



## Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins

November 30, 1956 - August 4, 2022

HAWKINS, Mr. Desimon Joseph - Age 65, passed away Thursday, August 4, 2022 at McLaren-Flint. Family hour 10:00 AM Friday, August 12, 2022, from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM. Pastor Janiro Hawkins officiating. Family and friends will assemble at the Chapel 10:00 AM Friday. 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 Thursday. Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins was born November 30, 1956 in Flint, Michigan, the son of Rev. Archie and Mary Hawkins. Desimon loved his family and family gatherings. He graduated from Flint Central High School. Desimon was a gifted musician. He was a member of the Hunts Determination Band. Desimon was employed by Chevrolet Manufacturing, a division of General Motors Corporation. Growing up in Life Church was always a part of his life. He attended Living Word Ministry and Jackson Memorial Church Of God In Christ. Desimon always enjoyed a good laugh. He had a big heart, he would give you the shirt off his back if he could. Desimon enjoyed bowling, Gospel music, and watching sports. He was our special brother that we all loved so much. Our brother forever in our hearts.

Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins leaves to cherish his memory: son, Antwon Hawkins; 6 sisters, Dafora (Elder Chester) Burnett, Renee (Elder Donald) Massey, Metoia (Elder Kirk) Whitmore, Brigetta (Mr. Arnett) Roland, Cordillera

Hawkins and Je'veniou Davis; 2 brothers, Rev. Janiro (Canzada) Hawkins and Corday Hawkins; a host of nieces and nephews including special nephews, Archie Hawkins, Dennis Austin and Jatai Austin; aunt, Sarah (Sam) Williams of Williamstown, NJ; a host of cousins including, Nita and Sharletta Murray, the Nolen family, Bobby Lazenby and special cousin, Mrs. Toshsa Bullock; a host of other relatives and friends including special friend and caregiver, Evelyn Taylor and best friend, Vernon Brown.

Mr. Hawkins was preceded in death by his mother, Mary Hawkins; father, Archie Hawkins; brothers, Steven Hawkins, Archie Hawkins Jr. and Chavez Hawkins; and cousin, Linda Clemons.

The family would like to express special thanks to Mc-Laren-Flint, Pearl Manor, Jackson Memorial Church Of God In Christ family. Also thanks to special brother-in-law, Elder Donald Massey.

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

AUG 11. 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

AUG 12. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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## Funeral Service

AUG 12. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins*



Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home - August 12, 2022 at 08:22 AM

ED

*Beautiful service. And the word his brother preached was Beautiful 😍 it touched me so much because of my life. The word of Joseph!! 😭 Rest well in Gods Arms. Elaine Johnson Dorsey and family 🙏❤️ Keeping the family in prayer 🙏 love ❤️ Mother Johnson Daughter. Fly high 🕊️*

Elaine Johnson Dorsey - August 17, 2022 at 12:42 AM



“ *Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM

JS

“ *Jerrel/Dorothy Sanders lit a candle in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins*



Jerrel/Dorothy Sanders - August 20, 2022 at 06:50 PM

PR

“ *Our condolences to Elder and Renee Massey*

*Bobbie and Patricia Rouser*

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**Patricia Rouser** - August 14, 2022 at 06:01 PM

BR

“ *Bobbie Rouser lit a candle in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins*



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**Bobbie Rouser** - August 14, 2022 at 05:55 PM

GA

“ *I hadn't seen Desimon in years but often thought about where he was and how he was doing. I'll always cherish the memories we made and the time we spent together.*  
*RIH Desimon*



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**Glenda (Green) Alexander** - August 14, 2022 at 10:44 AM

DJ

“ *My condolences to the entire Hawkins family. We grew up together as childhood friends. All the way back to Oak Park Days. The Hawkins were a beautiful and loving family. May God sustain you during this difficult time. Rest in Keaven Des.*

*Deborah Johnson & Family*  
*Shreveport, LA*



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**Deborah Johnson** - August 13, 2022 at 11:28 AM

AS

“ *Aileen Spence lit a candle in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins*



Aileen Spence - August 12, 2022 at 09:10 PM

JE

“ *Joy Edwards lit a candle in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins*



joy Edwards - August 12, 2022 at 04:31 PM

GE

“ *Gena lit a candle in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins*



Gena - August 12, 2022 at 02:00 AM

AB

“ *Althea J Barbee lit a candle in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins*



Althea J Barbee - August 11, 2022 at 08:30 PM

PJ

“ *Pauline Jones lit a candle in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins*



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**Pauline Jones** - August 11, 2022 at 09:45 AM

JD

“ *Condolences to you and your family*



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**Jo Ann Dockery** - August 11, 2022 at 08:51 AM



“ *Jacqueline Bridges lit a candle in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins*



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**Jacqueline Bridges** - August 11, 2022 at 12:53 AM

SL

“ *My condolences and prayers to the Hawkins family. My memories of Desimon go back to the HD band and the former Golden Leaf Baptist Church. May he now take rest from his journey.*

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**Sheila Lomax** - August 11, 2022 at 12:24 AM

RE

“ Rhonda Etherly sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins



Rhonda Etherly - August 10, 2022 at 07:51 PM

DW

“ Deborah Whitehead sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins



Deborah Whitehead - August 10, 2022 at 07:45 PM

GM

“ Germaine Murray-Davis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins



Germaine Murray-Davis - August 10, 2022 at 07:35 PM

VT

“ Valerie Toles sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins



Valerie Toles - August 10, 2022 at 06:47 PM

RM

“ I wil never forget Desimon Joseph Hawkins....I was 15 working at the Speeds Dairy Queen on North Saginaw . He was my first School Boy Crush 😍 Desimon , and some of the othe Hunts Determination Band members would come across the street from where they praticing to get ice-cream. I will always remember his beautiful smile & his laughter. Rest In heaven, my friend! Rose  
To the family, my deepest condolences...



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**Rosalie Metcalfe Marve** - August 10, 2022 at 11:10 AM

BJ

“ Bernadette Woods Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins



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**Bernadette Woods Jackson** - August 10, 2022 at 09:31 AM

CH

“ Our sincere prayers are with the entire Hawkins family during this difficult time.  
May the God of peace comfort and keep you all.

*Love you all.*

*Charlene & Lamar Harris*

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**charlene e harris** - August 09, 2022 at 10:25 PM

SH

“ *Our Deepest Sympathy to the Hawkins Family. R.I.PEACE DESIMON. TONY AND SANDRA HATTER.*



Sandra J Hatter - August 09, 2022 at 08:36 PM

DG

“ *My Brother OPB...R.I.P.*



Duane Gibson - August 09, 2022 at 08:34 PM

GA

“ *Gloria Acker lit a candle in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins*



Gloria Acker - August 09, 2022 at 08:14 PM

GA

“ *Gloria Acker sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins*



Gloria Acker - August 09, 2022 at 08:13 PM

GJ

“ Our dearest condolences to the Hawkins family Rest in Heaven from Gary and Marcia Jackson 🙏



Gary, Marcia Jackson - August 09, 2022 at 12:13 AM

AS

“ Anthony C Pittman Sr lit a candle in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins



Anthony C Pittman Sr - August 08, 2022 at 11:43 PM

SH

“ I met Dismon at D&C party store on Saginaw and Paterson, he was a very cool guy. He was always smiling and helpful.

*Be at peace my friend, Shawn Howard.*



Shawn Howard - August 08, 2022 at 10:13 PM



“ Sending Prayers for the family Francine Donan



Francine Caldwell - August 08, 2022 at 06:33 PM

EW

“ *Elder Charles Woods lit a candle in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins*



**Elder Charles Woods** - August 08, 2022 at 04:55 PM

SC

“ *Sheila Carter lit a candle in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins*



**Sheila Carter** - August 08, 2022 at 04:18 PM

PR

“ *Phyllis And Harold Reid lit a candle in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins*



**Phyllis and Harold Reid** - August 08, 2022 at 03:17 PM

DM

“ *DeeDee Milto lit a candle in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins*



**DeeDee milto** - August 08, 2022 at 02:46 PM

FG

“ Fredricka Gist sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins



Fredricka Gist - August 08, 2022 at 12:10 PM

CP

“ Keeping the family in my prayers. You all have my deepest sympathy and sincere condolences. Granny Dee we love you. Chris an Mook



Chris Porter - August 08, 2022 at 12:01 PM

TJ

“ Theresa Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins



Theresa Jackson - August 07, 2022 at 03:19 PM

MH

“ Marilyn Hudson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins



Marilyn Hudson - August 06, 2022 at 10:06 PM

AS

“ *Aileen Spence sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins*



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**Aileen Spence** - August 06, 2022 at 09:56 PM

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“ *Anthony C Pittman Sr lit a candle in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins*



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**Anthony C Pittman Sr** - August 06, 2022 at 05:23 PM

PW

“ *Desimon RIH*



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**Patricia Warner** - August 06, 2022 at 03:02 PM

BP

“ *TO CORDAY HAWKINS AND THE ENTIRE HAWKINS FAMILY. MY DEEPEST CONDOLENCES TO THE FAMILY. MAY THE PEACE OF GOD SUSTAIN YOU IN THIS HOUR*



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**BETTY PARKS** - August 06, 2022 at 11:32 AM



“ *Wanda Baker lit a candle in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins*



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**Wanda Baker** - August 06, 2022 at 10:23 AM

CS

“ *My condolences to the Hawkins family OPB for life!!!*



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**Cliffton sykes** - August 05, 2022 at 11:31 PM

SH

“ *R.I.PEACE*

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**Sandra Hatter** - August 05, 2022 at 09:13 PM

BW

“ *BRIDGETTE WATKINS sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Desimon Joseph Hawkins*



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**BRIDGETTE WATKINS** - August 05, 2022 at 08:30 PM

AP

“ *Sending prayers to the Hawkins Family And my Son Carlos in the lost of his uncle .  
Shelton and Anna Pinnix*



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**Anna Pinnix** - August 05, 2022 at 04:01 PM

LM

“ *To my Cousin Dez i am going to miss you Fly High Cuz Love you..*



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**Lanita Murray Marion** - August 05, 2022 at 03:38 PM