



Trooper Brenetta Anne Milhouse

November 16, 1957 - December 3, 2012

MILHOUSE, Trooper Brenetta - Age 55, made her transition on Monday, December 3, 2012 after a brief illness. Family hour 10 a.m. Saturday, December 8, 2012 at Ebenezer Ministries, 2130 S. Center Rd., with funeral service commencing at 11 a.m. Interment Flint Memorial Park Cemetery, G-9506 N. Dort Hwy. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10 a.m. Saturday. Trooper Milhouse will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 10 a.m.-8 p.m. Friday.

Trooper Brenetta Anne Milhouse was born November 16, 1957 in Flint, Michigan to the late Anne Milhouse and Otis Odum. She attended Flint Public Schools and was a 1976 graduate of Northwestern High School. Brenetta attended Champaign College in Vermont, where she earned an Associate Degree in General Studies and later finished at the University of Michigan-Flint, where she earned her Bachelor Degree in Political Science. She returned to Flint and later pursued a career in Law Enforcement by joining the Michigan State Police, where she served diligently for 27 years. In addition to loving her job as a State Trooper, Brenetta was also a talented seamstress and a distance runner, having participated in several half marathon races. She was also a poet, publishing a book of poetry entitled "One Somebody." Brenetta enjoyed motherhood, loved interacting with family, and had a ready smile and infectious laugh.

She leaves to cherish her memory: her significant other, James Russell Powe; daughter, Breanne Powe; sisters, Helen, (Tony) Bennett, Sylvia (Layton) Matthews, Tina (Kenard) Edwards, Lanetta Odum, Shirley (JB) O'Neal, Vicky Townsend, Prinzella (James) Milledge and Tracy (James) Tefft; brothers, Kenneth (Valerie) Milhouse, Otis (Donna) Milhouse, Harrell (Felica) Milhouse, Craig (LaVonda) Odum and Michael (Gwen) Odom; aunts, Odessa Jackson, Ruth Milhouse and Eugenia Williams; uncle, William Odum; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends including close friend, Vickie Crawford-Price.

Trooper Milhouse was preceded in death by her parents, Anne Milhouse and Otis Odum; brothers, Terrence Odum, Donnie Townsend and Jerry Townsend; and sister, Pat Townsend.

The family would like to express special thanks to the ICU nurse Jill at Providence Park Hospital in Novi, MI, the Michigan State Troopers and the Ebenezer Ministries Church family.

Cemetery Details

Flint Memorial Park Cemetery

G-9506 N. Dort Hwy.
Mt. Morris, MI 48458

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 7. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home Chapel, Flint
906 W. Flint Park Blvd.
Flint, MI 48505
(810) 789-MOON (6666)
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<http://www.lawrenceemoonfuneralhome.com>

Tribute Wall



“ Trooper Brenetta Anne Milhouse

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ Work together with teenage girls at the Michigan State Police Academy. Michigan Youth Leadership Academy. I also met her lovely daughter, your mom loved when you would sing her fav song, she told me that. I am sad to find out that she has left us. (I just found out). She was sweet and kind friendly approachable but took care of business when it came to her job as a Trooper. Gone but never never never forgotten, Milhouse RIP.

Naomi - August 16, 2017 at 08:52 AM



“ Naomi lit a candle in memory of Trooper Brenetta Anne Milhouse



Naomi - August 16, 2017 at 08:41 AM



“ Howard Humphrey lit a candle in memory of Trooper Brenetta Anne Milhouse



Howard Humphrey - March 02, 2013 at 11:26 AM

NR

“ *N. JEAN RIDDLE-JEFFERSON lit a candle in memory of Trooper Brenetta Anne Milhouse*



N. JEAN RIDDLE-JEFFERSON - December 11, 2012 at 05:35 PM

LM

“ *Lt. Robert Dykstra MSP34 lit a candle in memory of Trooper Brenetta Anne Milhouse*



Lt. Robert Dykstra MSP34 - December 10, 2012 at 06:12 AM

JA

“ *Jovan Jaksic, Arizona lit a candle in memory of Trooper Brenetta Anne Milhouse*



Jovan Jaksic, Arizona - December 07, 2012 at 11:38 PM

JA

Dear Lord.... Bless your child, light her way and grant her everlasting peace. Brenetta we thank you for your service. Jovan Jaksic, Arizona - [Formerly Tpr. John A. Jackson]

Jovan Jaksic, Arizona - December 07, 2012 at 11:43 PM

HA

“ Hurtsboro, AL lit a candle in memory of Trooper Brenetta Anne Milhouse



Hurtsboro, AL - December 07, 2012 at 06:47 PM

JM

“ Jane Locquiao Martin lit a candle in memory of Trooper Brenetta Anne Milhouse



Jane Locquiao Martin - December 07, 2012 at 04:59 PM



“ Cliff Johnson lit a candle in memory of Trooper Brenetta Anne Milhouse



Cliff Johnson - December 07, 2012 at 03:51 PM

CG

“ Carol Gardner lit a candle in memory of Trooper Brenetta Anne Milhouse



Carol Gardner - December 07, 2012 at 01:55 PM

SL

“ Suzan Lancaster purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of Trooper Brenetta Anne Milhouse.



Suzan Lancaster - December 07, 2012 at 12:01 PM

GJ

“ Gloria Jackson-Jenkins lit a candle in memory of Trooper Brenetta Anne Milhouse



Gloria Jackson-Jenkins - December 07, 2012 at 11:43 AM

GJ

To the ENTIRE Milhouse and Odum family, I send my prayers of support during this difficult time. May GOD bless each of you. Sorry I can't be there, but know that I am there in spirit. When friends become family and family become friends we are consider BLESSED. Love Gloria

Gloria Jackson-Jenkins - December 07, 2012 at 11:46 AM

W2

“ Brenetta will be missed by all. My god helps us all in a time of need.



Wayne McKalpain MSP 26 - December 07, 2012 at 10:27 AM



“ *Tulips and Pine was purchased for the family of Trooper Brenetta Anne Milhouse.*



December 07, 2012 at 08:17 AM



“ *Tulips and Pine was purchased for the family of Trooper Brenetta Anne Milhouse.*



December 07, 2012 at 08:16 AM



“ *Ive C Edwards Jr. lit a candle in memory of Trooper Brenetta Anne Milhouse*



Ive C Edwards Jr. - December 07, 2012 at 06:57 AM



Brenetta always had a beautiful smile that will be missed by all. My condolences and prayers to the family.

Ive C Edwards Jr. - December 07, 2012 at 07:01 AM



“ I would like to offer my sincere condolences to the entire FAMILY of Trooper B. Milhouse. I'm praying for you all during this most difficult time. I graduated with Harrell in 78 and attended Ferris State with Kenny. I know your hearts are heavy and know that our GOD is able to pull you through. Much love, Elvira (Elly) Jones-Chapman



Elvira Chapman - December 06, 2012 at 09:43 PM



“ Jule Busch lit a candle in memory of Trooper Brenetta Anne Milhouse



Jule Busch - December 06, 2012 at 02:19 PM



Girl...your infectious smile will be missed. You were taken from us too soon. Thoughts and prayers to your family.

Jule Busch - December 06, 2012 at 02:20 PM



“ Ellis D. "Bo" Stafford lit a candle in memory of Trooper Brenetta Anne Milhouse



Ellis D. "Bo" Stafford - December 06, 2012 at 01:03 PM

ED

For those of us that served with Brenetta, the Honor was truly ours. To the family, may GOD comfort you in your loss.

Ellis D. - December 06, 2012 at 01:06 PM

DA

“ Douglas And Gretta Snead Of Huntsville A lit a candle in memory of Trooper Brenetta Anne Milhouse



Douglas and Gretta Snead of Huntsville A - December 06, 2012 at 11:04 AM

CG

“ Craig Gray lit a candle in memory of Trooper Brenetta Anne Milhouse



Craig Gray - December 06, 2012 at 10:25 AM

KN

“ Kevin Nance lit a candle in memory of Trooper Brenetta Anne Milhouse



Kevin Nance - December 06, 2012 at 10:13 AM

KN

There are no words to soften the pain of the loss of a Loved One. There is only the comfort of knowing Brenetta is now with the Lord.

Kevin Nance - December 06, 2012 at 02:44 PM

MK

“ *Brenetta you will be missed with your warm smile and beautiful spirit. We were blessed to have know you.*

Mark Kellar

Mark Kellar - December 06, 2012 at 07:03 AM

VH

“ *Vanessa Hicks lit a candle in memory of Trooper Brenetta Anne Milhouse*



Vanessa Hicks - December 05, 2012 at 03:53 PM

CP

“ *Cerese Simpson Pennington lit a candle in memory of Trooper Brenetta Anne Milhouse*



Cerese Simpson Pennington - December 05, 2012 at 10:27 AM

CP

My sincere condolences and prayers to the family. Cherish, share and visit often the fond memories you have of Brenetta. Peace, love and blessings to you all. "Precious in the sight of the Lord is the death of His saints". Psalm 116:15

Cerese Simpson Pennington - December 05, 2012 at 10:31 AM

MG

To my fellow fallen troper YOU will be missed. Condolences to family.
Michael Green

michael green - December 06, 2012 at 06:32 AM

DC

Working with you as a Trooper was always a pleasure. You had a glowing smile and pleasant personality. Retired Trooper Dale Clarke, and fellow Wildcat, C/O 74.

Dale W. Clarke - December 06, 2012 at 08:58 AM