



Mr. Arthur Darryl Key

July 6, 1959 - February 22, 2026

KEY, Mr. Arthur Darryl - Age 66, passed away Sunday, February 22, 2026 in Burton, MI. Family hour 10:00 AM Thursday, March 12, 2026, at True Light Missionary Baptist Church, 6917 Martin Luther King Ave., with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM. Interment Gracelawn Cemetery, 5710 N. Saginaw St., Flint, MI. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10:00 AM Thursday. Mr. Key will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd. and may be viewed from 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM Wednesday.

Arthur Darryl Key, affectionately known as “Pooh Pooh,” was born on July 6, 1959, in Flint, Michigan, to Lawson and Annie Marie Key. He embraced Christianity at a young age and graduated from Central High School in 1977.

Arthur dedicated 25 years to the Flint Board of Education, working as a school bus driver from 1987 to 1997, and later serving as a custodian from 1996 to 2012. He loved spending time with his grandchildren, great-grandchild, and some of his nieces and nephews every chance he got, whether shooting fireworks with them or sharing a crab leg meal. He also had a passion for traveling, fishing, barbecuing, and he enjoyed listening to jazz music. Additionally, Arthur was skilled at playing the bass guitar.

Arthur leaves to cherish his memory: one son, Andrew (Wyltira) Beard Sr.

of Flint, MI; two daughters, Maria Key of Dallas, TX, and Ashley Key of Flint, MI; seven grandchildren, Andrew Jr., Walterraica, Armesia, and Andraya Beard, all of Flint, MI, Leonard Robinson III, Dionta Rheaves Jr., and K'Marie Crouch, all of Dallas, TX; three great-grandchildren, Azaliah Beard, Analeigha Beard, both of Flint, MI, and Saint Rheaves of Dallas, TX; five sisters, Vera Styles, Camellia Key, and Barbara Key, all of Flint, MI, Lenoir (Willie) Owen of Memphis, TN, and Charlotte Jones of Saginaw, MI; five brothers, Willie (Earnestine) Key of Memphis, TN, James Lee Key of Red Banks, MS, Glenn (Bettie) Key, Ronald Key, and James Key, all of Flint, MI; one sister-in-love, Romel Key of Grand Blanc, MI; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and Oak Park community family and friends, including special friends Carl Teamer and Evelyn Brown.

Arthur Darryl Key was preceded in death by: his father Lawson Miller Key and his mother Annie Marie Key; sisters, Catherine Key O'Neal, Pastor Pamela Lockhart, Bertha Shumpert; brothers, Clarence Key Sr., John Lee Key; long time friend, William Brown

Previous Events

Public Viewing

MAR 11. 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, Inc., Flint
906 W. Flint Park Blvd.
Flint, MI 48505
(810) 789-6666
lemoonfhflint@gmail.com
<https://lawrenceemoonfuneralhome.com>

Family hour

MAR 12. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

True Light Missionary Baptist Church
6917 M.L. King Ave.
Flint, MI

Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

SB

“ *Stephan Buckler lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key*



Stephan Buckler - March 12 at 05:46 PM

RF

“ *Condolences to the Loved ones. May God strengthen as only HE can*

Rose Cox Ferguson



Rose Ferguson - March 12 at 11:02 AM

OW

“ *Mr.key my condolences to your love ones and children may you rest in the arms of the lord*



Ora Wilkins - March 12 at 09:46 AM

PT

“ *Pam Turner lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key*



Pam Turner - March 11 at 12:32 AM

BS

“ *Barbara Smith lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key*



Barbara Smith - March 10 at 09:58 PM

ES

“ *Edwina W Sanders lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key*



Edwina W Sanders - March 10 at 05:22 PM

JT

“ *Jessie Todd lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key*



Jessie Todd - March 10 at 02:33 PM

SC

“ *Sylvia Cabell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key*



Sylvia Cabell - March 07 at 10:11 PM

DS

“ *Rest well uncle Art, you will be missed* ❤️



Deborah Smith - March 07 at 09:01 PM

TF

“ *Terry & Jody Franklin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key*



Terry & Jody Franklin - March 05 at 10:30 PM

HW

“ *Honna Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key*



Honna Williams - March 05 at 06:08 PM

EW

“ *Earnestine Williams Burnett Rest in peace Po Po.*

Earnestine Williams - March 05 at 11:29 AM

EW

“ *Earnestine Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key*



Earnestine Williams - March 05 at 11:26 AM

LK

“ *LaSonja King lit a candle in memory of Arthur Key*



LaSonja King - March 05 at 01:32 AM



“ *Sleep in Heavenly Peace Uncle Art...We love you and miss you so much! ❤️🎸*



Shelonda Shumpert-Pray - March 03 at 07:14 PM

CB

“ *Carolyn Blair lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key*



Carolyn Blair - March 03 at 04:20 PM

DL

“ Debra LaCour sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key



Debra LaCour - March 02 at 06:31 PM

EW

“ Earnestine Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key



Earnestine Williams - March 02 at 12:46 PM

DE

“ Debra Evans sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key



Debra Evans - March 01 at 09:04 PM

OR

“ Odessa Robison lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key



Odessa Robison - February 27 at 01:39 PM

BW

“ BRIDGETTE WATKINS sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key



BRIDGETTE WATKINS - February 27 at 09:38 AM

AC

“ My prayers and Condolences to the Keys family.



Arnette Callaway - February 27 at 03:14 AM

MM

“ Mayrene Mcgruder lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key



mayrene mcgruder - February 26 at 10:29 PM

AL

“ R.I.HP. MY O.P.B brother,my condolences to the family, you all are in my prayers 🙏🙏🙏🙏❤️❤️

Anthony Lott - February 26 at 09:50 PM

AL

“ Anthony Lott lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key



Anthony Lott - February 26 at 09:35 PM

AL

“ Anthony Lott lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key



Anthony Lott - February 26 at 09:29 PM

AS

“ (RIHP) My OPB. Sending my 🙏 Prayers & Condolences to the Family.Blessings!!

Alonzo Smith - February 26 at 08:02 PM

WC

“ Lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key



Willie and Deborah Carter - February 26 at 07:14 PM

RC

“ *My condolences and prayers to the family*



Robert Clark - February 26 at 06:26 PM

MF

“ *Prayers and condolences to the Keys family.*



Margie & Family - February 26 at 06:23 PM

SI

“ *Sonceria Ingram-Ford lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key*



Sonceria Ingram-Ford - February 26 at 06:14 PM

AM

“ *My condolences to the Key family. My brother, you will forever be remembered by your OPB family. RIP*

Art Mitchell - February 26 at 04:32 PM

BS

“ *Barbara Sykes lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key*



Barbara Sykes - February 26 at 03:30 PM

KR

“ *Kermit & Genell (Crain) Reeves lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key*



Kermit & Genell (Crain) Reeves - February 26 at 11:43 AM

LS

“ *Larry & Kim Sykes lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key*



Larry & Kim Sykes - February 26 at 09:35 AM

TJ

“ *Theresa Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key*



Theresa Jackson - February 26 at 07:06 AM

TJ

“ *Tanya Jefferson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key*



Tanya Jefferson - February 25 at 08:49 PM

TM

“ *Theresa McQuiddy lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key*



Theresa McQuiddy - February 25 at 08:38 PM

BW

“ *My sincere condolences to the family gonna miss u but never ever will forget u*



Barbara Watkins - February 25 at 06:47 PM

NO

“ *NaRotha Ogden lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key*



NaRotha Ogden - February 25 at 06:40 PM

WK

“ Sincere condolences to the Key family. So sorry for your loss. You are in my Prayers. May God grant you Strength and Peace in these difficult times! 🙏🙏🙏



Willie Kirby - February 25 at 06:34 PM

DG

“ R.I.H. MY LIL BROTHER...



DUANE GIBSON - February 25 at 05:49 PM

CS

“ CHUQITTA R SIMPSON lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key



CHUQITTA R SIMPSON - February 25 at 05:46 PM

JK

“ Rest in power my guy gonna miss you uncle but appreciate you for the time we got to spend love you always Unc ¹⁰⁰💪❤️



Jalen Key - February 25 at 05:22 PM

IH

“ *Ida Harkless-Gibson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key*



Ida Harkless-Gibson - February 25 at 05:09 PM

MG

“ *Marshall Green lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key*



Marshall Green - February 25 at 04:53 PM

MG

“ *Marshall Green sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key*



Marshall Green - February 25 at 04:53 PM

DF

“ *Sending prayers to Camille in the loss of your brother, God bless you and your family.*



Dave Fulton - February 25 at 04:43 PM

MF

“ Miller & Shumpert Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key



Miller & Shumpert Family - February 25 at 04:33 PM



“ R.I.P. uncle Arthur, your earthly journey is done
🙏❤️



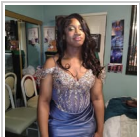
Valentine Jones - February 25 at 02:51 PM

TB

“ Terry Boone-Love lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key



Terry Boone-Love - February 25 at 02:41 PM



“ I Will Truly Miss You Uncle Poo Poo K.R.I P

Frances Palmer - February 25 at 01:59 PM



“ *Frances Palmer lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key*



Frances Palmer - February 25 at 01:55 PM

VS

“ *Vera Styles lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key*



Vera Styles - February 25 at 01:03 PM

VS

“ *Vera Styles sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key*



Vera Styles - February 25 at 01:01 PM

DS

“ *Sending my Condolences and Prayers to the Key and Beard Family*



Deborah Smith - February 25 at 12:53 PM

CS

“ Rest up my good friend and OPB brother going to miss that smile my condolences to the family love you all 🙏🙏🙏



Cliffton Sykes - February 25 at 12:39 PM

DM

“ Debra Miller lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur Darryl Key



Debra Miller - February 25 at 10:57 AM