



Pastor Charles Edward Brown

September 18, 1951 - April 10, 2020

BROWN, Pastor Charles Edward - Age 68, passed away Friday., April 10, 2020 at Hurley Medical Center. Family hour 10:30 AM Saturday, April 18, 2020 at Adams Memorial C.O.G.I.C., G-5230 Detroit St., with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM Supt. Victor Adams, officiating. Interment Great Lakes National Cemetery, G-4200 Belford Rd., Holly, MI. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10:30 AM Saturday. Pastor Brown will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM Friday.

Pastor Charles Edward Brown Sr. was born September 18, 1951 in Pine Bluff, Arkansas, the son of Flossie Lee Wade and Leon Hannah. Pastor Brown was a resident of Mt. Morris, MI. He was the Pastor of Greater Mt. Zion Church Of God In Christ. Pastor Brown graduated from Townsend Park High School, "Class of 1969." He served in the United States Navy for 2 1/2 years. Pastor Brown was retired from General Motors Corporation. He loved basketball, boxing, Family Feud, Sunday School and had a great passion for singing and reading. Pastor Brown also loved preaching the word, his family and spending time with his grandchildren. Elder Brown lived up the name of "Charlie Brown". He was known for his Tribe, his stylish shades and his humor.

Pastor Charles Edward Brown Sr. leaves to cherish his memory: loving wife of 46 years, Angelita Dolores Brown of Mt. Morris, MI; 4 daughters and 8 sons,

Laschira (Deltorro) Ramirez-Branch of Cincinnati, OH, Charles (Pamela) Brown Jr., Devon Brown Sr., all of Mt. Morris, MI, Kevin Brown Sr. of Atlanta, GA, Joseph (Marilyn) Brown of Flint, Micah (Tonya) Brown Sr., Teesa (Eric) Jones, all of Mt. Morris, MI, Tia (Devonte) Barnes of Burton, MI, Jarell (JaTaye) Brown Sr. of Saginaw, MI, Darell Brown Sr. of Mt. Morris, MI, Jerrod (Alayna) Brown and Angelita Brown of Atlanta, GA; 59 grandchildren; 47 great-grandchildren; step-mother, Claudia Hannah; 7 sisters, Jannette Brown of Little Rock, AR, Janice James of Pine Bluff, AR, Carolyn (Kenneth) Murry of Houston, TX, Flora Hannah, Dora Hannah, both of Seattle, WA, Darlynda Hardnett of Flint and Stacey (Gerron) Haynes of Mt. Morris, MI; 5 brothers, Joseph (Nina) Brown of Pine Bluff, AR, Bobby Dandridge Jr. of Houston, TX, Robert (Rebecca) Hannah of Nevada, Garry Hardnett and Darryl Hardnett, both of Flint; a host of nieces and nephews; 2 aunts, Dorsella Reynolds of Georgia and Bettye Jean Harris of Flint; uncle, George (Jean) Hannah Sr. of Mt. Morris, MI; 2 sisters-in-law, Sharron Haynes of Cincinnati, OH and Rhonda (William) Johnson; 2 brothers-in-law, Leo (Charlotte) Napier, all of Flint and Antonio Ramirez; best friend, Supt. Victor Adams Sr.; a host of other relatives and friends including special friends, Cleveland Gayle, Elder Robert Parrish, Pastor Larry Joe Taylor, members of his singing group, Pastors United, Charmeeeka Brown, Kiaundra Golden and Real Life Ministries.

Pastor Brown was preceded in death by his 3 heavenly grandchildren; 2 heavenly great-grandchildren; parents, Flossie Lee Wade and Leon Hannah; mother-in-law, Hazel Ramirez; father-in-law, Phillip Ramirez; brother, Eddie Hardnett; god-son, Leroy Batson.

The family would like to express special thanks to Verena Simms, Jennifer Johnson, Shinn Douglas, Pam Brown, Theresa McNamara, the Willingham's, Pastor & 1st Lady Britton, Christine Robinson, El Shaddai Ministries, Pastor & 1st Lady Parrish, Pastor Leslie Lee, Shontae Smith, The Blessing's Are Real, Cassandra Earnest, Depend on Christ Donations, Jeremy Wright, Lorenzo

Nevels, Sam's Club, Shaumonte Cooper, Bishop Henderson, Anthony Vigil,
The Beecher Community, Marvin Downs, Andre & Roshanda Womach,
Dakota, Quan & Shanise Ollie and Kendra Howard.

Cemetery Details

Great Lakes National Cemetery

G-4200 Belford Rd.
Holly, MI 48442

Previous Events

Public Viewing

APR 17. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (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>

Family hour

APR 18. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Adams Memorial C.O.G.I.C.
G-5230 Detroit St.
Flint, MI 48505
(810) 789-4977

Service

APR 18. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Pastor Charles Edward Brown*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Lois A Cunningham lit a candle in memory of Pastor Charles Edward Brown*



Lois A Cunningham - April 26, 2020 at 04:49 PM



“ *Debra Davis lit a candle in memory of Pastor Charles Edward Brown*



Debra Davis - April 25, 2020 at 09:25 AM



“ *Daddy Brown i will miss you walking down to my house singing and praying early in the morning love you always* ❤️❤️❤️❤️

verena sims - April 20, 2020 at 09:20 AM

JB

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Jarell Brown - April 20, 2020 at 05:20 AM

DL

“ I am sorry for your loss. I did not personally know Pastor Charles Brown, tho' somewhat through his son, Pastor Kevin Brown... so I assume the "TREE" was great! Time will ease your hearts. May God be with you.

With Love for all,

Denise Lang and Family



Denise Lang - April 19, 2020 at 02:19 PM

DH

“ Prayers go out to the family.

DeQuan Hodge - April 19, 2020 at 09:32 AM

CB

“ Praying for the family

Corlonda Bowman-Williams - April 18, 2020 at 10:46 AM

KR

“ *God bless the entire family*



Karen Russell-Woods - April 18, 2020 at 10:03 AM

BF

My condolences to the family God Bless you all !! 😭😭

Barbara Fears - April 21, 2020 at 11:18 PM

 Sylvia
McPherso

“ *Our family always had a lot of laughter when our dear cousin came around. He joked with us, always ate with us and never stopped saying how much he loved his family! We are all going to miss you Charlie Brown! May you rest in love!*



Sylvia McPherson - April 18, 2020 at 09:09 AM

RH

“ *I'm sorry not to be with you. My family will always remember our last phone call. I shared it with Angie and we laughed. Only you could make her laugh with joy. Love your*

*Brother
Anthony*

Robert Hannah - April 18, 2020 at 12:02 AM

TW

“ Tamora Watson lit a candle in memory of Pastor Charles Edward Brown



Tamora Watson - April 17, 2020 at 09:11 PM

PG

“ Perry Gardner lit a candle in memory of Pastor Charles Edward Brown



Perry Gardner - April 17, 2020 at 08:38 PM

CM

“ This is a picture of our last time together, summer of 2018 Houston, TX. He kept us in stitches, as usual. Peace be the journey Brother Dear.



Carolyn Brown Murry - April 17, 2020 at 06:32 PM

JC

“ We always shared a song. I loved hearing him sing. He smiled and sang more than people say I do. I will truly miss him. 😞😞 RIH Pastor Brown.

J. Carrigan - April 17, 2020 at 06:20 PM



“ When I was a teenager Me and Charles was about to take our mother out for lunch and while waiting for mom to come out the house, little bro(me "Bobby)' tried to catch him off guard and wrestle him while he was talking to me cracking jokes and Boy, did I have a unexpected surprise awaiting for me.. he body slammed me flat on my back in the mud while we were about to leave.. LOL.. my whole backside was full of mud from head to toe with my new shirt and shoes and curl(80's thing, lol).. I was so mad cause of the new stuff and felt he didn't have to slam in the mud cause it was grass where we was wrestling at but I brought it on myself trying to show lil bro not little no mo.. boy was I wrong.. LOL..

*Did y'all know he can make jokes about you singing to you.. He was very fun loving, center of the family attention and the glue to his southern family!! It's going to be hard adjusting to our lost. The family going to miss you soooo much Big bro!! Love you man!
Bobby Dandridge (brother)*

Bobby Dandridge II - April 17, 2020 at 04:06 PM



“ Fruit Abounds was purchased for the family of Pastor Charles Edward Brown.



April 17, 2020 at 03:12 PM

PO

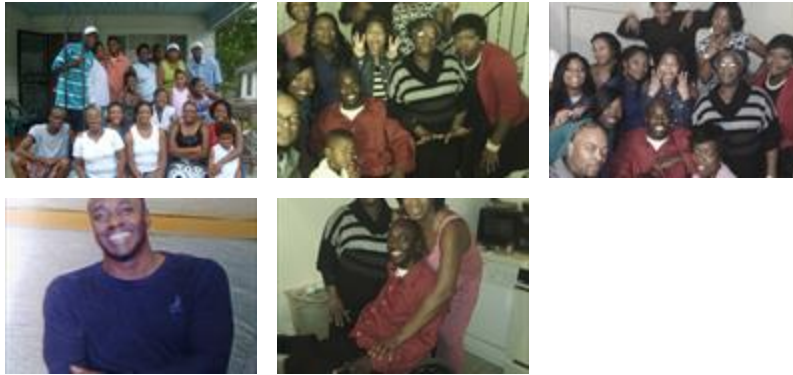
“ Remember brien up with their older kids. Though i don't have many memories with the dad, I do remember he was always so nice to us! Sorry to hear of his passing, but now we have to believe he's worth the One he lived the most. The very one he dedicated his life to serving. Hope that truth will bring you all comfort. God bless all of you!



Poppy - April 17, 2020 at 02:58 PM



“ 7 files added to the album Down South Family



Bobby Dandridge II - April 17, 2020 at 02:53 PM

MS

“ Marina Smith lit a candle in memory of Pastor Charles Edward Brown



Marina Smith - April 17, 2020 at 02:15 PM

LM

“ I only got to was around for a short period of time but you and your family left a lasting impression!! May you rest peaceful and my prayers go out to the Brown family!

lakeisha mitchell - April 17, 2020 at 12:02 PM

KW

“ Keywana Wright lit a candle in memory of Pastor Charles Edward Brown



Keywana Wright - April 17, 2020 at 10:36 AM

MB

“ I love you Dad... You always made me smile... I miss you dearly



Marilyn Brown - April 17, 2020 at 10:06 AM

HO

“ To the Brown Family stay encouraged during these hard times. Know that he is no longer suffering. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. A childhood friend. Sincerely Mrs. Horton

Horton - April 17, 2020 at 06:54 AM

AS

To My Family I can't believe this day came here for us but God is Able and He will see us through.. I Love ya And I'm Praying and Fasting daily God will take Us Through...Just Trust Him 🙏🙏 FOREVER REST GODDADDY❤️❤️🙏 LOVE MEECH

Armetris Skinner - April 17, 2020 at 12:18 PM

SC

Brown family sorry for your loss. May GOD keep you in his arms during this time. Flint as well as yourself has lost a Heroic Angel. Mr. Brown was nice God-fearing man. Stay strong and know he's going to be with you at all times. Sending heartfelt hugs and kisses. Love you all.

Seun Campbell - April 17, 2020 at 05:27 PM

DP

“ I send my deepest condolences to the entire Brown family. Mr Brown was one of a kind and really had a heart for people. May the comfort of our Heavenly Father be all that you need in this most difficult time. I'm praying for you all.



Doris Holmes Peat - April 16, 2020 at 11:36 PM

JP

“ Jackie Perkins lit a candle in memory of Pastor Charles Edward Brown



Jackie Perkins - April 16, 2020 at 11:27 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Pastor Charles Edward Brown.*



April 16, 2020 at 10:02 AM



“ *Love Real Life Ministries purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Pastor Charles Edward Brown.*



Love Real Life Ministries - April 16, 2020 at 08:23 AM



“ *Lynn lit a candle in memory of Pastor Charles Edward Brown*



Lynn - April 15, 2020 at 01:45 PM



“ *Patricia McMurtrey lit a candle in memory of Pastor Charles Edward Brown*



Patricia McMurtrey - April 14, 2020 at 11:49 AM

BL

“ *Great man of God. Love God love his peoples. Praying for his family.* ”



Barbara Lakes - April 13, 2020 at 06:08 PM

DB

“ *Rest In Peace Mr.Brown* ”



Diana Boler - April 12, 2020 at 11:12 PM

JK

“ *Jesse Kirksey lit a candle in memory of Pastor Charles Edward Brown* ”



Jesse Kirksey - April 12, 2020 at 10:51 PM

SP

“ *Shawnie Powell lit a candle in memory of Pastor Charles Edward Brown* ”



Shawnie Powell - April 12, 2020 at 09:02 PM

WJ

“ *William Johnson lit a candle in memory of Pastor Charles Edward Brown*



William Johnson - April 12, 2020 at 01:31 PM

JT

“ *John Taylor lit a candle in memory of Pastor Charles Edward Brown*



John Taylor - April 12, 2020 at 10:41 AM

BW

“ *Pastor Brown was a multi faceted man. Singing, Preaching, comedy. Above all he professed the LORD JESUS CHRIST as his savior. 'When we all get to Heaven what a day of rejoicing that will be!'*

Bennie Williams - April 11, 2020 at 09:25 PM

FA

“ *Faye sent a virtual gift in memory of Pastor Charles Edward Brown*



Faye - April 11, 2020 at 05:58 PM

LB

“ Sending prayers to family❤️



Lois Bell - April 11, 2020 at 08:05 AM

MB

“ Madeline Brown lit a candle in memory of Pastor Charles Edward Brown



Madeline Brown - April 11, 2020 at 03:48 AM

MB

“ To the Brown Family I love you all so much ❤️ You have our deepest sympathy. Love Madeline and Larry Brown

Madeline Brown - April 11, 2020 at 03:47 AM

DP

“ Pastor Angie Brown , You have my deepest sympathy praying for the family it's just so hard to process praying for the family



Dorothy Parrish - April 10, 2020 at 10:58 PM

TP

“ *Teneya Parrish lit a candle in memory of Pastor Charles Edward Brown*



Teneya Parrish - April 10, 2020 at 10:12 PM

DI

“ *Sending my condolences to the Brown family. He was was an awesome man of God and a great singer in his own right. Praying for the family in this time*

Dicy - April 10, 2020 at 08:05 PM

LG

“ *LaDedra Graham lit a candle in memory of Pastor Charles Edward Brown*



LaDedra Graham - April 10, 2020 at 07:39 PM