in Sunday school and worship service and just being part of you family. You will be missed but never forgotten. Our prayers are with your family 🙏*

Gwendolyn Smith - March 23, 2022 at 02:28 PM

GS

“ *Gwendolyn Smith lit a candle in memory of Ms. Brenda A. Stubbs*



Gwendolyn Smith - March 23, 2022 at 02:21 PM

DJ

“ *My sincere condolences goes out to the family of sister Brenda Stubb's may God bless your soul and keep your family in perfect peace. I will miss you with your loving way you accept and treat ppl in such a loving way.you will be missed by so many people who loved and cared about you.....r.i.p. my dear friend*

Dianna Jackson - March 23, 2022 at 02:18 PM

GG

“ *Guenetta Gordon lit a candle in memory of Ms. Brenda A. Stubbs*



Guenetta Gordon - March 22, 2022 at 10:50 PM

TH

“ *Tobi Hanna-Davies purchased the Mrs. Fields With Sympathy Combo Tin for the family of Ms. Brenda A. Stubbs.*



Tobi Hanna-Davies - March 22, 2022 at 09:59 PM

TH

“ *Brenda Stubbs was a friend and a teacher to me ever since June 2003 when we both joined the ISAAC Housing Task Force created at the very first ISAAC Issues Convention. She "made it real" for those of us who lived in the same nice houses the whole time she had to deal with multiple moves from one apartment to another, with her young son, sometimes even losing all her stuff. But she always showed up at ISAAC Housing Task Force meetings year after year, went to every kind of Leadership Training available, and volunteered to help at every ISAAC event. She was very involved as well in "Friends of Transit", the joint effort of ISAAC and The Disability Network to improve bus service. And her participation helped make very important improvements in both transit and in housing! I will really miss Brenda's determined spirit and her joy in being together to make this a better place! I'm really glad I never erased all her recent text messages to me--all full of emojis! (Smiles, hearts, flowers, praying hands, halos and more hearts!)*
- Tobi Hanna-Davies

Tobi Hanna-Davies - March 22, 2022 at 09:49 PM

RA

“ *Brenda, I will always remember your positive attitude. You really had the peace of Christ in your heart. I love you and you are missed. <3 Rachael Tanner*

Rachael - March 22, 2022 at 03:09 PM

AN



angelica - April 06, 2022 at 08:18 PM

AD

“ *Brenda and I would talk of many things especially her family. We shared food and laughter. My dog Jack loved her as we all loved her, She will be missed deeply*

Albert Dixon - March 22, 2022 at 01:02 PM

SW

“ *Selena Walker lit a candle in memory of Ms. Brenda A. Stubbs*



Selena Walker - March 22, 2022 at 08:06 AM

DJ

“ *Dianna Jackson lit a candle in memory of Ms. Brenda A. Stubbs*



Dianna Jackson - March 21, 2022 at 07:30 PM

AT

“ *Alice Taylor lit a candle in memory of Ms. Brenda A. Stubbs*



Alice Taylor - March 21, 2022 at 07:17 PM