



Hattie Estelle DeWeever

April 17, 1933 - January 14, 2024

Hattie Estelle DeWeever was born on April 17, 1933 in Lane Springs, Alabama to her parents, Nettie and Emmitt McKinley. In 1956 Hattie started a new life by leaving her southern roots and migrating to Detroit. It was after she moved to Detroit that she started her fulfilling career in the Food Service industry, She worked for 40 years dietary at hospitals located in the Metropolitan Detroit area.

Hattie accepted Christ at an early age when she was baptized the African Methodist Church in Alabama. She attended Cherokee High School where she was a member of the girls' basketball team. Her life in Detroit included meeting and marrying the love of her life, Arthur Robert Deweever. To that union, their daughter, Toshia was born.

In the early nineties Hattie joined New Hope Missionary Baptist Church in Southfield Michigan. She was an active member and was involved in the SCLEC Ministry helping seniors in the community. Hattie was a very outgoing person who enjoyed socializing, gatherings, and parties. In addition, Hattie enjoyed entertaining at her home and cooking many southern dishes which

she passed down to family and friends. As an avid sports fan, Hattie's television was always tuned to the latest basketball, football or baseball games.

One of Hattie's favorite things to do was to spend time with family. Hattie was a loving, kind and generous person who always took a moment to listen and give straightforward, down to earth sage advice.

At the end of her life Hattie remained in her home and was cared for by her daughter until she made her transition when God called her home on the morning of January 14th, 2024.

She leaves to cherish her memory: her daughter and son in law Toshia and Abayomi Kole-James, Grand Daughter Foluwasade Kole-James, Sister Bertha Gadd and a host of nephews, nieces, cousins, other relatives and friends. She meant so much to so many.

Please encourage the Deweever family with words of love and Condolences on this personal tribute page, created just for Hattie. To send flowers or to plant a tree in memory of Hattie, please visit our online Sympathy Store.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **22**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Kemp Funeral Home & Cremation Services
24585 Evergreen Rd
Southfield, MI 48075
(248) 702-5367
info@kempfh.com
<https://www.kempfuneralhome.com>

Family/Friends Time

JAN **23**. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

New Hope Missionary Baptist Church
23455 West Nine Mile Road
Southfield, MI 48033

Funeral Service

JAN **23**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

BJ

“ *Brenda Johnson purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Hattie Estelle DeWeever.*



Brenda Johnson - January 22, 2024 at 03:37 PM

JS

“ *Deepest sympathy to you Tosha and the entire family on the loss of a Hattie. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all during this difficult time. The James Schalm Family.*

James Schalm - January 22, 2024 at 01:28 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Hattie Estelle DeWeever.*



January 22, 2024 at 11:13 AM

FS

“ *From your MSU Sisters planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Hattie Estelle DeWeever.*

From your MSU Sisters - January 22, 2024 at 11:13 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Hattie Estelle DeWeever.*



January 21, 2024 at 03:13 PM



“ *Yomi’s Mafoluku brothers planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Hattie Estelle DeWeever.*

Yomi’s Mafoluku brothers - January 21, 2024 at 03:13 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Hattie Estelle DeWeever.*



January 20, 2024 at 12:06 PM



“ *sister and nephew family in new jersey planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Hattie Estelle DeWeever.*

sister and nephew family in new jersey - January 20, 2024 at 12:06 PM

YF

“ Yomi's Brotherhood of Da Fellas purchased the Tender Tribute for the family of Hattie Estelle DeWeever.



Yomi's Brotherhood of Da Fellas - January 19, 2024 at 03:58 PM



“ Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Hattie Estelle DeWeever.



January 19, 2024 at 10:26 AM