



## Donnie Lane

August 20, 1952 - March 1, 2010

LANE, Ret. Police Officer Donnie Lee - Age 57, passed away Monday, March 1, 2010 at Genesys Health Park. Family hour 10 a.m. Wednesday, March 10, 2010 at House of Prayer Missionary Baptist Church, 1851 W. Carpenter Rd., with funeral service commencing at 11 a.m., Pastor Kenneth L. Stewart officiating. Interment River Rest Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10 a.m. Wednesday. Mr. Lane will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 12Noon-8 p.m. Tuesday. Retired Police Officer Donnie L. Lane was born August 20, 1952 in Bloomburg, Texas, the son of Elmo and Modessie Lane. Donnie was the youngest of 12 children. He accepted the Lord at an early age at Shady Grove Baptist Church in Bloomburg, Texas. Donnie came to Flint in 1970. He was a graduate of the Flint Police Academy in 1973, where he served faithfully for 29½ years. As a police officer, he worked various capacities. Donnie was a dedicated family man, who looked forward to family vacations, going to parks, riding bikes with his kids, barbequeing, watching westerns, listening to Blues and organizing 4th of July events in Texas. He also enjoyed fishing, playing cards and dominos with his brother-in-law, Andrew, Jr. Whom was like a brother. He was known for his love of his red truck. Donnie was a loving, hardworking man, who was always there for those who needed him. He was a caring, laid back man, who put others before himself, but made sure things got done. Everyone who knew Donnie loved him. He will always be in our hearts. Retired Police Officer

Donnie Lee Lane leaves to cherish his memory: wife, Bobbie N. Lane; daughter, Angellicia Lane; son, Cory Don Lane; mother, Modessie Lane; 4 sisters, Para L. (Patrick) Nelson, all of Flint, Lizzie M. (Artis) Larry of St. Louis, MO, Sylvia M. (Johnnie) Grant of Los Angeles, CA and Shirley Hill of Bloomburg, TX; 3 brothers, Johnnie L. (Alzay) Lane, Dennis L. (Melvine) Blackman and Monroe Blackmon, all of St. Louis, MO; a host of nieces including Brenda Brooks and Tamisha Laster of Houston, TX, Sonya Larry, Linda, Dorothy, Patricia and Jacqueline Nelson, Michelle Blackman of St. Louis, MO, Kashawndra Penn of Los Angeles, CA; a host of nephews including, Bruce Singleton of Midland, MI, Kenny and James Singleton, both of Detroit, MI, Trenton Harns of Houston, TX and Tracy Blackmon of St. Louis, MO, Latonya Cook of Los Angeles; aunt, Wonzie L. Brown of Los Angeles, CA; mother-in-law, Lurlean Blacknold; 4 sisters-in-law, Joann Jackson, Zepha (Jimmy) Nelson, Betty Spearman, all of Flint, Martha Sanders of Bivins, TX; special brother (brother-in-law), Andrew Blacknold, Jr.; a host of cousins, other relatives and friends including special friends, Freddie Johnson, Carolyn Spight, Lonnie McNeal, Fred Howard and Leonard Johnson, all of Flint. Ret. Police Officer Lane was preceded in death by his father, Elmo Lane; brothers, Willie, Charles and U.L. Lane; sisters, Alene Singleton and Rosie B. Nelson; nephew, Melvin Singleton; niece, LaTonya Larry and great-niece, Cierra Nelson. The family would like to express special thanks to Dea. Paul Curtis, Dr. Craig Dolvan, Dr. Danish and special nurses of Genesys Medical Center 2nd floor, Paulette, Sonya, Terasa, Pat, Monica and Eleanor and to all our friends, neighbors and relatives for your support.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Donnie Lane*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Uncle Donnie it is still so hard to believe that you are gone. Everything happened so fast and unexpectedly. You were the closest person I had as a father figure and I greatly appreciate everything you ever did for me. You were truly one of a kind. You would do anything for anyone and never complained while doing so. You helped me get my first car and my first real job. And when we were younger you would take Angel to get summer clothes you took me to. I will never forget you and your memory will forever live on. I find comfort and peace in knowing that you are free from pain and by living Christ like we will see you again one day. So I won't say goodbye I'll just say "see when I get there". I love you.*

Sharrod Edwards - March 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *To the family of Donnie Lane,  
At this difficult time, may the thoughts and prayers of those who care about you help you to find strength and peace.  
With Sympathy,  
You and your family are in our prayers.  
Love,  
David & Versie Munerlyn*

*"I am with you always, even unto the end of the world." Matthew 28:20*

David & Versie Munerlyn - March 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ TO THE ENTIRE NELSON FAMILY, We mourn with you, with Heartfelt Sympathy, Blessed are they that mourn: For they shall be comforted. Para, We are praying for you and family. May your faith give you strength and may the love of GOD our Father ease your sorrow.

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**Mother Margaret Montgomery** - March 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ I worked with Donnie at Flint PD for several years. He always handled situations professionally and courteously. He had a very pleasant disposition and was someone you could count on. I'm sure he'll be missed by his family. Hopefully, we can all honor Donnie by being a little more like him.

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**John Steele** - March 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

JP

“ Donnie was an excellent police officer and a fine man. He will be greatly missed.

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**Jody Matherly (ret Flint PD)** - March 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ To the family of Para Nelson. my Prayers are with you and your family.

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**Diane Williams** - March 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CA

“ To the Nelson Family: Stay strong and remember God knows what is best.  
Uncle Donnie was well loved, and will be truly missed.

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**Candy** - March 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM