



Mr. Ernest Franklin Matthews

December 1, 1955 - February 13, 2018

MATTHEWS, Mr. Ernest Franklin - Age 62, passed away Tuesday, February 13, 2018 at his residence. Family hour 1:30 PM Tuesday, February 27, 2018 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral service commencing at 2:00 PM Pastor Kenneth L. Stewart officiating. Family and friends will assemble at the funeral home 1:30 PM Tuesday. Mr. Matthews will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home and may be viewed from 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM Monday.

Mr. Ernest Franklin Matthews "Buddy" was born December 1, 1955 in Pine Bluff, Arkansas, the son of Enoch and Georgia Matthews. He attended 34th Street Elementary School in Pine Bluff, AR. Ernest later moved to Flint, Michigan with his parents where he attended Emerson Jr. High School and graduated from Flint Northern High School. "Buddy" held various jobs throughout the City of Flint and was a homebody who loved to cook!

Mr. Ernest Franklin Matthews "Buddy" leaves to cherish his memory: daughter, Jasmin Matthews of Flint; 2 sons, DeAndre Watts of Louisville, KY and Ernest Matthews Jr. of Memphis, TN; 3 grandchildren; mother, Georgia Matthews; sister, Patricia (James) Davis; 4 brothers, Enoch "Duno" Matthews Jr., Philip (Janet) Matthews, Alvin "Mookie" Matthews and Bryan Matthews, all of Flint; 8 nieces; 19 nephews; a host of cousins, other relatives and friends including special friends, Francis Ross and Danielle Young.

Mr. Matthews was preceded in death by his father, Enoch Matthews; sister, Wanda Miller; and 2 brothers, Ricky and Raymond Matthews.

The family would like to express special thanks to Pastor Kenneth L. Stewart, Pastor James O. Flowers Sr. and the Triumph Church-Flint Campus family.

Previous Events

Public Viewing

FEB 26. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home Chapel, Flint
906 W. Flint Park Blvd.
Flint, MI 48505
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lemoonfhflint@gmail.com
<http://www.lawrenceemoonfuneralhome.com>

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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Ernest Franklin Matthews*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *GWENDOLYNJONES LIT A CANDLE IN MEMORY OF MR.ERNEST F. MATTHEWS.*



GWENDOLYN JONES - February 28, 2018 at 11:25 AM



“ *Mary Evans lit a candle in memory of Mr. Ernest Franklin Matthews*



Mary Evans - February 26, 2018 at 11:57 PM



“ *House Of Prayer lit a candle in memory of Mr. Ernest Franklin Matthews*



House Of Prayer - February 26, 2018 at 12:02 PM

TP

“ *Many blessings and peace to our family! Sorry we aren't able to be there with you, just know that you are definitely in our prayers. The Parker Family-Pine Bluff, Arkansas*

Tracy Parker - February 25, 2018 at 08:18 PM



“ *Helen Davis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Ernest Franklin Matthews*



Helen Davis - February 25, 2018 at 06:40 PM

TH

“ *Buddy love you will surely be missed.....ur good cooking and lively spirit will never be forgotten...RIH BUDDY*



Tonja Harris - February 24, 2018 at 09:07 AM

CC

“ *My condolences to Mrs. Georgia Mae and the entire Matthew family. My prayer is for peace in your hearts and minds that surpasses all understanding.*



charene causey - February 22, 2018 at 06:48 PM

JH

“ *Praying for the Matthews family*

Joy Harrington-Mathis - February 22, 2018 at 12:11 PM

SJ

“ *Sonya/ Bernard Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Ernest Franklin Matthews*



Sonya/ Bernard Jackson - February 21, 2018 at 09:45 PM

SJ

Bernard and I are praying for your family during this difficult time

Sonya/ Bernard Jackson - February 21, 2018 at 09:46 PM

RW

“ *My sincere condolence to the entire Mathew family. Buddy I will miss you; RIP*

Sweet Rita



Rita Willingham - February 21, 2018 at 01:16 PM

LM

“ *Lit a candle in memory of Mr. Ernest (aka) Buddy Matthews! Gone but not forgotten. R.I.H. Buddy*



Linda Mayfield - February 21, 2018 at 09:55 AM

EL

“ *Elder Michael & Phyllis Leslie sent a virtual gift
in memory of Mr. Ernest Franklin Matthews*



Elder Michael & Phyllis Leslie - February 21, 2018 at 01:22 AM

RS

“ *RIP BUDDY*



Renee Sykes - February 20, 2018 at 10:45 PM