



## Mr. Charles Mardell Brown

April 24, 1957 - January 10, 2019

BROWN, Mr. Charles Mardell - Age 61, passed away Thursday, January 10, 2019 at Hurley Medical Center. Family hour 10:00 AM Friday, January 18, 2019 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with a memorial service commencing at 11:00 AM Min. Kenneth Gillard officiating. There will be no public viewing.

Mr. Charles Mardell Brown peacefully departed this earth and gained his wings on January 10, 2019. He was born on April 24th, 1957 to Cornelius and Williephine Brown in Durham, North Carolina. Charles was the oldest of four boys who were affectionally called the “four quarters” by their parents. He professed a hope and belief in Christ at an early age at Central Baptist Church in Flint, Michigan.

Charles married his wife and friend of 19yrs., Lashell Cross on April 12th, 1999. He attended Flint Community Schools and upon graduation enlisted in the United States Armed Forces where he proudly served as a United States Marine.

Charles enjoyed swimming and held an all-state record for two years in the free-style event for Emerson Junior High. He also loved fishing, watching anything sci-fi or the history channel and spending time with his family and friends. His love for learning, mentoring and children led to a 20-year career

as a Para-Educator for the Flint Board of Education before retiring in 2007.

Mr. Charles Mardell Brown will be sadly missed by: wife, Lashell; daughters, Charlotte Brown, both of Flint, and Tennett Brown of North Carolina; step-daughters, Shayla Cross and Myia Cross-Webb; step-sons, Dontae Bryant, Kimani Jackson, Nathaniel Taylor, Edward Taylor and Montel Cross, all of Flint; 41 grandchildren; brother, Willie Monroe Brown of Glendale, AZ; uncle, Ronald Brown of Sparrow Bush, NY; aunt, Gabriella Pilgrim of Huntington Station, NY; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends including special friend, Samuel Rutledge and special cousin, Cornell Brown.

Mr. Brown was preceded in death by his parents, Cornelius and Williephine Brown; brothers, Jiles and Cornelius Brown Jr.; brother-in-law, Bruce Cross; father and mother-in-law, Hershell (Mary) Cross.

The family would like to extend a special thank you to the staff of Davita Dialysis and Dr. Osama and to our family and friends thank you for the love, phone calls, prayers, support and every act of kindness extended to us during this time of bereavement. May God bless and keep you all.

# Previous Events

## Family hour

JAN 18. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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

## Memorial Service

JAN 18. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Charles Mardell Brown*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *My daddy I Miss and love you!!! Continue to watch over me!!*

**Tennett Y.Brown-Helms** - August 30, 2023 at 10:57 PM



“ *Michelle Y. Hunter lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Mardell Brown*



**Michelle Y. Hunter** - January 18, 2019 at 08:08 PM



“ *Debra A Miller lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Mardell Brown*



**Debra A Miller** - January 18, 2019 at 12:01 PM

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“ *Mrs. Joyce (Cooley)Newton lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Mardell Brown*



Mrs. Joyce (Cooley)Newton - January 18, 2019 at 11:42 AM

SF

“ *Sis.Wilson & First New Life Church Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mr. Charles Mardell Brown.*



Sis.Wilson & First New Life Church Family - January 18, 2019 at 07:16 AM



“ *I remember the time we spent together laughing and talking at momma's house. Watching you enjoy us kids and grandkids. You will truly be missed. R. I. H*



Lashawn Flourry - January 18, 2019 at 01:52 AM



“ 53 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home** - January 17, 2019 at 08:54 AM

LW

“ *Lawrence & Karia White lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Mardell Brown*



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**Lawrence & Karia White** - January 16, 2019 at 12:17 PM

AP

“ *Anna Kelley Pinnix lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Mardell Brown*



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**Anna Kelley Pinnix** - January 15, 2019 at 10:41 PM

SH

“ *Sondra Huddleston lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Mardell Brown*



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**Sondra Huddleston** - January 14, 2019 at 11:15 PM

HG

“ *Henry And Gwendolyn Gaines lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Mardell Brown*



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**Henry and Gwendolyn Gaines** - January 14, 2019 at 04:40 PM

YC

“ *Yolonda Cross lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Mardell Brown*



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**Yolonda Cross** - January 14, 2019 at 08:25 AM

CB

“ *Charlotte Brown lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Mardell Brown*



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**Charlotte Brown** - January 13, 2019 at 02:11 PM



“ *ReGina Adams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Mardell Brown*



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**ReGina Adams** - January 13, 2019 at 12:51 AM



“ *MINISTER PAM lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Mardell Brown*



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**MINISTER PAM** - January 11, 2019 at 08:13 AM



“ *Charles was my bro in law ..good guy had a lot of fun..RIH my friend*

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**Ms Fredricka Cross** - January 11, 2019 at 02:07 AM



“ *Ms Fredricka Cross lit a candle in memory of Mr. Charles Mardell Brown*



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**Ms Fredricka Cross** - January 11, 2019 at 02:05 AM