



## Mr. Dentson Buggs

May 6, 1926 - June 4, 2017

BUGGS, Mr. Dentson - Age 91, passed away Sunday, June 4, 2017 at McLaren-Flint. Family hour 11:00 AM Tuesday, June 13, 2017 at New Zion Baptist Church, 1601 Chippewa St., with funeral service commencing at 11:30 AM. Interment Great Lakes National Cemetery, G-4200 Belford Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 11:00 AM Tuesday. Mr. Buggs will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 12:00 PM-8:00 PM Monday.

Mr. Dentson Buggs was born May 6, 1926 in Homer, Louisiana, the son of Claudie Hayes and Jessie Buggs. He met and married his wife of over 70 years, Hattie Mae Buggs and together they formed an unbreakable bond. Mr. Buggs served in the United States Army and was Honorably Discharged. Mr. and Mrs. Buggs relocated to Flint, Michigan in 1950. From this blessing, 16 children were born and from those children, many grand-children and great-grandchildren, will go on to continue the legacy that Dentson and Hattie Mae have started. He was a proud parent and loved to take family road trips, tell jokes, fish, eat, watch Western movies and political programs. Most of all, he loved spending time with his family. He was a gentle giant, and never had a bad thing to say about anyone. Mr. Buggs was employed at AC Spark Plug, a division of General Motors Corporation for 33.3 years, and was also a member of UAW Local #651 until he retired in 1986. Dentson accepted Christ in his life and was a proud and faithful member of New Zion Baptist Church,

under the direction of Pastor Jacob Hawkins Jr.

Mr. Dentson Buggs leaves to cherish his memory: wife, Mrs. Hattie Mae Buggs; 3 daughters, Deborah (Harold) Peterson of Flint, Linda Milow of Frederick, Maryland and Doris Buggs; 6 sons, James Williams, Curtis Buggs, Robert (Terry Garrett) Buggs, Ricky (Montréal) Buggs, Jessie Buggs and Lonnie Buggs, all of Flint; a host of grandchildren including special granddaughter, Tamika (Kevin) Mack; a host of great-grandchildren; 2 brothers, Javan (Canary) Buggs of California and Morris Buggs of Dallas, TX; a host of other relatives and friends.

Mr. Buggs was preceded in death by 4 daughters, Mildred Buggs, Eleanor Buggs, Betty Buggs and Francis Holmes; 3 sons, Ronald Buggs, Franklin Buggs and Dentson Ray Hamilton; 4 grandchildren; parents, Claudie Hayes and Jessie Buggs; 3 sisters and 3 brothers.

# Cemetery Details

## Great Lakes National Cemetery

G-4200 Belford Rd.  
Holly, MI 48442

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

JUN **12**. 12:00 PM - 8:00 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

JUN **13**. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

New Zion Baptist Church  
1601 Chippewa St.  
Flint, MI

## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Dentson Buggs*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *My condolences to the Buggs family.*



**Tammy Jackson** - June 17, 2017 at 04:59 AM



“ *Sorry for your loss Ricky Buggs and James Williams*



**Victoria McCreay McCoy** - June 13, 2017 at 06:54 PM



“ *Darlene Davis Calvert lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dentson Buggs*



**Darlene Davis Calvert** - June 13, 2017 at 09:08 AM

Michele  
Davis

“ Michele Davis sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Dentson Buggs



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**Michele Davis** - June 13, 2017 at 07:39 AM

RB

“ Sending My Thoughts And Prayers To The Buggs Family's

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**ROSE MARIE BUGGS** - June 12, 2017 at 10:30 PM



“ Rozz Garrison lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dentson Buggs



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**Rozz Garrison** - June 12, 2017 at 01:19 PM

LM

“ LANITA MURRAY lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dentson Buggs



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**LANITA MURRAY** - June 11, 2017 at 11:56 AM

HE

“ To Mrs. Buggs, Tamika, and the entire Buggs family sorry for the lost of your Mr. Buggs and you all are in my prayers...  
With Love,  
Heather Cobbin-Davis

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Heather - June 11, 2017 at 07:27 AM

GL

“ Sending prayers and our deepest sympathy  
from the RICE FAMILY ~Francis Ave



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Glynis - June 11, 2017 at 05:53 AM

DT

“ Dorothy (Keels) Thomas lit a candle in  
memory of Mr. Dentson Buggs



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Dorothy (Keels) Thomas - June 10, 2017 at 09:52 PM

KB

“ Karla Bowen lit a candle in memory of Mr.  
Dentson Buggs



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Karla Bowen - June 10, 2017 at 01:49 PM

KH

“ Ken and Mary Homola purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mr. Dentson Buggs.



Ken and Mary Homola - June 10, 2017 at 01:27 PM

SK

“ Sharon Keels-stone lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dentson Buggs



sharon keels-stone - June 10, 2017 at 07:45 AM

TW

“ Terry & Cynthia Walls sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Dentson Buggs



Terry & Cynthia Walls - June 09, 2017 at 05:35 PM

TS

“ The Anderson Family - Adams Street lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dentson Buggs



The Anderson Family - Adams Street - June 09, 2017 at 08:12 AM

TJ

“ *Tonya Jackson-Battle lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dentson Buggs*



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**Tonya Jackson-Battle** - June 09, 2017 at 02:47 AM



“ *Praying for the entire Buggs family. Our fellow church member Mr. Buggs.*



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**Tina Moreland** - June 08, 2017 at 07:27 PM

DJ

“ *Delois Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dentson Buggs*



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**Delois Jackson** - June 08, 2017 at 05:26 PM

DJ

“ *My condolences to the Buggs family. Love Teddy and Delois Jackson*

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**Delois Jackson** - June 08, 2017 at 05:26 PM

SJ

“ *To Aunt Hattie...Deb and the family of Uncle Dent... May God strengthen you at a time like this.. God puts no more on u than u can bare!!! My Prayers are with you always... Love always Shirley*



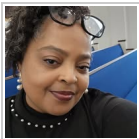
Shirley Jones-Miller - June 08, 2017 at 04:58 PM

VM

“ *Sending my condolences out to the Buggs Family*



Victoria McCreay McCoy - June 08, 2017 at 11:04 AM



“ *My condolences to the Buggs family. May God give you peace and comfort, 💖*

Yolanda Johnson - June 07, 2017 at 09:41 AM

TS

“ *Trina Stewart lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dentson Buggs*



Trina Stewart - June 07, 2017 at 07:07 AM

KB

“ *Kyranai Bridges lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dentson Buggs*



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**Kyranai Bridges** - June 06, 2017 at 09:05 AM

ES

“ *Eddie & Shirlene Simmons lit a candle in memory of Mr. Dentson Buggs*



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**Eddie & Shirlene Simmons** - June 06, 2017 at 12:01 AM

VT

“ *To Tamika, Mrs. Hattie and the Buggs family. I am so sorry for your loss. You are in my prayers. Love, Venetta*



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**Venetta Tucker** - June 05, 2017 at 12:19 PM