



## Mr. Gerald J. Collins

April 7, 1950 - December 10, 2012

COLLINS, Mr. Gerald J. "Squirrel" - age 62, passed away Monday, December 10, 2012 at Hurley Medical Center. Family hour 10:30 a.m. Monday, December 17, 2012 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral service commencing at 11:00 a.m. Min. Sharon Riley officiating. Interment Great Lakes National Cemetery, G-4200 Belford Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble in the Chapel 10:30 a.m. Monday. Mr. Collins will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, and may be viewed from 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Sunday.

Mr. Gerald J. "Squirrel" Collins was born April 7, 1950 in Mobile, Alabama, the son of Charles and Princess Collins. Gerald was baptized at an early age. He graduated from Southwestern High School. Gerald was employed at General Motors Fisher Body. He married Felisha Weaver and to this union three sons were born. Gerald loved the Lord and his people. He leaves to cherish his memory: wife, Felisha Collins; 3 sons, Giovanni Richey, Gerald Collins, Jr. and Carnell Collins; 5 grandchildren; 4 sisters; 6 brothers; a host of other relatives and friends.

The family would like to express special thanks to the V.A. Hospital and Hurley Medical Center ICU and special thanks to Gaylon Terry.

# Cemetery Details

## Great Lakes National Cemetery

G-4200 Belford Rd.  
Holly, MI 48442

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 16. 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home Chapel, Flint  
906 W. Flint Park Blvd.  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Mr. Gerald J. Collins*



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**Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home** - December 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mr. Gerald J. Collins*

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October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *R Craig-Payne lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald J. Collins*



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**R Craig-Payne** - December 20, 2015 at 06:20 PM



“ *Zerna Wills lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald J. Collins*



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**zerna wills** - December 23, 2012 at 03:24 PM

RJ

“ Robert R. Parker, Jr. lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald J. Collins



Robert R. Parker, Jr. - December 17, 2012 at 11:52 AM

RJ

“ Squirrel, your memory will live in the hearts of all that you touched while you sojourned here on earth... You will be dearly missed...Robert R. Parker, Jr., (Talib)

Robert R. Parker, Jr. - December 17, 2012 at 11:52 AM

IR

“ Ida Boler Royall lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald J. Collins



Ida Boler Royall - December 17, 2012 at 09:40 AM

IR

Dearest Sharon and the entire Collins family, I lift you in prayer. Gerald brought so much joy to our family and Steve, Robin and Ma Boler join me in sending our heartfelt sympathy. His jokes and funny stories shared in Mom's kitchen with Johnny stand out in happy memories. May God surround you in peace and love.  
Ida

Ida Boler Royall - December 17, 2012 at 09:54 AM

CJ

“ *God Bless the Collins family for their loss. Gerald was one of the good guys and always brighten up a room with his joyful spirit and smile. My heart goes out in prayer for his family. He will never be forgotten.* ”



Colleen Jenkins-Roberts - December 16, 2012 at 11:40 AM



“ *lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald J. Collins* ”



December 12, 2012 at 01:48 PM



*Prayers going up for the Collins Family.*

*Betty Harriford Brown  
Tahlequah, Oklahoma*

December 12, 2012 at 01:51 PM

AB

*May happy memories carry you through this sorrowful time. When the Lord calls our loved ones home, he leaves a gift of memories in exchange. Memories are the legacy of love. God Bless the Collins family.*

Arnetta Lynn Barnett-Crawford, - December 13, 2012 at 01:03 PM

AC

*Los Angeles, Ca*

A. Lynn Barnett-Crawford, La Ca - December 13, 2012 at 01:06 PM

PW

*I send my condolences to the Collins family.*

**Patricia White** - December 16, 2012 at 08:35 AM



*I am sorry to hear of the loss of Gerald, the family will be in my prayers.*

**Michael Winchester** - December 16, 2012 at 09:37 AM

KD

“ *Gerald will truly be missed, but will live on in our hearts and memories. Rest in peace.* ”

*Kirk Davis*

**Kirk Davis** - December 12, 2012 at 10:58 AM



“ *Sharon Fleming lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald J. Collins* ”

**Sharon Fleming** - December 12, 2012 at 09:52 AM



*My prayers and condolences to the family during their loss*

**Sharon Fleming** - December 12, 2012 at 09:54 AM

CN

“ I would like to send my condolences to the family. When someone we love dies, it's very painful. But the Bible talks about doing away with this pain at Rev21:4. May the God of comfort, comfort your family at this time.

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**concerned neighbor** - December 12, 2012 at 06:32 AM

CY

“ Cyndee sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Gerald J. Collins



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**Cyndee** - December 11, 2012 at 05:43 PM