



Mr. Coleman Brown Jr.

July 25, 1948 - February 19, 2025

BROWN Jr, Mr. Coleman, AGE - 76, passed away Wednesday, February 19, 2025, at Medilodge of Grand Blanc. Family hour 10:00 AM Friday, March 7, 2025, from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral services commencing at 11:00 AM. Interment Great Lakes National Cemetery. G-4200 Belford Rd., Holly, MI. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the funeral home 10:00 AM Friday. Mr. Brown will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home and may be viewed from 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM Thursday, March 6, 2025, with family present from 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM to receive friends. Time to be Born: Coleman Brown Jr. was born on July 25, 1948 in Jonesville, Louisiana, the son of Sally (Coleman Sr.) Brown. A Time to Die: Coleman made his transition February 19, 2025 at Medilodge of Grand Blanc. A Time to Love: Coleman married his longtime companion of 48 years, Carolyn Cobbin. A Time to Plant: Coleman was a graduate of Block High School, "Class of 1966." in Jonesville, LA. After high school he moved to Flint, Michigan in 1967 and was employed by Buick Motor Company, a division of General Motors Corporation. He was later drafted into the United States Marine Corps on February 27, 1969. His combat duties consisted of 0311 "Infantry". Coleman was awarded numerous metals and awards for his achievements while serving his country. He was an outstanding Marine and was Honorably Discharged on February 27, 1973. Coleman decided to further his education and attended Detroit College of Business in Flint. He received an Associate Degree in General Management on

September 23, 1976 and a Bachelor Degree in Business Administration on December 15, 1978. Coleman retired from General Motors in Saginaw, MI as a Skilled Trade Electrician in 2009 after 42 years of service. Coleman was the true definition of a patriarch within his family and extended family union. His loving and selfless demeanor was so unique and rare to meet someone of his caliber within a lifetime is to consider yourself blessed. He will always be remembered for his passion and his hospitality. He loved to cook and showered people with his endless meals. His most precious gift was being a loving husband, father, brother, uncle, grandpa, son, great-grandpa and friend. A Time to Mourn: Coleman Brown Jr. leaves behind: wife, Carolyn Brown; daughters, Paula Bowman of Jonesville, LA, Wendy (Carlos) Conner, Kalia Brown and Janeque Brown; sons, Maurice Hutchinson and Jemari Brown, all of Flint; grandsons, DeVante Johnson of Jonesville, LA, Monta Cobbin of Los Angeles, CA, Jakai Isom, Makai Conner, Khalil Fleming and Traylin Hutchinson, all of Flint; granddaughters, Mylaica (Williearl) Henry of Douglasville, GA, Terrionna McKellar of Los Angeles, CA, Kerria Brown, Tionna McKellar, Shyuanna Hutchinson, Janiyah Harvell, all of Flint; great-grandchildren, Saniya Johnson, Aubree Sawyers, Liam Williams, Yara Henry, Willie Earl Henry III and Devonta Jr.; sisters, Ethel (Allan) Brown Moody of McDonough, GA , Rachel (Lewis) Brown and Louella (Lewis) Brown Harris; brother, Charles (Cynthia Anderson) Brown, all of Los Angeles, CA; 3 brothers-in-law, Micheal (Patti) Cobbin, Jacque (Renee) Cobbin and Floyd (Willie) Cobbin, all of Flint; a host of other relatives and friends including special friends, Roy Shavers, Alisha Fagan, Rita Fagan, Mertis (Van) Coleman, Ernestine Rice and Shirley (Wallace) Hill, all of Flint, Chaster Sules, Morris Massey and Nancine Jackson. Coleman was preceded in death by his daughter, Shonda Cobbin; parents, Sally (Coleman Sr.) Brown; sister, Betty Mae Brown; brothers, Roy Brown, Bobby Brown and Willie Brown; nephews, Charles Brown Jr. and Roger Brown; closest childhood friends, Dallas Fagan and Wilbert Pollard.

Cemetery Details

Great Lakes National Cemetery

G-4200 Belford Rd.
Holly, MI 48442

Previous Events

Public Viewing

MAR 6. 12:00 PM - 6:00 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 Present

MAR 6. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Mr. Coleman Brown Jr.* ”



Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home - March 07, 2025 at 10:37 AM



“ *Tanya Turner lit a candle in memory of Mr. Coleman Brown Jr.* ”



Tanya Turner - March 10, 2025 at 10:57 AM



“ *Edwin Barber lit a candle in memory of Mr. Coleman Brown Jr.* ”



Edwin Barber - March 07, 2025 at 03:04 PM

PC

“ Pamela Carpenter lit a candle in memory of Coleman Brown Jr.



Pamela Carpenter - March 07, 2025 at 07:43 AM

SM

“ Stephanie & Mason purchased the Garden Accent - A heart of gold stopped beating... for the family of Mr. Coleman Brown Jr..



Stephanie & Mason - March 06, 2025 at 06:52 PM

SC

“ Safiyah, Brian, & Curtis purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mr. Coleman Brown Jr..



Safiyah, Brian, & Curtis - March 06, 2025 at 06:28 PM



“ Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Coleman Brown Jr..



March 05, 2025 at 09:19 PM

TF

“ *Thumb Correctional Facility purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mr. Coleman Brown Jr..*



Thumb Correctional Facility - March 05, 2025 at 07:55 PM

EB

“ *Edwin Barber lit a candle in memory of Coleman Brown Jr.*



Edwin Barber - March 03, 2025 at 10:59 PM

RL

“ *RALPH and ELAINE LUSANE sent a virtual gift in memory of Coleman Brown Jr.*



RALPH and ELAINE LUSANE - March 03, 2025 at 09:43 PM

DG

“ *Denise Green lit a candle in memory of Mr. Coleman Brown Jr.*



Denise Green - March 03, 2025 at 03:18 PM

AB

“ *Angela Blanks lit a candle in memory of Mr. Coleman Brown Jr.*



Angela Blanks - March 03, 2025 at 11:55 AM

GK

“ *So sorry to hear of passing of my "good friend: and "work partner" as we worked together at Buick 36 for many years. He will be missed by many. RIP in peace as you was always a great guy.*

Gene Klabak - March 02, 2025 at 11:12 AM

JB

“ *Sorry to hear of his passing worked eith Coleman for many years at Buick and then Saginaw metal castings*

Jerry Brock - March 02, 2025 at 08:30 AM

DC

*Brock you and Coleman were 2 of my favorites..
Hope you're doing well..
Rest in peace Brother Coleman Brown 🙏*

Danny B Cabine - March 04, 2025 at 05:47 PM

DC

Brock,Chester and Coleman.. never forgotten 🙏

Danny B Cabine - March 04, 2025 at 05:48 PM



“ Thankful for our time with Papa Brown we were childhood friends of his children. I'm thankful for Mr. Brown in my life he show me what a real father was. Standing on business always good bad and with integrity. Continued love and prayers to your family during this time.



Katrina Crater - March 01, 2025 at 12:41 PM

RT

“ Rose Topps lit a candle in memory of Mr. Coleman Brown Jr.



Rose Topps - February 28, 2025 at 08:49 PM

MM

“ Sorry to hear about the passing of my friend Colman . We worked together at GM we were both on Skill Trade. We both served time in Viet Nam. I'm going to miss my friend Colman. He was always in good spirit . Sleep on my friend see you in the morning.

Morris Massey - February 26, 2025 at 08:05 PM

OC

“ Prayers and thoughts to the entire family.



ORA CARTER - February 25, 2025 at 10:18 AM

ST

“ *SHIRLEY TREADWELL lit a candle in memory of Mr. Coleman Brown Jr.*



SHIRLEY TREADWELL - February 24, 2025 at 11:37 PM

TW

“ *Tamika Washington lit a candle in memory of Mr. Coleman Brown Jr.*



Tamika Washington - February 24, 2025 at 08:58 PM

PP

“ *PJ Pointer lit a candle in memory of Mr. Coleman Brown Jr.*



PJ Pointer - February 24, 2025 at 08:41 AM

GL

“ *Our Heartfelt Love and Prayers to the Family.*



Gene,Freda Leverette - February 24, 2025 at 12:47 AM

AD

“ We are sending deepest sympathies and condolences.

Anika Davidson - February 23, 2025 at 10:49 PM

CF

“ Cindy Fisher lit a candle in memory of Mr. Coleman Brown Jr.



Cindy Fisher - February 23, 2025 at 06:54 PM

MH

“ Michele Hawkins sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Coleman Brown Jr.



Michele Hawkins - February 23, 2025 at 09:59 AM

KR

“ Kelvin (Natalie) Robinson lit a candle in memory of Coleman Brown Jr.



Kelvin (Natalie) Robinson - February 22, 2025 at 03:48 PM

BA

“ Rest In Eternal Paradise, Unc! 🙏🙏🙏💙

Barbara Ann - February 22, 2025 at 03:13 PM

KB

“ *Karla Bowen lit a candle in memory of Coleman Brown Jr.*



Karla Bowen - February 22, 2025 at 12:53 PM



“ *My condolences to the family, you are all in my prayers*❤❤



Iesha Evans - February 22, 2025 at 12:41 PM

BS

“ *Our sincere condolences to the families of Coleman Brown Jr. May God comfort and strengthen you during this difficult time. Sorry we want be able to be there with you.*



Brady&Faye L Smith - February 22, 2025 at 12:18 PM

MM

“ *Mary McGee lit a candle in memory of Coleman Brown Jr.*



Mary McGee - February 21, 2025 at 04:22 PM

BW

My prayers and condolences are with the Brown family. Coleman was a true friend of mine. We all are going to miss him telling us about his tour of duty in Vietnam. He was a great husband, father, son, Marine, and man of God. Rest in Heaven until we meet again.

Ben Wilkerson - February 21, 2025 at 07:37 PM

OG

“ *Ondria Gillespie lit a candle in memory of Mr. Coleman Brown Jr.*



Ondria Gillespie - February 20, 2025 at 04:04 PM

OG

“ *My condolences to the Coleman family Carolyn iam keep you lifted up in prayer!*

Ondria Gillespie - February 20, 2025 at 04:02 PM

BA

“ *You have our deepest, sympathies, prayers and condolences!* ❤️🙏



Brenda Anderson - February 19, 2025 at 08:52 PM

DB

“ TO THE BROWN FAMILY SO VERY SORRY THE PASSING OF A HUSBAND FATHER SON OUR PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU IN YOUR TIME OF NEED. DEE DEE BRIDGES. AND. TISDALE FAMILY



Denise Bridges - February 19, 2025 at 05:46 PM

JH

“ To our beloved friends;
We are so sorry to hear of Brown's passing.
You all have our love, prayers and sincere
condolences.
Jimmy and Carolyn



James and Carolyn Hudson - February 19, 2025 at 02:10 PM

NJ

“ Nancine Jackson sent a virtual gift in memory
of Coleman Brown Jr.



Nancine Jackson - February 19, 2025 at 12:03 PM

MG

“ R.I.H Coleman you will truly be missed by all
of the people lives that you have touched



Marshall Green - February 19, 2025 at 11:40 AM

MM

“ *Mary McGee lit a candle in memory of Coleman Brown Jr.*



Mary McGee - February 19, 2025 at 10:47 AM

SP

“ *Sandra Payne lit a candle in memory of Mr. Coleman Brown Jr.*



Sandra Payne - February 19, 2025 at 10:03 AM