

## **"Don't Cry For Me"**

Don't cry for me, I will be okay  
Heaven is my home now and this  
is where I'll stay.

Don't Cry for me, I'm where I  
Belong. I want you to be happy  
and try to stay strong.

Don't cry for me It was just my time.

**But I will see you someday  
on the other side.**

Don't cry for me I am not alone  
The angels are with me to welcome  
me home.

Don't cry for me, for I have no fear  
all my pain is gone  
and Jesus took my tears

Don't cry for me this is not the end  
I'll be waiting here for you  
when we meet again.

### **Pallbearers**

**DeCavilon Reese LeBrendt Reese**

**DeCavilon Reese III**

**Samuel Stanley Ledell Burks**

### **Acknowledgements:**

The family of Gladys Walker, would like to take this time out to thank everyone for the outpouring of love shown to us during our hour of bereavement. May God richly bless and keep you.

### **Arrangements Entrusted To:**

**R. A. Prince Funeral Services**

**16222 Broadway Avenue**

**Maple Heights, OH 44137**

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## *Celebrating the Life Of Gladys Walker*



**Sunrise:**  
August 11, 1931

**Sunset:**  
March 7, 2020

**Saturday, March 14, 2020**

**Wake: 9:30 AM**

**Funeral: 10:00 AM**

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16222 Broadway Avenue  
Maple Heights, OH 44137**

**Rev. Raimon A. Prince, Officiating Minister**

## Order of Service

Organ Prelude.....	Rev. John Hicks
Processional.....	The Family
Scripture Reading.....	Minister Old Testament & New Testament
Prayer.....	Minister
Selection...."His Eye Is On The Sparrow" .....	Terrie Johnson-Brooks
Acknowledgements/Resolutions.....	
Special remarks.....	(Limit to two minutes please)
Obituary.....	(Read silently)
Poem....."Phenomenal Woman" .....	LaCresia Reese
Selection....."Better Days" .....	Terrie Johnson-Brooks
Eulogy.....	Rev. Raimon A. Prince
Recessional.....	

**Interment:**  
**Knollwood Cemetery**  
**1678 Som Center**  
**Mayfield Heights, OH 44124**

(Those driving in the funeral procession turn your headlights on, then off before entering the cemetery gates).

## Obituary

August 11, 1931, in Dublin, Georgia, Willie and Lenora Stanley had a daughter, Gladys Stanley.

Willie and Lenora's union would prove to be a fruitful one as Theresa, Hattie, Diann, twins David and Daniel, Samuel, William "Junior", Clarence "Richard" would be her siblings.

The Stanley family would transition from Georgia, to Cleveland, Ohio, where she would receive life long lessons on the values of family, hard work and independence.

Early in life Gladys was baptized and received Jesus Christ as her personal Lord and Savior.

At a young age she married Odell Brown and to that union one daughter Brenda was born. Later she met and married Willie Walker on September 16, 1961. Gladys and Willie were socialites and enjoyed everything from backyard cookouts, basement parties, to formal dinner parties and gatherings with family, friends and co-workers. They shared a passion for traveling and visiting different places throughout the United States. Willie's career as a Truck driver and Gladys's adventurous spirit was a match made for long road trips across the country and beyond.

She was employed with Bowman Distribution for 40 and a half years before retiring. She was very instrumental in unionizing the company's workforce which was very against the grain at that time. Often she reminisced on how she started from an entry level position and worked her way up to the printing department.

Gladys loved to skate early in life and would later go on to play with her bowling team winning tournaments and trophies. She was also an avid player in the casino where she was a winner as well.

She leaves to mourn her passing: one daughter: Brenda Reese, one sister: Diann Johnson, one brother: William Stanley, one stepdaughter: Cheryl Greenerl (Clifford), , two grandsons: DeCavilon (LaCresia), and LeBrendt Reese, three great-grandchildren: Destiny and DeCavilon "Lil D " Reese, and Jamil Durden as well as a host of relatives and friends that will miss her dearly.