



Corey Ford

February 27, 1977 - March 23, 2008

FORD, Mr. Corey - Age 31, passed away Sunday, March 23, 2008 at McLaren Regional Medical Center. Family hour 12NOON Saturday, March 29, 2008 at Antioch Missionary Baptist Church, 1083 E. Stewart Ave., with funeral service commencing at 1PM, Pastor Archie Powell, Jr., officiating, Rev. Lewis Randolph, Host Pastor, and Rev. Raleigh Ford, Jr., Presiding. Interment River Rest Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 12NOON Saturday. Mr. Ford 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. Corey LaVar Ford was born February 27, 1977 the youngest son of Joseph C. and Wilma Ford. He accepted Christ at an early age under the leadership of Rev. Archie Powell, Sr. Corey was a graduate of Genesee Christian High School and also attended Mott College. He worked various jobs, most recently laid off from General Motors. Corey was a very open hearted, caring person whose friendly comical nature will be greatly missed. He was an avid sports fan with a great love for football and basketball. Mr. Corey LaVar Ford leaves to cherish his memory: parents, Joseph and Wilma Ford; brother, Brian Ford; nephews, Bryan and Ryan Ford; caring and loving fiancée, Karen Bessey; 1 great uncle of Louisiana; 2 great aunts of Michigan; extended family the Callaways (big sister, Arnette); special cousin, Linda Adams, a host of special aunts, uncles, cousin and friends, including Mike, Joe, Kurt, De-Lim and the whole Sharky's crew. Mr. Ford was preceded in death by his grandparents. The family would like to express

special thanks to McLaren Regional Medical Center 6th floor C.C.U. Staff, Dr. Reyes, Dr. Fredrick Van Duyne & Dr. Tummala, First Union Missionary Baptist Church family and Rev. Archie Powell, Jr., Antioch Baptist Church family and Rev. Lewis Randolph. We thank all clergymen who prayed for Corey. In lieu of flowers contributions can be made to the Guillain-Barre Society in Memory of Corey Ford.

Tribute Wall



“ Corey Ford

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ Corey-
*Who can forget watching The Sopranos on Sunday nights with the group at our house on Hills Street, hanging out at Sharky's, and playing Texas Hold'em. You were always there with a smile on your face and a laugh in your heart.
We will forever be grateful for having been given the chance to call you friend.
Much love forever,
Josh and Gretchen Golladay*

Josh and Gretchen Golladay - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ Corey,

Even though we had lost contact over the last several years, I'll never forget the countless games we watched, trips to Arby's after class at Mott, and just hangin out at the apartment. I'll miss you man.

Tom

Tom Jones - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ To the Ford Family

I pray that God will comfort you in this time of sorrow. Corey will be missed and I am sorry that I will not be able to comfort you all personally.

I love you all

DELIM JAMAR WELLS - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ To JC, Wilma, and Brian

Know that we have been in prayer for your family daily. We love you and feel the pain, sorrow and grief you feel today. We pray that the Holy Spirit surrounds you and comforts you.

I know that Corey will live on in your hearts and that the memories of joyful times will keep your spirits uplifted.

We love you and will continue to pray for you.

Chico and Sug

Chico & Sylvia Swinton - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ Now may our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our Father, who loved us and through grace gave us eternal comfort and good hope, comfort your hearts and strengthen them in every good work and word.??2 Thessalonians 2:16-17

SGT. James & Alicia(Henderson) Stephens - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ William, Brian and JC,

*I love you and you as well as Corey are in my prayers.
I have so many good memories of your family and mine. I spent so
many fun times and ate so many wonderful meals at your home,
that I can't even count them all.*

*The funny memories I have of Corey, over shadow any sadness I
feel right now. God has him now, so he is in good hands.*

I love yall, Jan

Jan Callaway - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SO

“ Corey I am going to miss you brother. Even though I am overseas
my heart is home with you and your family. I will never forget the
laughter and big smiles that we shared. To the Ford family you are
in my thoughts and prayers God Bless you.

SGT Carmon O'Dell - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ Our prayer and thought are with you and your family.

Mrs. Lillian Henderson - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TW

“ May God Bless All of you in time of sorrow.
Remember Cory is in a better place, where we all will meet together,
someday.

*my sympathy truly,
Tanya Woodson & family*

Tanya Woodson - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ I was so sorry to hear that we lost Corey, but am glad for him that he is in the arms of our Lord. There are so many wonderful stories of Corey that come to mind from school...from the time he leaped frogged over the podium in the classroom, to watching him play ball, to the many times he spent at our home talking and sharing. My thoughts and prayers are with his family and friends.

Traci Hobolth Hopper - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ Corey, We have been getting in trouble with each other since elementary. You will be greatly missed. I will never forget pushing your chevette out of the ditch, on I69, on our way to the soccer game. Danny Chapman's dad chewed us out for that one. Many great memories!!

Scott Burch - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

SA

“ Our prayers to J.C., Wilma, and Brian. Although family does not get a chance to see one another as much as we may like, you are always in our thoughts. God Bless you all.
Love Sheila

Sheila Abraham-Drake - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

LJ

“ To the family, keep your head up and know that god is always there when you need him. You will be in my prayers

~God Bless~

Sharee

LaShonda Jones - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ I would like to say that my prayers go out to the family from Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church and Shiloh Commons Townhomes.

Ms. Lori Hill - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JO

“ To the family of Corey Ford I send my deepest sorrow. I hope you know the bible promises about our loved ones sleeping in death. One promise is that there will be an awakening (or resurrection) according to the bible book of John chapter 5, verse 28 & 29. Yes, they will live again! They will be put back here on a then cleaned up earth (Psalms 37:9-11,29) to live forever with their families. Our Father, Jehovah (Exodus 6:3) will use his son, Jesus to fulfill these and other bible promises. Please take a few minutes to look up the scriptures listed above and receive the comfort that only God can give. A neighbor

joyce - March 23, 2008 at 12:00 AM