



## Bernard Veale

May 6, 1957 - December 1, 2007

VEALE, Bernard "Pokey" - Age 50, passed away Saturday, December 1, 2007 at Hurley Medical Center. Family hour 1:30PM Saturday, December 8, 2007 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral service commencing immediately at 2PM. Pastor Ira G. Edwards officiating. Interment Lovedale Memorial Cemetery, G-5175 Bristol Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the funeral home 1:30PM Saturday. Mr. Veale will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E Moon Funeral Home, and may be viewed from 12Noon-8PM Friday. Mr. Bernard "Pokey" Veale was born May 6, 1957 in Flint, Michigan, the son of Joe and Ida G. Veale. Mr. Veale was a resident of Flint for 50 years. He loved working in his yard, cutting grass and putting down flowers. He also could usually be seen working in the neighbor's yards. Mr. Veale liked to play chess and bake cakes. Although he had no children he loved his nieces and nephews. He called his nieces his "BAPS" (Black African Princess) and his nephews "Them little boys". Mr. Bernard "Pokey" Veale leaves to cherish his memory: beloved girlfriend of 17 years, Billie "Tina" Martin; mother, Ida G. Veale; 2 sisters, Elonra Strong and Sharon Veale; 3 brothers, Willie, Charles (Ruby) and James Veale, all of Flint; nieces, "BAPS" (Black African Princess); numerous nephews, aunt, uncles, cousins, other relatives and friends including special friends, Jerry Scott, Pat Watson, Ronald Woods and the Black Street families. Mr. Veale was preceded in death by his father; brother; grandparents. The family would like to express special thanks to Hurley Medical Center CCU staff, the Lee family, Pastor Ira G.

Edwards and the Damascus Holy Life Church family.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Bernard Veale*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *I'm so very sorry to hear of the passing of Pokey. I've been a life long friend of the family. You're all in my thoughts and prayers.*

**Beverley Smith** - December 01, 2007 at 12:00 AM



“ *pokey we love you! you will always be in our heart. when ever i saw you, you always had a smile. i know you are in God's hands, an at peace.*

*Your sis,niece and nephews.*

*andre,joseph, tonya, roni, jamott,and melvin veale.*

*rest in peace, your sis yvette harper-bey*

**warnetta rory lee jr.** - December 01, 2007 at 12:00 AM