



## Mrs. Mabel Miles Earvin

August 27, 1929 - March 11, 2016

Mabel Miles Earvin was born August 27, 1929 to Noble and Lily Miles in Mobile, Alabama. She received Jesus Christ at a young age. As Mabel matured in Christ, she became a prayer warrior and would routinely open doors and windows to kick the devil out of the house. Mabel was strong in faith and love the Lord with all her heart.

She married Johnny Lee Johnson in 1954 and from that union was born Lester, Larry, Charles, Gina, Phyllis, and Ronald. Mabel was a determined and confident woman in pursuing her GED in East Chicago Indiana then started her nursing degree at Methodist Hospital in Gary, IN.

In 1958 she married Walter Earvin and from that union came Timothy Douglas Earvin. Mabel moved to CA to continue her degree as a registered nurse. In 1969 she was employed by Kaiser Permanente Hospital in Los Angeles, CA in the ICU unit. Where she retired after 40 years of serving in the medical field as a registered nurse.

Mabel was a member at Vanguard Church in Anaheim, CA for many years. She was loved and know by many people, because of her servant heart. She moved to Kalamazoo, MI in 2013 to live with Timothy (her baby boy). She attended Stones Church while living in Kalamazoo.

Mabel departed this life peacefully on March 11, 2016, preceded in death by her parents, Noble Miles and Lily Miles; brothers, Noble Miles, Alfred Miles Leon Miles, and Donald Miles; and sister Rosie Lee Patterson; children, Lester Johnson, Charles Johnson, Ronald Johnson, and Phyllis Johnson

She leaves to cherish her memories: her children: Larry (Anita) Johnson, Regina Davis, Patricia Hill, and Timothy (Brenda) Earvin; sister, Addie Miles; brothers, Johnny Miles, David Miles and Henry Miles and a host grandchildren, great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, her special daughter, Amaya Kilgore and friends that were dear to her heart.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 21. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Harper Funeral Home - Chapel  
521 Douglas Avenue  
Kalamazoo, MI

## A Celebration of Life

MAR 21. 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Harper Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Mabel Miles Earvin



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**Harper Funeral Home** - March 19, 2016 at 06:50 PM



“ Mrs. Mabel Miles Earvin

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October 23, 2023 at 06:06 AM



“ Mrs. Mabel Miles Earvin

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October 06, 2023 at 10:42 AM



“ Carole Miller lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mabel Miles Earvin



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**Carole Miller** - March 21, 2016 at 04:33 PM

JP

“ James & Barbara Phillips lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Mabel Miles Earvin



James & Barbara Phillips - March 21, 2016 at 08:48 AM



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Harper Funeral Home - March 20, 2016 at 10:09 AM

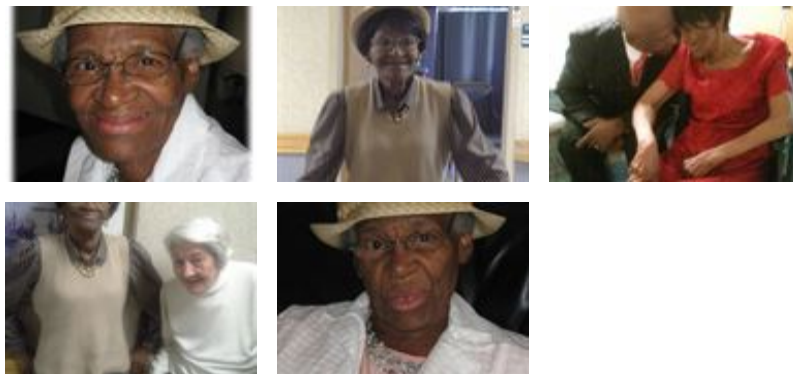


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Harper Funeral Home - March 20, 2016 at 06:26 AM



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Harper Funeral Home - March 19, 2016 at 06:30 PM

JC

“ When I First Met Mabel, Fourteen Years Ago, At A Shop, In The Santa Cruz (California) Mountains... I Knew Immediately, That I Was In The Presence Of An Angel...Her Spiritual Light...And Her Amazing Grace And Joy...Preceded Her! I Fell In Love With This Extraordinary Woman...And We Became Instantaneous Friends.....Over The Years, We Would Find Ourselves, In Lengthy Conversations On The Phone, Talking About Important Issues Of The Heart, And Especially Of The Spirit! Mabel Was Filled With The Holy Spirit, And She Was An Ambassador Of Our Lord Jesus Christ! Every Morning Of Her Blessed Life, She Would Open Her Bible, And Read Passages For The Day...And...She Walked Her Talk... Every Single Individual That Mabel Touched During Her Journey In This Lifetime...Was A Better Person, Because Of Her Loving Presence! One Of The Biggest Gifts That Mabel Brought Into This Life, Was An Unconditional Acceptance Of All People... Over The Years, That We Engaged In Joyful Conversations... I Never Once Heard Mabel Criticize Anyone....She Didn't Care About Color, Race Or Gender Of A Person... She Lived Solidly In God's Word...And Literally Followed His Commandments... Putting LOVE First...Mabel Adored All Her Children... And Grandchildren... Nieces And Nephews....Brothers And Beloved Sister... Her Family Was Paramount To Her... And...She Absolutely Loved Going To Church On Sundays! Dressing To The Nines...And Making A Cheerful Appearance... Was Something Which Gave Mabel Immense JOY! Mabel Was So Loved And Respected At Her Churches... People Would Literally Surround Her... To Be Able To Be In Such A Joyful Presence! She Was A Brilliant Light In A World So Desperate For Healing, Love And Forgiveness...Those Of Us, Who Knew And Loved Mabel...Are Forever Blessed And Better People, Because Of Her Amazing Compassion....Powerful....Life Force....And Undaunted Zeal For Truth And Justice!

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Jacqueline Clayton - March 19, 2016 at 12:16 PM

PH

“ *Mabel was a God fearing woman of God and loved the Lord. We give our condolences to the family. May God's peace and comfort saturate your soul. Trust and depend on God's love to carry you through this time of sorrow and grief. God bless you and your family.*  
*Love,*  
*Al and Paralee Harris*

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**Pastor Paralee Harris** - March 19, 2016 at 09:21 AM