



## Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.

September 7, 1949 - August 19, 2021

HAWKINS, Mr. Courtney, Sr. - Age 71, passed away Thursday, August 19, 2021 at McLaren-Flint. Family hour 10:00 AM Tuesday, August 31, 2021 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM Pastor Kenneth L. Stewart, officiating. Interment Great Lakes National Cemetery, G-4200 Belford Rd., Holly, MI. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the funeral home 10:00 AM Tuesday. Mr. Hawkins will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home and may be viewed from 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM Monday with family present from 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM to receive friends.

Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr. was born September 7, 1949 in Flint, Michigan, the son of Helen A. Wilson and Williams Hawkins Jr. Courtney was raised in Flint and attended Flint Public Schools, graduating from Flint Northern High School, "Class of 1967." He was baptized as a child at House of Prayer Missionary Baptist Church. After graduating high school he was drafted into the United States Army where he received 2 medals of honor and was later released with an Honorable Discharge. Courtney was also recognized by The Flint Journal in 2005 for saving a young girl from a burning house. He was employed at Bay Industries until his retirement. Courtney, known to many as "Hawk", enjoyed watching sports on TV, especially football, playing horseshoes and sitting on the porch on Baker Street with family and friends having a good time. He also enjoyed attending his son and grandkids sporting

events. Courtney will be greatly missed.

Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr. leaves to cherish his memory: daughter, Mrs. Tondalaya (Tyrone) Southward of Flint; son, Mr. Courtney (Candace) Hawkins Jr. of Lansing, MI; step-daughter, Mrs. Latrina (Jim) Willingham of Flint; 17 grandchildren; 7 great-grandchildren; 4 sisters, Mrs. Ava (Sterling) Murry of Burton, MI, Ms. Lisa Davis Herron of Apple Valley, MN, Ms. Shawn Hawkins of Lafayette, GA and Ms. Qutenna Mays of Dayton, OH; 5 brothers, Mr. William Hawkins of Flint, Mr. Mitchell Hawkins of Milwaukee, WI, Mr. Mark (Cassandra) Hawkins of Lewisville, TX, Mr. Michael (Claudine) Hawkins of Irving, TX and Mr. Joe William Junior (Catherine) Hawkins of Kansas City, KS; 11 nieces; 9 nephews; 1 aunt, Ms. Donna Young; 2 uncles, Mr. Alfonzo Dantzler Sr. and Mr. Ronald Thomas, all of Flint; god-daughter, Cierra Lane; a host of cousins, other relatives and friends including special friends, Ms. Lettie Lane, Jacoby & Jalen Powell, and Ricky Buggs.

Mr. Hawkins was preceded in death by his parents, Helen A. Wilson and William Hawkins Jr.; son, Tanell Burke Sr.; brothers, Zachary Franklin, Larry Franklin and Edward Smith; grandparents, Jebtee and Darous Young Sr., William and Katherine Stubbs, Mr. & Mrs. Mattie May Thomas.

The family would like to express special thanks to Dr. P. Patel, McLaren-Flint 6th Floor CCU, Hurley Medical Center 5th Floor ICU and Select Rehab McLaren.

# Cemetery Details

## Great Lakes National Cemetery

G-4200 Belford Rd.  
Holly, MI 48442

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

**AUG 30.** 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 hour

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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home** - August 31, 2021 at 09:38 AM

JA

*I sat next to Courtney in Mr Grimstafs homeroom he was my protector and friend I became a United Methodist pastor and educator graduated in 67 from Flint Northern and shared my memories of Courtney with friends over the years through getting my doctorate, my seminary degree and serving in congregations and working with Youth. His example was a great one.*

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**Jana Lynn Almeida** - December 06, 2023 at 08:44 AM

JA

*Rev Dr Jana Lynn (Hautala) Almeida*

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**Jana Lynn Almeida** - December 06, 2023 at 08:48 AM



“ *Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*

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October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM

CH

“ Charles lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.



Charles - September 04, 2021 at 08:36 PM

KJ

“ Courtney at 17 was the youngest to Graduate from our Class of 67. He played JV Football and Wrestling, in 10th grade. You can be overlooked or not afforded the opportunity to develop. However he got a 2nd chance. The rest is history. Rest in Peace. Keith Jones Viking Class of 67'.

Keith Jones - September 01, 2021 at 03:27 PM

SP

“ Sheryl Payton sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.



Sheryl Payton - August 31, 2021 at 07:20 PM

MJ

“ Mr. & Mrs. J.Poindexter lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.



Mr. & Mrs. J.Poindexter - August 31, 2021 at 01:26 PM

MP

“ *Mr. & Mrs. Poindexter lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Mr. & Mrs. Poindexter** - August 31, 2021 at 01:23 PM

TH

“ *Tim Hassett lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Tim Hassett** - August 31, 2021 at 11:38 AM



“ *Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr..*



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August 30, 2021 at 03:01 PM

GS

“ *Gloria Shavers lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Gloria Shavers** - August 30, 2021 at 02:20 PM

GS

“ *Condolences from the Shavers Family's*

**Gloria Shavers** - August 30, 2021 at 02:18 PM

TD

“ *My heart goes out to you in this time of grief. Take comfort knowing that Mr. Hawkins is safe and will always be with you. I pray for your strength and peace in the months and years to come.*

*Mrs. Daniels-Carlson*

**Treva Daniels-Carlson** - August 30, 2021 at 01:01 PM

IJ

“ *Ida Lee Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



**Ida Lee Johnson** - August 30, 2021 at 12:24 PM

TA

“ *Toni K. Adams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



**Toni K. Adams** - August 30, 2021 at 11:27 AM

MA

“ *My condolences and prayers to the family.*



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**Margaret Anderson** - August 29, 2021 at 10:09 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr..*



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August 29, 2021 at 06:37 PM

KR

“ *Kendall E. Reaves lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Kendall E. Reaves** - August 28, 2021 at 06:29 PM

LG

“ *Leroy Griffis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Leroy Griffis** - August 28, 2021 at 06:25 PM

AB

“ Althea J Barbee lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.



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**Althea J Barbee** - August 28, 2021 at 09:00 AM

PA

“ Pamela Altheimer lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.



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**Pamela Altheimer** - August 27, 2021 at 12:54 PM

ME

“ Margie Edmonds lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.



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**Margie Edmonds** - August 27, 2021 at 08:55 AM

LB

“ Lynn Barbee lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.



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**Lynn Barbee** - August 26, 2021 at 08:46 PM

LP

“ *Lisa Payton sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Lisa Payton** - August 26, 2021 at 04:24 PM

GA

“ *Gloria Acker sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Gloria Acker** - August 26, 2021 at 03:59 PM

CP

“ *Cerese Simpson Pennington lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Cerese Simpson Pennington** - August 26, 2021 at 01:24 PM

JF

“ *Judy Manning & Dones Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Judy Manning & Dones Family** - August 26, 2021 at 07:56 AM

SH

“ Shirley Hill lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.



Shirley Hill - August 26, 2021 at 06:14 AM

JR

“ Jerome-Deborah Relerford sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.



Jerome-Deborah Relerford - August 26, 2021 at 01:17 AM

KI

“ Kimberly Itson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.



Kimberly Itson - August 25, 2021 at 10:17 PM

LC

“ Lois Cunningham&family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.



Lois Cunningham&family - August 25, 2021 at 05:41 PM

TF

“ *The Cunningham Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



**the Cunningham family** - August 25, 2021 at 05:39 PM

LF

“ *Lois Cunningham Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



**Lois Cunningham Family** - August 25, 2021 at 05:38 PM

LF

“ *Lois Cunningham And Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



**Lois Cunningham and Family** - August 25, 2021 at 05:37 PM

BK

“ *Brenda Kimble lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



**Brenda Kimble** - August 25, 2021 at 05:21 PM

DH

“ I MISS SEEING MY COUSIN SITTING ON THE PORCH AND TALKING WITH HIM ALMOST DAILY. HE COULD IDENTIFY WHO'S COMING UP AND DOWN THE STREET. WE REALLY MISS COURTNEY.

LOVE LADY

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**DEBORAH HARRIS** - August 25, 2021 at 04:06 PM

DH

“ Deborah Harris lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.



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**Deborah Harris** - August 25, 2021 at 03:50 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr..



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August 25, 2021 at 12:55 PM

BF

“ Brenda Fluker sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.



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**Brenda Fluker** - August 25, 2021 at 12:50 PM

CJ

“ *Colleen Jenkins lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Colleen Jenkins** - August 25, 2021 at 12:46 PM

ED

“ *Excelento Davis sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Excelento Davis** - August 25, 2021 at 12:42 PM

WJ

“ *My sincere condolences to the Hawkins and extended families, May God comfort each of you.*

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**Walter Tipton Jr** - August 25, 2021 at 08:18 AM

IG

“ *Ira Gilbert lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Ira Gilbert** - August 25, 2021 at 06:00 AM



“ *Druann Ernest sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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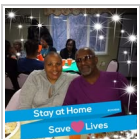
**Druann Ernest** - August 25, 2021 at 03:09 AM



“ *My Condolences to my other Family Hawkins Family Ava ,Aunt Donna ,my big little Sis whom I love dearly! Prayers for Comfort and Strength.*

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**Druann Ernest** - August 25, 2021 at 03:08 AM



“ *Druann Ernest lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Druann Ernest** - August 25, 2021 at 03:04 AM



“ *Sterling, Ava & family*  
*We are sorry to hear of the passing of your brother. You have really gone through a lot but, remember God doesn't make mistakes. We pray that God will strengthen and keep you always. We love you girl!*  
*Sam and Lisa Lee*

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**Sam and Lisa Lee** - August 24, 2021 at 09:40 PM

JK

“ *Jesse Kirksey lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Jesse Kirksey** - August 24, 2021 at 09:18 PM

RM

“ *May God keep and continue to bless the Hawkins family. Earth has no sorrow that heaven can not heal. Praying for you Renee Hawkins Massey.*

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**Renee Hawkins Massey** - August 24, 2021 at 07:03 PM

RM

“ *Renee Hawkins Massey lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Renee Hawkins Massey** - August 24, 2021 at 06:59 PM

CG

“ *Carol Gardner lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Carol Gardner** - August 24, 2021 at 04:08 PM

BL

“ *Barbara Lakes lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Barbara Lakes** - August 24, 2021 at 03:39 PM

JD

“ *Jean Durrettt lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Jean Durrettt** - August 24, 2021 at 03:01 PM

IH

“ *Ida Harkless-Gibson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Ida Harkless-Gibson** - August 24, 2021 at 02:54 PM

GS

“ *I extend my condolences to Courtney's family during this time of Bereavement.*

*God Bless,*

*George Sykes*

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**George Sykes** - August 24, 2021 at 01:06 PM

PB

“ Patricia Barker lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.



Patricia Barker - August 24, 2021 at 12:51 PM

GS

“ Gloria Shavers lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.



Gloria Shavers - August 24, 2021 at 12:42 PM

BS

“ The Family has my Heartfelt Condolences My Prayers Are With You All 🙏🙏



Barbara Smith - August 24, 2021 at 11:49 AM



“ Pandoretta Jackson sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.



Pandoretta Jackson - August 24, 2021 at 11:25 AM

AR

“ Alva (Tootsie) Ratliff lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.



Alva (Tootsie) Ratliff - August 24, 2021 at 09:16 AM

CP

“ Cerese Simpson Pennington sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.



Cerese Simpson Pennington - August 23, 2021 at 11:39 PM

DO

“ Doreen lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.



Doreen - August 23, 2021 at 08:10 PM

JW

“ Jimmi & Theresa Wesley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.



Jimmi & Theresa Wesley - August 23, 2021 at 05:27 PM

JW

“ *Jimmi & Theresa Wesley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



**Jimmi & Theresa Wesley** - August 23, 2021 at 05:25 PM

CL

“ *Colleen Liggins sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



**Colleen Liggins** - August 23, 2021 at 02:20 PM

OL

“ *Olliemorris lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



**Olliemorris** - August 23, 2021 at 12:14 PM

MW

“ *Mary & Diane Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



**Mary & Diane Williams** - August 23, 2021 at 11:16 AM

PR

“ *Pastor Terry Randolph and the Gethsemane MBC would like to extend our sincere condolences to the family. May God comfort, bless, and keep each of you during this transitional period.*

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**Pastor Randolph** - August 23, 2021 at 10:32 AM

EC

“ *My prayers and condolences to the Families of Courtney*

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**Earley Collins** - August 23, 2021 at 10:21 AM

LH

“ *Leora Hood-Crum lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Leora Hood-Crum** - August 22, 2021 at 11:39 PM

RB

“ *Rosa Burnett lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Rosa Burnett** - August 22, 2021 at 08:47 PM

SC

“ *Earth Has No Sorrow; Heaven Cannot Heal!!!! Rest In Glory Cousin. Love You* 🍷



Sister Antionette Cook - August 22, 2021 at 04:04 PM

SC

“ *Take Your Rest Cousin.... Love&Miss You* 💕💕💕



Sister Antionette Cook - August 22, 2021 at 04:02 PM

JK

“ *Jake&Bernice Kendall sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



Jake&Bernice Kendall - August 22, 2021 at 12:43 PM

BK

“ *Brenda Kimble lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



Brenda Kimble - August 22, 2021 at 07:13 AM

NJ

“ *Nancine Jackson sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Nancine Jackson** - August 22, 2021 at 04:10 AM

BP

“ *MY DEEPEST CONDOLENCES TO THE ENTIRE HAWKINS FAMILY*



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**Betty Parks** - August 21, 2021 at 11:25 PM

JM

“ *James & Barbara Moore lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**James & Barbara Moore** - August 21, 2021 at 06:30 PM

MM

“ *Mary McGee sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Mary McGee** - August 21, 2021 at 06:29 PM

SL

“ *Sandra Lewis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Sandra Lewis** - August 21, 2021 at 06:12 PM

DT

“ *Dessie Taylor lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Dessie Taylor** - August 21, 2021 at 04:36 PM

BM

“ *BoB McKay lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**BoB McKay** - August 21, 2021 at 03:04 PM

SB

“ *Sandra Blount lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Sandra Blount** - August 21, 2021 at 11:56 AM

BD

“ *Brenda Dilworth lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



**Brenda Dilworth** - August 21, 2021 at 07:57 AM

EB

“ *Earnestine Burnett lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



**Earnestine Burnett** - August 21, 2021 at 07:39 AM

JR

“ *John, Tujunana And Nicholas Reaves lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



**John, Tujunana and Nicholas Reaves** - August 21, 2021 at 02:02 AM

TH

“ *Terry Chevez Hairston lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



**Terry Chevez Hairston** - August 21, 2021 at 01:32 AM

KR

“ *Kermit & Genell (Crain) Reeves lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Kermit & Genell (Crain) Reeves** - August 20, 2021 at 07:27 PM

RW

“ *Rudy And Geneva Ward lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Rudy and Geneva Ward** - August 20, 2021 at 06:23 PM

MA

“ *MaryEvans lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**MaryEvans** - August 20, 2021 at 01:57 PM

RC

“ *Rahsheem J Covington lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Rahsheem J Covington** - August 20, 2021 at 01:03 PM

CD

“ *Cindy (Neph) Duncan praying for you and your family*



**Cindy (Neph) Duncan** - August 20, 2021 at 12:59 PM

RS

“ *My deepest condolences to my family. My prayers are with you all.*



**Re-Naye Sanders** - August 20, 2021 at 12:38 PM

BD

“ *Deepest sympathy and sincere prayers for the family*



**Bobie Holmes Douglas** - August 20, 2021 at 11:35 AM

SF

“ *Sharon Fleming lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



**Sharon Fleming** - August 20, 2021 at 10:10 AM

SP

“ *Sandra Payne lit a candle in memory of Mr. Courtney T. Hawkins Sr.*



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**Sandra Payne** - August 20, 2021 at 09:08 AM