



Mrs. Fannie Mae Washington

April 22, 1921 - December 23, 2021

Mrs. Fannie Mae Washington, 100, of Peoria, Illinois, transitioned to her heavenly home at 8:35 pm on Thursday, December 23, 2021 at The Loft Rehabilitation and Nursing Home in Eureka, IL.

Fannie was born in Norwood, Louisiana on April 22, 1921 to Mattie Robertson and Isaac Collins. She married the love of her life, Mr. Robert Washington, Jr., in Scott, MS. Her husband moved their family to a better way of life in Peoria, IL in the early 1940's following Mr. Washington's siblings.

Mother Fannie worked at Caterpillar as a custodian. She was a former member of the Order of the Eastern Star. Fannie loved to read, mostly the Bible. She loved her family. Fannie was well liked by the community and would clean up cans off the ground in her neighborhood. She never met a stranger. She was a long-time member of Morning Star M.B. Church under the leadership of Pastor Calvin Hightower, Sr., where she was a member of the Mother's Board. She later joined membership at Prince of Peace M.B. Church where she served on the Mother's Board as well.

Fannie leaves to cherish her most precious memories two daughters, Beola Walls of Peoria, IL and Barbara (Dwight) Washington-Hunter of South Haven, MS; fourteen grandchildren, a host of great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. She is preceded in death by her parents; her husband;

one daughter, Ella Norris, one brother and two sisters.

Funeral services will be held at 10 am on Saturday, January 8, 2022 at Word of Faith Christian Center with a visitation one-hour prior beginning at 9 am. Bishop Leroy Davis will officiate. Fannie will be laid to rest at Historic Springdale Cemetery.

Simons Mortuary has been entrusted with arrangements. Online condolences may be made at [SimonsMortuary.com](https://www.SimonsMortuary.com).

The service will be live streamed on Simons Mortuary's Website or Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/Simons-Mortuary-232095303487150> promptly AT THE TIME OF THE SERVICE.

Due to Covid-19 restrictions, social distancing is encouraged to be consistent with recommendations from the National Funeral Directors Association (NFDA), funeral home directors have been instructed and should follow CDC guidelines on gatherings, including those directly related to funerals, visitations, or graveside services.

*In an effort to mitigate the spread of COVID-19, we ask that everyone in attendance: wear a face mask and refrain from hugging, kissing and shaking hands (as hard as it is to see someone you care about and not touch them).

*It is our responsibility as a Funeral Directors, to do everything we can to advise families in order to honor our beloved Families and to keep everyone as safe as possible.

Thanks in advance for your cooperation!

Cemetery Details

Historic Springdale Cemetery

3014 N. Prospect Road
Peoria, IL 61603

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 8. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Word of Faith Christian Center
7116 N. Terra Vista Dr.
Peoria, IL 61614

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Simons Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Fannie Mae Washington*



Simons Mortuary - January 12, 2022 at 01:26 PM



“ *Simons Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Fannie Mae Washington*



Simons Mortuary - January 07, 2022 at 02:04 PM



“ *Mrs. Fannie Mae Washington*

January 29, 2023 at 06:10 AM



“ *Mrs. Fannie Mae Washington*

January 29, 2023 at 03:12 AM



“ 1 file added to the album *Part 2 of the funeral service*



Simons Mortuary - January 12, 2022 at 01:52 PM



“ 1 file added to the album *Burial at Springdale Cemetery*



Simons Mortuary - January 12, 2022 at 01:26 PM



“ *Evon lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Fannie Mae Washington*



Evon - January 08, 2022 at 04:40 PM



“ *Mary Weyeneth lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Fannie Mae Washington*



Mary Weyeneth - January 07, 2022 at 12:16 PM

RF

“ *Rena Webster-Horton & Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Fannie Mae Washington*



Rena Webster-Horton & Family - January 06, 2022 at 10:31 PM

BF

“ *Beatrice Clark And Family lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Fannie Mae Washington*



Beatrice Clark and Family - January 06, 2022 at 03:53 PM

SM

“ *Shirley Mallory lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Fannie Mae Washington*



Shirley Mallory - January 06, 2022 at 09:27 AM

SA

“ To "Miss Fannie's" Loving Family,

I consider it a blessing to have known "Miss Fannie" for so many years. I shall never forget her beautiful smile and warm greeting whenever I would see her over the years. She always made me feel she was genuinely happy to see me. I remember her introducing her brother to me when he came to Peoria to live with her. "Miss Fannie's" life reflected the Truth that "it's more of a blessing to give than to receive". May the God and Father of Our Lord Jesus, whom "Miss Fannie" Loved, Comfort, Bless and Keep each of you.

Sharon Anderson

Sharon Anderson - January 05, 2022 at 10:00 PM

JB

“ JACQUELINE Y BUSH lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Fannie Mae Washington



JACQUELINE Y BUSH - January 05, 2022 at 11:58 AM

RN

“ Rufus And Kim Nelson lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Fannie Mae Washington



Rufus and Kim Nelson - January 03, 2022 at 09:55 AM

TW

“ Theresa Walker lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Fannie Mae Washington



Theresa Walker - January 02, 2022 at 11:13 PM

VG

“ I remember going over to Grandma Fannie house when I was younger with Jackie and Michelle. U may RIH.

Vicky Gagliardi - January 01, 2022 at 01:30 AM

DW

“ Sorry for your last prayers for family and friends in Jesus name amen



Dorotha Williams - January 01, 2022 at 12:47 AM

JB

“ So Sorry For Loss. My Condolences To The Family.



Joanie Brown - December 31, 2021 at 11:32 PM

WT

“ *Wanda Thomas lit a candle in memory of Mrs.
Fannie Mae Washington*



Wanda Thomas - December 30, 2021 at 01:10 PM