



# Mildred May Vickers

JUN 27, 1923 - DEC 25, 2021



Scan to Visit



The House Of Johnson  
Funeral Home

# Table of Contents

<b>Obituary</b> .....	Page 3
<b>Events</b> .....	Page 6
<b>Tribute Wall</b> .....	Page 8
<b>Media</b> .....	Page 10



# Mildred May Vickers

JUN 27, 1923 - DEC 25, 2021

**A** Time to be Born:  
On June 27, 1923, Mildred May was born in Sylacauga, Alabama to the late Lillie Louise (Moore) Roberson and Dosie Roberson.

## A Time to Plant:

Mildred grew up in Talladega, Alabama with her mother and stepfather, Luvell Hill, a deacon at Talladega Church of God. Because her mother was the youngest of ten and Mildred was an only child, she spent many days with her myriad cousins of the lineage of her maternal grandfather, Bedford Moore.

Mildred received her education at Lane Chapel Elementary School, Westside City Middle School, and Drewry High School, all in Talladega. She developed strong Christian faith as she attended Sunday school, weekly worship services, and the myriad special programs held at the Talladega Church of God.

## A Time to Love:

Mildred met the love of her life, Levoid Cano Vickers, Sr. on the campus of the Alabama Institute for the Deaf, where they both were employed. They were married on July 16, 1943 and enjoyed nearly 60 years of marriage until his passing in May 2002. To this union eight children were born, Chesalon James, Levoid Lynn, Jr., Samuel Vernon, Pulaski (Skeet), Danny Kaye (deceased 1987), Terry Eugene, Sheila Bardell, and Jacqueline Maria. Later God special gifted them with two adoptees: daughters Marilyn Ann Holloman-Brown (deceased 2013) and her cousin, Hazelene Swain.

## A Time to Build:

In 1946, Levoid Sr. and Mildred moved to Detroit, Michigan, and finally settled the family in Royal Oak Township. Mildred never learned to drive a car. She did find employment as a paraprofessional in the neighborhood. With her firm yet peaceful personality, she enjoyed a long and successful career that aided in the learning development of elementary school children at the George Washington Carver Elementary School, from which all eight of her children graduated.



## Obituary

**Mildred May Vickers**

JUN 27, 1923 - DEC 25, 2021

She later worked in the Oak Park School District and all eight of her children graduated from Oak Park High School. Furthermore, Mildred served as chairperson for the Chapter 1 Ancillary Board and for three years on the resident board of the Oakdale Housing Cooperative. Over the seventy-some years living and raising her family in Royal Oak Township working at neighborhood schools, and serving on the housing cooperative, Mildred was widely known in the community and highly respected.

### A Time to Embrace:

Mildred spent many devoted years serving the Lord at three area churches: Caniff Street Church of God in Christ, Elder Alex Jones, pastor (1947 to 1953); the Wisconsin Avenue Church of God (1953 to 1981). In obedience and support to her pastor the late Rev. Roosevelt Williams, Jr., in 1981, she became one of the founding members of Greenfield Avenue Church of God and continued faithful service when in 1991, Rev. Michael Coleman became pastor there. The Greenfield congregation elevated her to the Mothers' Board, and she became known far and wide as Mother Vickers, a dedicated intercessory prayer warrior. She prayed for others daily, literally to her last remaining breath.

### A Time to Laugh:

Mother Mildred loved to spend time with God, but when not busy taking care of others you could find her watching sports with her sons, daughter, and grandchildren. You may even have heard her yelling at the players or the referees for questionable calls. She got many a laugh watching Tyler Perry's Madea movies, too.

### A Time to Weep for Joy:

On December 25, 2021, Christmas morning at approximately 9:45 AM, at the age of 98 years old, and during family prayer, Mother Mildred May Vickers received the ultimate gift – eternal life – she went home to be with her Lord and Savior. Left to continue celebrating a legacy of love and prayers are her sons: Chesalon Vickers (Constance), Levoid Vickers, Jr. (Veronica), Samuel Vickers (Dorothy), Pulaski (Skeet) Vickers, Terry Vickers (Cynthia); daughters: Sheila Phillips (Larry, deceased 2016), Jacqueline Williams (Jerome), Hazelene Swain; son-in-law, Hubert Brown; two stepsisters: Stephanie Hopkins and Viola Williams; two sisters-in-law: Central Brown and Ida B. Seamon; a special cousin, Frances Jasper; godchildren: William Roseboro II and Marion Ann Roberts; twenty-four grandchildren: Tracey, Dawanya (Ava); Terri (David), Levoid III, Ishraq (Greg), Shawn; David (Brandy), Joseph (Lisa), Clyde (Lisa), Australia (Greg) Jazmine, (Darnell, deceased 2018), Gerry, Terry, Cynznitra (Robert), Terron (Kendra), Larry II (Shavonne), LaJuan,



## Obituary

**Mildred May Vickers**

JUN 27, 1923 - DEC 25, 2021

---

Jerika (Sam), Jerome Jr.(Michelle) Nefertoria, Sharnae, Marcia, Darryl (Gwen), and Curtis, Forty-six great-grandchildren, two great-great-grandchildren, and a host of cousins, family, friends, neighbors, and her Greenfield Avenue Church of God Family.



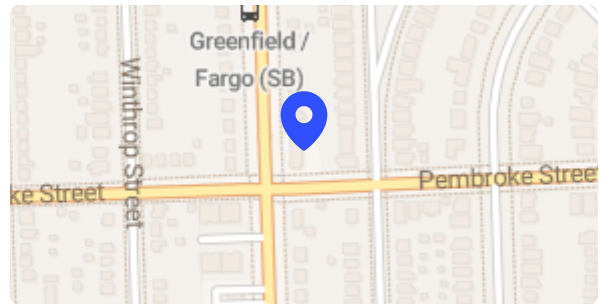
# Events

**Mildred May Vickers**

JUN 27, 1923 - DEC 25, 2021

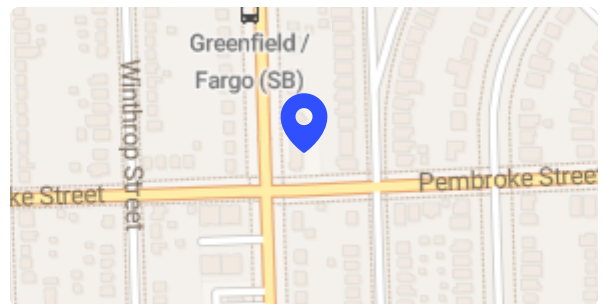
## Visitation

- Thursday**, January 6, 2022
- 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM ET
- Greenfield Ave. Church of God**  
19900 Greenfield Road, Detroit MI 48235



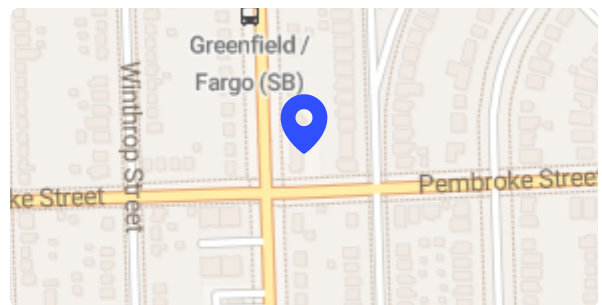
## Visitation

- Friday**, January 7, 2022
- 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM ET
- Greenfield Ave. Church of God**  
19900 Greenfield Road, Detroit MI 48235



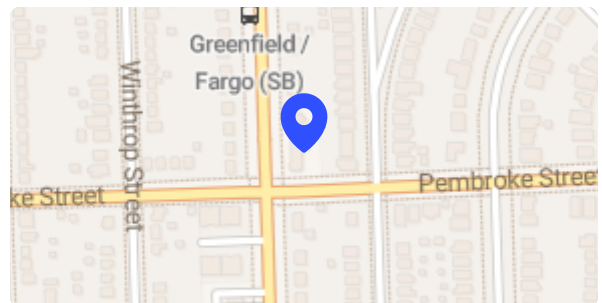
## Family Hour

- Saturday**, January 8, 2022
- 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM ET
- Greenfield Ave. Church of God**  
19900 Greenfield Road, Detroit MI 48235



## Funeral Service

- Saturday**, January 8, 2022
- 11:00 AM ET
- Greenfield Ave. Church of God**  
19900 Greenfield Road, Detroit MI 48235





## Events

**Mildred May Vickers**

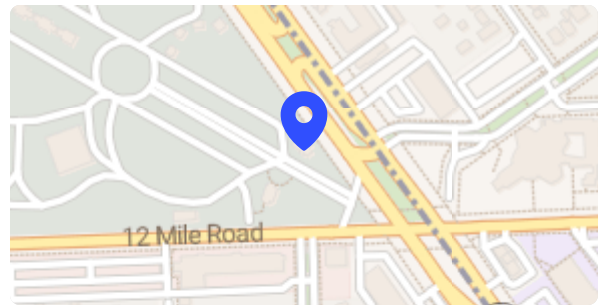
JUN 27, 1923 - DEC 25, 2021

### Cemetery Details



**Roseland Park Cemetery**

29001 Woodward, Berkely MI 48072





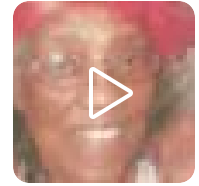
# Tribute Wall

**Mildred May Vickers**

JUN 27, 1923 - DEC 25, 2021



**The House Of Johnson Funeral Home** shared a **Webcast Video**.



January 6 at 8:05 AM



**Cynthia Johnson** lit a candle in honor of Mildred.

Sending our heartfelt condolence to you. While we are sad for your loss we are rejoicing with you over your mom's transition to her heavenly home and that we'll see her again. Her life, legacy and presence lives in each of you! Love, Catherine Johnson and Cynthia Johnson



January 8 at 6:08 AM



**Donald & Barbara Hudson And Family** sent a Beautiful Dreams to the Vickers family.



January 6 at 9:16 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Pink Tribute Spray to the Vickers family.



January 6 at 8:06 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Sentiments of Serenity Spray to the Vickers family.



January 5 at 12:52 PM



## Tribute Wall

**Mildred May Vickers**

JUN 27, 1923 - DEC 25, 2021

TH

**Theodore E And Reva Binion Henry** lit a candle in honor of Mildred.

I have many fond memories of Mother Vickers growing up at Wisconsin Ave. COG. We thank the Lord for her consistent prayers going up on our behalf, Mother will truly be missed. Bro. Ted and I send our Love and Prayers to her family. The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases, His mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning; great is Thy Faithfulness.



December 31 at 1:44 PM

GV

**Gerry Vickers** posted:

Thank you for the precious memories Granny!!! Your legacy will live on through us!!! Until we meet again!!! 👤👤👤❤️

December 31 at 1:43 PM

DV

**Denise Vickers** January 3 at 8:53 AM

You will be truly missed. Thank you for being the best mother-in-law to me. Your prayers meant so much to me. May you rest in peace. My prayers are with my daughter Jazmine Vickers and Skeet Vickers and the family. May God give you all peace and strength.



# Media

## Mildred May Vickers

JUN 27, 1923 - DEC 25, 2021



The House Of Johnson Funeral Home shared a **Webcast Video**.

January 6 at 8:05 AM



**Terry Lowman** January 10 at 7:40 AM

Praying for the family at this time may Mrs. Vickers rest in peace



**Donna Smith** January 8 at 9:30 AM

Your life was a blessing your memory a treasure you are loved beyond words and missed beyond measures may God continue to keep and bless your family as you lay in his arms and rest from all of your labor here on this earth. May God continue to watch over your family in the name of Jesus the Christ. Donna Smith(Grove Hill,Alabama)



**Margie Stone** January 8 at 6:44 AM

My love and prayers are with you as you celebrate Mother Vickers Homegoing. She was a true Christian warrior who has been a blessing to so many. Her loving and kind spirit with be with us always. With Much Love, Margie (Pace) Stone



# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Mildred by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



Scan to Visit



The House Of Johnson  
Funeral Home