



Charles Harper

December 27, 1920 - September 20, 2008

HARPER, Mr. Charles Edward - Age 87, passed away Saturday, September 20, 2008 at Genesys Health Park. Family hour 1PM Saturday, September 27, 2008 at Metropolitan Baptist Tabernacle, 930 E. Myrtle Ave., with funeral service commencing at 2PM, Pastor James O. Flowers officiating. Interment Gracelawn Community Cemetery, G-5710 N. Saginaw St. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 1PM Saturday. Mr. Harper will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 1PM-8PM Friday. Mr. Charles Edward Harper was born December 27, 1920 in Memphis, Tennessee, the son of Charlie E. Harper and Mozella Davis. He was a resident of Flint and a member of Metropolitan Baptist Tabernacle. Mr. Harper worked for Chevrolet Metal Fab for 32 years retiring in 1980 and was a member of UAW Local #659. He leaves to cherish his memory: devoted daughter, Evangelist Ruth Harper (James Johnson), Nina Faye Motley; grandchildren, Alonzo Wright, Mr. & Mrs. Tangetta (Minister Ian) Cox, Mr. & Mrs. Jessica (Anthony) Smith and Damian Perkins; great grandchildren, Quinton Charles Sykes, Amyra Ada Lynn Perkins, Anthony Terrell Smith, Isaiah Jamal Smith, Dorian Edward-Lewis Cox, Saraya Ann Marie Perkin, Laurin Wright and Raphael Wright. Mr. Harper was preceded in death by his wife, Ada Ruth Harper; son, Edward Charles Harper; parents, Charlie and Mozell Harper; 1 sister and 1 brother. The family would like to express special thanks to Genesys Intensive Care Unit and nursing staff, Metropolitan Baptist Tabernacle, Family Worship Center

International, Victorious Believers Ministries, Refuge Temple, North Star
Missionary Baptist Church and the Johnson family.

Tribute Wall



“ *Charles Harper*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Uncle Chas,*

For so many years you've been the standard bearer for our family(s). You probably could'nt get credit for the phrase 'don't take no wooden nickels'. but you get all credit from me for making sure that I knew what the saying ment. Having lost my son and my uncle in a two week span, I can't remember a period I've ever been so down. But, as I take the Lords promise into my heart and go forth, I'll be strengten and encouraged knowing that one day we'll see each other again. I have no doubt that the 'lil boy' will be kicking higher than ever. I'll miss you and forever love you. On behalf of myself, Dee Dee, Briana, Devon (Jesse)and Emmanuel Mortensen, the Levi Talley family of Holly Springs, Miss. our deepest condolences to my cousin Diane and to Jessica, Damian and their families.

Joey Harper - September 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Diane my prayers are with you and your family in you time of need.*

God Bless

Kimberly Brown-Coakley - September 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ I know i was not always there but the times i was there was very memerable! I will miss your gracefull smile and laugh! i will always remember you and grandma said this is just a prepairing place!

alonzo wright - September 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ Mr Harper was a very special kind of person. I'll never forget his laugh. He made my sons and I feel like we were his family. I thank God for meeting one of his angels here on earth.

To Diane: Your dad is gone but not forgotten. He will always be with you, that is the type of love he showed for you.

Karren A. Sterling - September 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM