



Mr. Auburn C. Bonner

April 19, 1932 - April 22, 2020

BONNER, Mr. Auburn C. - Age 88, passed away April 22, 2020 At Hyde Park Assisted Living Facility. Mr. Bonner will lie in state in the Chapel of the Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd. Flint, MI and may be viewed Wednesday, April 29, from 12:00 pm - 6:00 pm. Interment Great Lakes National Cemetery, G-4200 Belford Rd., Holly, MI.

Mr. Auburn C. Bonner was born April 19, 1932 in Flint, Michigan, the son of Seab and Ethel (Wright) Bonner. Auburn was a resident of Flushing, MI and a member of New St. James Church Of God In Christ (COGIC) where he served on the Deacon Board. Auburn attended Flint Public Schools. He was employed at Buick Motor Company, a division of General Motors Corporation where he retired after 42 years of service. As a young man; Auburn was an avid and excellent swimmer. He was a gifted artist, using that gift to draw over 120 Bible Study Illustrations to teach Bible Study at New St. James COGIC. Auburn was an Honorably Discharged Veteran of the Korean War where he served as an Aircraft-Engine Mechanic with the rank of Corporal. He will always be remembered for being an excellent cook, well dressed, for his anointed prayers, his encouraging words of wisdom and advice, that he shared with everyone he met.

Mr. Auburn C. Bonner leaves to cherish his memory: 2 sons, Anthony Bonner of Flushing, MI and Terrance (Angelica) Bonner of Yuma, AZ; daughter,

Shawn'tice Bonner of Phoenix, AZ; grandchildren, Denise (Michael) Bonner-Montiel of Yuma, AZ, Quinton Ulysses Bonner, Naomi (Jeffrey) Christian, all of Yuma, AZ, Brandi Bonner of Kalamazoo, MI and Anthony Bonner II of Rockford, IL; great-grandchildren, Avant, Shantal, Amani and Derone Montiel, Talia Franzetta Christian and Arielle Calie Bonner; 2 sisters-in-law, Ozell Burns and Shirley Ford; brother-in-law, Jerome (Deborah) Releford; a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives including, the Wright, Bonner, Lakes, Vaughn and Relerford families; a host of friends including special friends, Apostle Clarence and Barbara Lewis, the Pencil and Dickerson families, and Elder Howard.

Mr. Bonner was preceded in death by his wife of 33 years, Louise (Relerford) Bonner; wife of 2 years, Jessie Wortham-Bonner; daughter, Franzetta Bonner; parents, Seab and Ethel (Wright) Bonner; 8 siblings, Nathaniel, George, Seabon, O.C., Henry and Pete Bonner, Marion Miller and Sally Rowe.

The family would like to express special thanks to cousins, Phyllis and Luscious Miller, Rhonda and Marlon Lowe, Hyde Park Assisted Living-Flushing, Heart-to-Heart Hospice of Swartz Creek, Regency of Grand Blanc Nursing Facility, McLaren-Flint and McLaren Hospice, Pastor Robert Smith Jr. and the New St. James COGIC family, Apostle Clarence Lewis and the New Beginnings Church family and Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers send donations to: The New St. James Youth Scholarship Fund, 2229 W. Carpenter Rd., Flint, Michigan 48505

Cemetery Details

Great Lakes National Cemetery

G-4200 Belford Rd.
Holly, MI 48442

Previous Events

Viewing

APR **29**. 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home Chapel, Flint
906 W. Flint Park Blvd.
Flint, MI 48505
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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Auburn C. Bonner*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Praying for the Bonner family*❤️

Darius Redwine (Relerford side) - May 07, 2020 at 01:40 AM



“ *Shauna C lit a candle in memory of Mr. Auburn C. Bonner*



Shauna C - May 02, 2020 at 03:10 PM



“ *Mr. Bonner was an amazing resident, he always had a smile on his face. He will truly missed.*

Tiffany M - April 30, 2020 at 02:57 PM



“ *Felicia Reeves-Nunn lit a candle in memory of Mr. Auburn C. Bonner*



Felicia Reeves-Nunn - April 29, 2020 at 10:28 PM

EH

“ Deacon Auburn Bonner was one of the most, friendly Christ like men I’ve ever known. He will surely be missed! To Tony and family, be encouraged!
We Love you.
Elder & Sister Howard



Elder Alfanzo & V. Howard - April 29, 2020 at 06:17 PM



“ Praying for the Bonner family.

Vickie Watkins - April 29, 2020 at 12:29 PM

ST

Deacon Bonner was one of a kind a genuine Man of God Faithfulness Humble And Great Praying Man will be missed

susan thomas - April 29, 2020 at 08:32 PM

RS

“ Renee Sanders lit a candle in memory of Mr. Auburn C. Bonner



Renee Sanders - April 29, 2020 at 10:21 AM

JR

“ Jerome Deborah Relerford sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Auburn C. Bonner



Jerome Deborah Relerford - April 29, 2020 at 02:56 AM

BW

“ *Bennie Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Auburn C. Bonner*



Bennie Williams - April 29, 2020 at 12:21 AM

PG

“ *Sending our heart felt condolences to the Bonner family we pray that God will comfort you during this difficult time ❤️ Elder Milton And Pamela Gibson*

Pamela Gibson - April 28, 2020 at 10:13 PM

PM

“ *Pat Moore lit a candle in memory of Mr. Auburn C. Bonner*



Pat Moore - April 28, 2020 at 07:06 PM

JR

“ *Jerome Deborah Relerford lit a candle in memory of Mr. Auburn C. Bonner*



jerome Deborah Relerford - April 28, 2020 at 05:53 PM

JR

“ *Jerome Deborah Relerford sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Auburn C. Bonner*



jerome Deborah Relerford - April 28, 2020 at 05:51 PM

OB

“ *Ozell Burns lit a candle in memory of Mr. Auburn C. Bonner*



Ozell Burns - April 27, 2020 at 09:40 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. Auburn C. Bonner.*



April 27, 2020 at 09:34 PM

ML

“ *Marlon And Rhonda Lowe lit a candle in memory of Mr. Auburn C. Bonner*



Marlon and Rhonda Lowe - April 27, 2020 at 08:37 PM

OB

“ To the Bonner family may God sustain you and Give you strength during this most difficult time. Brother in law was a great man with a big heart He left lots of memories to cherish. He certainly will be missed. Praying for the family.

Ozell Burns - April 27, 2020 at 07:24 PM

BL

“ Barbara Lakes lit a candle in memory of Mr. Auburn C. Bonner



Barbara Lakes - April 27, 2020 at 01:35 PM

DF

To the Bonner family and friends uncle Auburn was a great uncle he will be greatly missed RIP uncle Auburn David c. Miller and family, Skis

David c. Miller / Baltimore maryland/ fa - April 28, 2020 at 08:18 PM

AW

I'm a volunteer with McLaren and visited Auburn while he was at Regency. He was truly a joy to visit and one of my favorite patients. My deepest sympathies to the family.

Amy W. - May 10, 2020 at 08:05 PM