



Frances Turner

April 5, 1941 - July 12, 2025

Frances Turner, age 84, passed away peacefully at Stamford Hospital surrounded by her family. She was born April 5, 1941 in Stamford, Connecticut to the late Nathaniel and Bertha Gainer. She was preceded in death by her husband Jesse Turner, Sr. Frances dedicated her life to family, friends and faithfully attending church. She enjoyed nurturing others with her culinary skills of cooking, baking and sharing nuggets of wisdom and encouragement to many. Her kindness and generosity touched so many. Her legacy of love and inspiration will be treasured by two daughters; Sharon Lamar and husband Thomas and Sandra Turner, two sons; Jesse Turner, Jr. and Edward Turner and wife Mwajibu, twelve adored grandchildren and fifteen great grandchildren, two sisters; Alice Hardy and husband Coy and Queenie Gainer-Stephens and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. In addition to her husband, Jesse Turner, Sr. and parents Nathaniel and Bertha Gainer, she was preceded in death by two brothers, Nathaniel Gainer and Lee Alexander. Visitation will be held Friday, July 18, 2025 from 10:00 am – 11:00 am, followed by a service of celebration at 11:00 am at Graves Medley Funeral Services, 31 Stillwater Ave., Stamford, CT. Rev. Michael Turner officiant. Interment will follow at St. John's Cemetery, Darien.

The service is Live streamed on: Graves Medley Funeral Services Facebook Page

Cemetery Details

St. John's Cemetery

Darien, CT

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 18. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Graves Medley Funeral Services
31 Stillwater Avenue
Stamford, CT 06902

Service

JUL 18. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JH

“ *My condolences and prayers are with Family and Friends. May Mrs. Turner, rest in eternal peace.*



James Homer - July 21, 2025 at 06:47 PM

BH

“ *To the Turner family-*

May God continue to Bless You during this difficult time.

*Bridget Wilson Hall and family
Stratford, CT*

Bridget M. Hall - July 18, 2025 at 05:12 AM

RT

“ *The best memory of grandma Frances was seeing that smile. It was priceless. She was truly a genuine person, sweet, kindhearted, & generous. I'm going to miss the excitement of her voice on the phone and texts. We now have another guardian angel. To the family, you all are in my thoughts and prayers during this time of sorrow. Much love.*

Rekita Turner - July 18, 2025 at 04:50 AM

RF

“ *To The Turner Family,*

Take comfort in knowing that now you have a special guardian angel to watch over you!



Ronnie & Brenda Fields - July 17, 2025 at 02:33 PM

LF

“ *Our Family:*

May God continue to bless you all during your time of sorrow. She will truly be missed. Our condolences to you all.



Grace, Mercy and Peace!

Linda & Shawn Ford - July 16, 2025 at 04:41 PM

WD

“ *OUR CONDOLENCES TO THE FAMILY MAY GOD CONTINUE TO BLESS YOU IN YOUR TIME OF SORROW*

William AND ELAINE DUPREE - July 16, 2025 at 03:59 PM

PB

“ *The family of Ms. Frances Turner. Please accept my sincere condolences for your loss. I'm heartbroken to hear of Ms. Frances passing. She was such a positive, kind and generous person. I meant her at Rehoboth Fellowship Church. A few years later I saw her taking a walk at Scalzi Park. I approach her, then ask does she mind me walking along, she said yes. we exchange numbers, and thereafter a friend was form. We can never be separated from those we love because God leaves us with memories to hold that doesn't pass away. And in time, we realize that your loved ones live on, not only in heaven but within our hearts. When we live this earth, the love that we've given and received remains behind to light the lives of those we touched.*



Patricia Jones Bethea - July 16, 2025 at 03:57 PM

MH

“ *My condolences to the Turner family on behalf of the Holley Family my prayers are with you all during this difficult time! I love you Shaye!*



Moneek Holley - July 15, 2025 at 03:44 PM