



## Rev. George Powell

February 8, 1941 - May 24, 2013

POWELL, Rev. George - Age 72, passed away Friday, May 24, 2013 at his residence. Family hour 10 a.m. Monday, June 3, 2013 at Greater Holy Temple C.O.G.I.C., 6702 N. Dort Hwy., with funeral service commencing at 11 a.m. Apostle Clarence L. Lewis, eulogist, Bishop Roger L. Jones, Sr., Host Pastor. Interment Gracelawn Community Cemetery, 5710 N. Saginaw St. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10 a.m. Monday. Rev. Powell will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Sunday.

Rev. Powell was employed with General Motors Chevrolet V-8 Engine plant for 39 years. He worked in the Skilled Trades Dept. as a Tool and Die maker, where he was affectionately known as the "Sand Man." He was a member of New Beginnings Ministries and served faithfully until the time of his death. George also faithfully ministered to hundreds of men at My Brother's Keeper Homeless Shelter. George loved gardening, flowers, fishing and traveling. Most of all George loved his family and spending time with them.

He leaves to cherish his memories: three sons, Clenzell Page, Robert Underwood, both of Flint and George Powell II of Atlanta, GA; four daughters, Michele (Harvey) Loper, Ericka (Tony Kilgore) Spiller, Latrice Underwood and Tiffany Underwood, all of Flint; two brothers, Pastor Archie (Alice) Powell Jr. and Min. Dennis (Vicky) Powell; two sisters, Ruby (Dale) Anderson and Joann

(Morton Davis) Powell, all of Flint; Thirteen grandchildren, Jason Powell, Jonathon Powell , Justin Loper, Jordan Spiller, Joshua Spiller, Justice Spiller, Kendra Loper, Quinshell Page, Shanzell Page, Rihanna Underwood, Taylor Roper, Cierra Palmer and Mariya Palmer, all of Flint; one great-grand, Myrikoa Page.

Rev. Powell was preceded in death by his parents Rev. Archie and Frances Powell, Sr.; brother, James (Jimmie) Powell; and three sisters, Mary Jane Powell, Laretta Powell and Betty Lou Willingham.

# Cemetery Details

## Gracelawn Cemetery

5710 N. Saginaw St.  
Flint, MI 48505

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

JUN 2. 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, Inc., Flint  
906 W. Flint Park Blvd.  
Flint, MI 48505  
(810) 789-6666  
lemoonfhflint@gmail.com  
<https://lawrenceemoonfuneralhome.com>

## Family hour

JUN 3. 10:00 AM (ET)

Greater Holy Temple C.O.G.I.C.  
6702 N. Dort Hwy  
Flint, MI

## Service

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JUN 3. 11:00 AM (ET)

Greater Holy Temple C.O.G.I.C.  
6702 N. Dort Hwy  
Flint, MI

# Tribute Wall



“ *Rev. George Powell*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *MRS. Claudette Pippins lit a candle in memory of Rev. George Powell*



**MRS. Claudette Pippins** - July 02, 2013 at 10:42 AM



“ *Jonetta Matthews Family*  
*We have your family in our prayers*

**Shannon Willis** - June 07, 2013 at 10:55 PM



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**Shannon Willis** - June 07, 2013 at 10:55 PM



“ *Pastor Bruce McCoy sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. George Powell*



**Pastor Bruce McCoy** - June 02, 2013 at 10:57 PM



“ *B-Moe Clifton lit a candle in memory of Rev. George Powell*



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**B-Moe Clifton** - June 02, 2013 at 07:29 PM



*To the entire POWELL Family..We the Moores (from Harriet Street) extend our heartfelt deepest sympathy to you in the homegoing of George. (Rev. George Powell) It sadden our hearts to learn he has taken his wings and have flown away to be at rest....Keep looking to the hills, knowing that the Lord will give you the strength to make it through this most difficult time in your life. Remember-WEEPING may endure for a night but surely JOY will come in the morning. May the good Lord bless you and keep you is our prayer. The MOORES, Kenneth (Deborah), Barbara (Sherman), Patty, Sheila, Billy (Vivian), Nita & (Wendall)*

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**B-Moe Clifton** - June 02, 2013 at 07:42 PM



“ *You have our prayers and deepest sympathy.*



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**Elder Michael Leslie & Family** - June 02, 2013 at 07:10 PM

PM

“ The guest and staff of My Brothers Keeper would like to extend our deepest sympathies to the family of our dear brother and fellow laborer Rev. George Powell. Minister Powell was one of the first ministers to join me at My Brothers Keeper in loving the men where they were while sharing that God had so much in store for them. He demonstrated his faith in Christ by his actions, by the time he spent faithfully every Tuesday building the men up and letting them know they were a moment away from allowing God to change their life. We would come together and pray for the men, look for opportunities to use our networks to give some a chance to find work and always share a uplifting word. My dear brother became a father, grandfather, uncle, cousin & friend to some who had no one who cared. He cared. We came upon this quote and used it to assist us in keeping our focus "Preach the Gospel always and if necessary use words" His actions will be missed but they will always have a place at MBK and in how I go about doing ministry. Our prayers will be with and for all who feel his loss.

*Deepest Regards  
Pastor Patrick McNeal  
Living Grace Community Fellowship  
My Brothers Keeper of Genesee County*

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**Pastor Patrick McNeal** - June 01, 2013 at 06:01 PM

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“ Patricia Moss lit a candle in memory of Rev. George Powell



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**Patricia Moss** - June 01, 2013 at 09:56 AM

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*Minister Powell you fought a good fight. Now you have taken on your wings. You will truly be missed at New Beginnings Ministry. My prayers are with the family. Pat Moss*

**Patricia Moss** - June 01, 2013 at 09:59 AM



“ *Linda Cooper lit a candle in memory of Rev. George Powell*



**Linda Cooper** - May 31, 2013 at 11:01 PM



“ *To the family of Elder George Powell,*

*You all will continuously be in our thoughts and prayers. George was such an encourager. He always had a kind word and warm smile. I will miss him as will my husband. George was often our go to guy when we had a question or needed a bit of advice. Always remember what he taught you about the love of God and you will never go wrong. Thanks for sharing him.*

*Thinking of you all,*

*Elders Jessie and Marcheta Todd*

**Jessie Todd** - May 31, 2013 at 10:45 PM

GG

“ With Deepest Sympathy to the Powell Family. I had known George for about a year. We always talked with each other when I became a member of the McDonalds Breakfast Club located on S. Dort Hwy. He was a very smart individual. He alerted me to some things in the Holy Bible, and also concerning Black History which I would have never known, had I not conversed with him on these subjects. He was easy to talk to, and would probably give a person the shirt off of his back if he had it to give. He will be truly missed by all of us who knew him. May God Bless the Powell Family during this time of sorrow. Greg Gibson

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**Greg Gibson** - May 30, 2013 at 08:12 PM

EF

“ The Files family sends loves to the Powell, Loper & Spiller family's. There's no more pain, no more sorrow, only joy for Eld Powell now

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**Eld. Theodore Files & Family** - May 30, 2013 at 05:06 PM

SB

“ Steven Barnett lit a candle in memory of Rev. George Powell



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**Steven Barnett** - May 30, 2013 at 03:25 PM

LC

“ To the family of Elder George Powell,

*Mere words cannot begin to express our heartfelt sympathy upon hearing of your lost. As we reminisced on the countless times Elder Powell shared words of wisdom, knowledge and encouragement with us, we count it a true blessing to have personally known such a fearless warrior!*

*You will continue to be in our thoughts and prayers.*

*Elders Les & Lilly Childress*

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**Lilly Childress** - May 29, 2013 at 11:44 AM

VL

“ To the family of Elder George Powell, May the God of all comfort and peace keep you in perfect peace during this most difficult time. You are in our prayers that God will heal your broken hearts at this time. . . . To be absent from the body is to be present with The Lord. Keeping you lifted in prayer. Valerie Leslie & Family

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**valerie leslie** - May 28, 2013 at 01:03 PM

RW

“ Roderick & Kimberly Watkins lit a candle in memory of Rev. George Powell



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**Roderick & Kimberly Watkins** - May 28, 2013 at 11:39 AM

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“ *Pastor Morris Massey lit a candle in memory of Rev. George Powell*



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**Pastor Morris Massey** - May 28, 2013 at 10:53 AM

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*George Powell, was my boss at General Motors Lake Orien Assembly he was the nicest person one could meet. I can not find words to express my sympathy. He was my friend and brother in the Lord.... He will truly be missed by all that knew him. I send my prayers and love to his family. We loved George, but God loved him best.*

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**Pastor Morris Massey** - May 28, 2013 at 11:02 AM

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*Pastor, thank you so much for your words of encouragement and prayers for our family.  
Evangelist Carlene-Powell-Youngblood  
(Niece)*

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**Carlene-Powell- Youngblood** - May 28, 2013 at 01:12 PM

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“ *Teresa Taylor-Davison lit a candle in memory of Rev. George Powell*



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**Teresa Taylor-Davison** - May 25, 2013 at 08:28 PM

BC

“ sending comfort to all those who will miss Eld. Powell, Glenda and I are praying for God's strength to be with you all. R.I.P. my brother George, we'll see you again with the Lord Jesus for sure !  
Chaplain Benjamin and Glend Clayton

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**Benjamin Clayton** - May 25, 2013 at 05:56 PM

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“ Dear Powell Family and Friends,  
I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your dear loved one. Please accept my sincere condolences. I too have lost several loved ones in death, and the pain is fresh, even with the passage of much time. Thankfully, I have found relief in knowing that "The Most High God" is the "Hearer of Prayer", and a source of tremendous comfort in times of grief and distress. (Psalms 83:18, Psalms 65:2) Please be assured , death will soon be "swallowed up forever" and we will have the opportunity to see our dead loved ones again. (Isaiah 25:8) My family and I wish you and yours peace. (Phillipians 4:7)

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**Lisa** - May 25, 2013 at 04:48 PM

PB

“ Patricia Barker lit a candle in memory of Rev. George Powell



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**Patricia Barker** - May 25, 2013 at 11:29 AM