



## Mr. Earnest Whitaker

February 1, 1923 - August 29, 2017

WHITAKER, Mr. Earnest - Age 94, passed away Tuesday, August 29, 2017 in Oklahoma. Family hour 10:00 AM Thursday, September 7, 2017 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM. Interment Flint Memorial Park Cemetery, 9506 N. Dort Hwy., Mt. Morris, MI. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the funeral home 10:00 AM Thursday. Mr. Whitaker will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home and may be viewed from 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM Wednesday.

Mr. Earnest Whitaker of Flint, Michigan began his journey of life on February 1, 1923 in his birthplace of Raymond, Mississippi. He was the second child born to James and Hattie (Nelson) Whitaker. Mr. Whitaker was united in Holy Marriage to his high school sweet heart, Margaret Kelly and remained steadfastly devoted to her until her death in 2014. He was employed by A.C. Spark Plug, a division of General Motors Corporation and was a member of UAW Local #651 retiring in 1985.

Mr. Earnest Whitaker leaves to cherish his memory 5 generations: daughters, Gloria (John D. Conley) of Rosamond, CA, Ernestine Kelelah Todd, Helen Carr, both of Flint, Regina Mosley of Farmington Hills, MI and Erica Caldwell of Flint; 111 grandchildren, great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren; brother, Lamar Whitaker of Flint; brothers-in-law, Ernest Kelly and JD Ratliff; a

host of other relatives and friends.

Mr. Whitaker was preceded in death by his wife, Margaret Whitaker; daughter, Ethel Marie Whitaker; parents, James and Hattie Whitaker; sister, Earnestine; 2 brothers, Leon and Ardel, all of Jackson, MS.

# Cemetery Details

## Flint Memorial Park Cemetery

G-9506 N. Dort Hwy.  
Mt. Morris, MI 48458

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

SEP 6. 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

SEP 7. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Earnest Whitaker*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *My deepest condolences go out to the Whitaker family. May our Lord Jesus Christ himself and God our father who loved us and gave everlasting comfort and good hope by means of undeserved kindness comfort your hearts and make you firm (2 Thessalonians 2: 16,17).*

J. Brown - September 09, 2017 at 10:56 AM



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J. Brown - September 09, 2017 at 10:44 AM



“ *RE-NAYE SANDERS lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earnest Whitaker*



RE-NAYE SANDERS - September 07, 2017 at 05:28 PM



*MY DEPPEST THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS TO YOUR FAMILY.*

**RE-NAYE SANDERS** - September 07, 2017 at 05:29 PM

BR

“ *so sorry to hear of your fathers passing I pray for the whole family.  
Msgt Brett Reaves USAF Ret.*

**brett reaves Msgt USAF Ret**> - September 07, 2017 at 03:03 PM

CO

“ *I am deeply sorry for your loss. Death is never natural, even when a loved one has lived many years. May you look forward to God's promise of restoring the earth to a paradise where sickness and death will be a thing of the past. (Isaiah 25:8)*



**Collier** - September 07, 2017 at 06:56 AM

SK

“ *Prayers for the Whitaker family*



**star kelly** - September 07, 2017 at 01:08 AM

BP

“ *PRAYING Your Strength and Praying for the family Betty Parks and family*



**Betty Parks** - September 06, 2017 at 05:37 PM

DC

“ Our prayers are with you Aunt Gloria, Dennis and Darlene. God gives us the strength to endure times of sorrow by reminding us of the times of joy our loved ones made in our lives and upon our character. Love, Stephanie, Dexter, Brianna and Avery.

Dexter Stephanie Clarke - September 06, 2017 at 01:06 PM

WH

“ William. Halcomb lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earnest Whitaker



William. Halcomb - September 05, 2017 at 07:28 PM

DF

“ Davis, Kelly, Gay And Knapp Families sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Earnest Whitaker



Davis, Kelly, Gay and Knapp families - September 04, 2017 at 11:45 PM

C.

“ C. Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earnest Whitaker



C. Jackson - September 04, 2017 at 03:12 PM

DM

“ Deacon Jesse Mosley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earnest Whitaker



Deacon Jesse Mosley - September 04, 2017 at 10:59 AM

DS

“ Deborah Shaw sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Earnest Whitaker



Deborah Shaw - September 02, 2017 at 06:02 PM



“ Barbara Lakes lit a candle in memory of Mr. Earnest Whitaker



Barbara Lakes - September 01, 2017 at 10:58 PM