



## Norvelle Gross

February 8, 2013

Norvelle E. Gross, age 94, passed away Friday, February 8, 2013, at Hospice of Northwest Ohio, Detroit Ave. Born on August 15, 1918, to parents, Walter Cole and Tennie E. Cole in Belzoni, Mississippi.

She came to Toledo in 1944 and began work at Willys Overland Motors, as a war production worker during World War II. After the end of the war, she remained in Toledo and later worked for the U.S. Department of Defense at Rossford Ordnance Depot and Wright Patterson Air Force Base near Dayton, Ohio. She retired in 1980 after 28 years of service with the U.S. Department of Defense.

Norvelle joined Wesley Methodist Episcopal Church in Greenwood and upon moving to Toledo, she transferred her membership to Braden Methodist Episcopal Church.

She is survived by her brother, Eddie M. Cole; nephew, Edwin L. Cole; niece, Elecia (Henry) Smith; great-nephews, Xavier Smith and Sterling Smith; great-niece, Kamaree Cole, and a host of relatives and friends. She had special friends, Charles and Helen Tuggle, Robert and Marcella Brown, Thelma Wells, Ruby Hill, Morell Fonfield, and Inez Warren.

The family wishes to thank the staff of Hospice of Northwest Ohio, Laurels of Toledo, U.T. Medical Center, caregivers, Linda Allen and Shirley Kynard the "Boss Lady".

Visitation will be Thursday, February 14, 2013, 11 a.m., followed by the funeral at 12:00 p.m., Braden United Methodist Church, 4725 Dorr Street, Toledo,

OH. Rev. Wynston E. Dixon will officiate. Interment at Historic Woodlawn Cemetery. Arrangements by Dale-Riggs Funeral Home.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *My condolences to the Gross Family. As your hearts are full of grief and pain, I pray that your family will draw comfort from the promise from God found in John 5:28, 29. Here we are assured that soon our loved ones will be resurrected back to life. May God prove to be your true source for strength and hope during this most difficult time. Please read these scripture along with your personal copies of the bible and for more information on the hope for those we have lost in death go to [jw.org](http://jw.org)*

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