



## Mr. Arthur B. Lofton III

May 18, 1956 - May 23, 2025

LOFTON, Mr. Arthur - Age 69, passed away Friday, May 23, 2025 at his residence. Family hour 10:30 AM Friday, May 30, 2025 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral service commencing at 11:00AM. Dr. Brian Frelix, Pastor, officiating. Interment River Rest Cemetery. G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the chapel 10:30 AM Friday, May 30, 2025. Mr. Lofton III will lie in state in the chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home and may be viewed Thursday, May 29, 2025 from 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM, with family present from 4:00PM-6:00PM. Mr. Arthur B. Lofton III, passed away peacefully on May 23, 2025 at his residence, the Berneda Group Home. Arthur was born in Flint, Michigan on May 18, 1956 to Arthur B. Lofton Jr. and Dorothy Jean Horton Lofton. He was the third of four children. Arthur had many challenges in life, but he always recovered and kept pushing on. After each of his hospital stays, we would tease him...a cat has nine lives, you have 15. He always bounced back from his hospital stay. Praise God. Arthur was a resident of Berneda Group Home where he was loved and cared for. He loved his family at Berneda. Arthur's giving nature and warm spirit brought joy to our family and the group home. His favorite thing was a piece of round plastic that was called his "Flicky". Arthur loved to listen to R&B, Jazz and Religious Music. Mr. Arthur B. Lofton III leaves to cherish his memory: sister, Shirley (Larry) Henderson; 3 nephews, Larry (Maegen) Henderson Jr. of Midland, MI, LaRon (Bonnie) Henderson of Wyoming, MI and Jermain M. Lofton of Midlothian, TX;

4 great-nephews, Isaiah, Jeremiah, Hezekiah Henderson, all of Midland, MI and Amari Henderson of Wyoming, MI; aunt, Mrs. Deloris Self of Flint; step-mother, Mrs. Linda Lofton of Columbus, OH; many cousins and friends in Flint, Ohio, California and Mississippi survive; a host of other relatives and friends including special friends, Ms. Ida Gibson, Mrs. Johnnie Green, Mr. & Mrs. Eddie and Linda Booth, Ms. Veronica Mastin, Ms. Cresia Darcel Davis and McLaren Nurse Joe. Mr. Lofton was preceded in death by his parents, Arthur and Dorothy Lofton; grandmothers, Lessie Mae McCarty and Jessie Mae Capps; grandfathers, George McCarty and Arthur Lofton; sisters, Joyce M. Lofton and Stephanie D. Lofton. The family would like to express a special thank you to Berneda Home and staff, Karol Robertson, Sarah Bruner, Jeremy, Felecia, D.J., Doris, Debbie, Loretta, Gwen, Harmony Home Care, and Tyler Goodrich. Also, thanks to Pastor Brian Frelix and the Foss Avenue Baptist Church family, Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home and Shumpert Group Home.

# Cemetery Details

## River Rest Cemetery

G-4413 Flushing Rd.  
Flint, MI 48504

# Previous Events

## Public Visitation

**MAY 29.** 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](mailto:lemoonfhflint@gmail.com)  
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## Family hour

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## Funeral Service

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MAY 30. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Mr. Arthur B. Lofton III*



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**Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home** - May 30, 2025 at 09:02 AM

EF

“ *Elder-Dr. Carolyn Davis & Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Arthur Lofton*



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**Elder-Dr. Carolyn Davis & Family** - June 13, 2025 at 07:54 PM

EM

“ *Earline McFadden lit a candle in memory of Arthur Lofton*



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**Earline McFadden** - May 30, 2025 at 12:49 PM

NB

“ *Neysa Hodges Burns lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur B. Lofton III*



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**Neysa Hodges Burns** - May 30, 2025 at 10:31 AM

DB

“ *Our deepest condolences to the Lofton and Henderson Family*



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**Deacon Emerson and Carol Boles** - May 30, 2025 at 10:30 AM

SS

“ *Sylvia Self lit a candle in memory of Arthur Lofton*



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**Sylvia Self** - May 29, 2025 at 07:09 PM

RA

“ *Ray & Pauline Allen lit a candle in memory of Arthur Lofton*



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**Ray & Pauline Allen** - May 29, 2025 at 03:27 PM

WB

“ *Winona Beard lit a candle in memory of Arthur Lofton*



Winona Beard - May 29, 2025 at 03:26 PM

CD

“ *Love and condolences to my forever college roommate. May God continue to keep you and the entire family surrounded with love. Always Darcel*



Cresia Davis - May 29, 2025 at 09:30 AM

LH

“ *Condolences to the family. Praying for your peace and comfort. God Bless. Hildreth Family*



Levell and Earlene Hildreth - May 28, 2025 at 03:41 PM

LD

“ *La Jean Duncan lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur B. Lofton III*



La Jean Duncan - May 27, 2025 at 08:51 PM

MD

“ Mrs. Shirley & Larry you have my deepest heartfelt condolences. Arthur was joy to have around and putting on his gospel music somehow made both of days just a little bit brighter. He will be missed. Prayers to your family. 💔



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**Marquitta Davis** - May 27, 2025 at 05:24 PM

EM

“ Eddie and Paulette McGhee lit a candle in memory of Arthur Lofton



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**Eddie and Paulette McGhee** - May 27, 2025 at 02:14 PM

CR

“ To the entire Lofton families. our sentiments are with you now and beyond. The peace of God covers as the words of men can not.



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**Carolyn Randolph-Witcher** - May 27, 2025 at 12:49 PM

TP

“ Tiny Presnall lit a candle in memory of Arthur Lofton



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**Tiny Presnall** - May 27, 2025 at 12:41 PM



TR

“ One of my favorite people from being at Berneda ❤️☐ you will be missed & you are loved by soooo many Arthur.

Tamaria Robertson - May 26, 2025 at 02:37 PM

LG

“ You will always be in my heart Arthur 💜



LaTrice Greene - May 25, 2025 at 09:21 PM

SC

“ Sandra Crawford lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur B. Lofton III



Sandra Crawford - May 25, 2025 at 05:54 PM

MG

“ Marshall Green lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur B. Lofton III



Marshall Green - May 25, 2025 at 04:37 PM

LG

“ Arthur and his sister were residents of my mom and aunt's group home for over 30 plus years, this is very heartbreaking, we always wondered how he was doing, just spoke of his birthday last week, and to see his name in the obituary did not sit very well, but we want to give big condolences to his sister Shirley whom we loved so much, love you Arthur "Playa playa" 🙏🙏

LaTrice Greene - May 25, 2025 at 02:12 PM

SG

“ Lit a candle in the memory of my cousin Mr. Arthur Lofton. You will truly be missed from our family.



Sandra Gilbert - May 25, 2025 at 04:58 AM

LH

“ We will miss you so much. Will see you on the other side. Love you dearly.



Larry and Shirley Henderson - May 24, 2025 at 07:48 PM

LG

I am so sorry Shirley and Larry, I have been thinking about Arthur, I posted his birthday last week, me and my daughter Maica were just wondering if he was ok, I love you so much, this is truly heartbreaking, my Playa playa is now with my Pretty gal Stephanie 💜💜💜🥹

LaTrice Greene - May 25, 2025 at 01:57 PM

SM

“ *Sidney & Gwen Muldrew lit a candle in memory of Arthur Lofton*



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**Sidney & Gwen Muldrew** - May 24, 2025 at 07:37 PM

RM

“ *Sending condolences, love, and prayers for the family.  
Sincerely,  
Byron and Phyllis McCree*



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**Rev Phyllis McCree** - May 24, 2025 at 06:51 PM

DP

“ *It was a Blessing to have met Arthur. I enjoyed his smiles and deviously sweet personality and the way he rolled his eyes at me. I will hold these memories in my heart forever. I truly miss you Mr. Handsome. I pray that somebody in heaven rubs your head for you and has your lip balm ready.....*

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**Dedra (DJ) Palmer** - May 24, 2025 at 03:54 PM

PR

“ *Patricia Roberts lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur B. Lofton III*



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**Patricia Roberts** - May 24, 2025 at 01:44 PM

LG

“ *Linda Gulley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur B. Lofton III*



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**Linda Gulley** - May 24, 2025 at 01:10 PM

OC

“ *ORA CARTER lit a candle in memory of Arthur Lofton*



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**ORA CARTER** - May 24, 2025 at 10:28 AM

HW

“ *Herbert And Linda Winfrey lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur B. Lofton III*



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**Herbert and Linda Winfrey** - May 23, 2025 at 11:37 PM

EF

“ *Eddie And Linda Booth & Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur B. Lofton III*



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**Eddie and Linda Booth & Family** - May 23, 2025 at 05:37 PM

JT

“ Jerome And Tonedia Threlkeld lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur B. Lofton III



Jerome and Tonedia Threlkeld - May 23, 2025 at 02:09 PM

CJ

“ Cynthia Y. Jones lit a candle in memory of Mr. Arthur B. Lofton III



Cynthia Y. Jones - May 23, 2025 at 12:52 PM

VF

“ Sending Love and Prayers pf Condolences to Shirley, Mr. Larry and the family. Arthur was so blessed to have you take care of him. ❤️

Veronica & Family - May 23, 2025 at 12:46 PM

IH

“ Sending Love, Condolences and Prayers to the Henderson Family Arthur will surely be missed 🙏🙏



Ida Harkless-Gibson - May 23, 2025 at 11:32 AM

TD

*Sorry for your lost. Love 💕 you guys. Terry Dudley Douglas the founder of teacher appreciation week.*

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**Terry Douglas** - May 24, 2025 at 01:00 PM