



## Mr. Gerald Leon Moore

September 25, 1936 - February 16, 2024

MOORE, Mr. Gerald Leon - Age 87, passed away Friday, February 16, 2024, at Regency of Grand Blanc. Family hour 10:30 AM Wednesday, February 28, 2024, at Metropolitan Baptist Tabernacle, 930 E. Myrtle Ave., with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM Pastor Stephen Murphy, officiating. Family and friends will assemble at the church 10:30 AM Wednesday. Mr. Moore will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM Tuesday. Mr. Gerald Leon Moore, Sr. was born September 25, 1936, in Flint, Michigan. He was the second of five sons born to Willie B. and Evelyn Moore. Gerald married Brenda Rhodes and to this union two wonderful children were born, Monica and three years later, Gerald Jr. He later married Marlene Childress and gained another wonderful daughter, Jeri.

Gerald attended Flint public schools where he was introduced to Drafting in seventh grade and found it fascinating. He continued to study drafting at Flint Northern High School, where he was also an avid baseball player. Gerald was encouraged to pursue further education by mentors, including Mrs. Odell Broadway. Following high school, he enrolled in Eastern Michigan University's industrial arts curriculum and later in Flint Junior College where he took more drafting courses. After completing his education, Gerald worked at AC Spark Plug and was promoted as their first black engineer.

Gerald was a lifelong, faithful member of Metropolitan Baptist Tabernacle. He loved his family, church family, and his friends. Gerald never met a stranger,

always having plenty of conversation and stories to tell for whoever would listen, he touched many lives.

Gerald was always around sports as a child. He developed a deep love of sports and sports trivia. One of his greatest accomplishments was authoring the book "Moore than a Man," about growing up with his father, Willie B. Moore, Sr., who was an avid softball player, bowler and the first black registered to umpire in the city of Flint.

In 1983, Gerald served as a Founding Board Member of the Greater Flint African American Sports Hall of Fame, where he served for many years.

Gerald's love of sports and his community led him to also serve for eighteen years (1995-2013) as a Board Member of the Greater Flint Area Sports Hall of Fame, where he served in virtually every Board capacity and committee assignment. Through his willingness to serve whenever and wherever needed, Gerald was respectfully regarded by his colleagues as the organization's "Ambassador."

Mr. Gerald Leon Moore Sr. leaves to cherish his memory: son, Gerald & Michelle Moore, Jr. of Atlanta, GA; daughter, Jeri & Lee Murphy of Dallas, TX; grandchildren, Andrea Mosley and Jessica Mosley of Memphis, TN, Sydnee Gaines of Middle River, MD and Arianna Ingram of Dallas, TX; great-grandchildren, Zoe Mosley of Memphis, TN, Jadian Scisco of Cincinnati, OH, Jerrin and Aubree Gaines of Middle River, MD; great-great-grandchild, Blake Scisco of Cincinnati, OH; niece, Shawn Gray of Dallas, TX; nephews, Roderick, Cory, Ivan and Jason Moore; first cousins, Craig & Lennetta Coney and Renita Coney Mays, all of Flint, MI; and a host of loving cousins, nieces, nephews and close friends including special friends: Rogie Barnett, Norm & Kay Bryant, Willie & Lillian Dickerson and Bill Basilius.

Gerald was preceded in death by his daughter, Monica Mosley; parents, Willie B. and Evelyn Moore, Sr.; grandparents, Reuben and Millie Moore; brothers, Alvin, James, Willie B., Jr., and Raymond Moore; aunts, Ruby Stevenson, Mildred Isabel, and Cloteal Coney; uncles, Lonnie L. Coney and James White.



# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

FEB 27. 12:00 PM - 6:00 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

FEB 28. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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906 W. Flint Park Blvd.  
Flint, MI 48505  
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## Service

FEB 28. 11:00 AM (ET)

Metropolitan Baptist Tabernacle  
930 E. Myrtle Ave.  
Flint, MI 48505

# Tribute Wall



“ *Our Sincere Condolences goes out to the Moore family. R.I.H. Gerald.* 🙏🙏

**Pearl Coney** - April 01, 2025 at 08:14 AM



“ *Shirley Hatcher lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore*



**Shirley Hatcher** - February 28, 2024 at 05:58 PM



“ *Shirley Hatcher*



**Shirley Hatcher** - February 28, 2024 at 05:51 PM



“ *Colleen Jenkins lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore*



**Colleen Jenkins** - February 28, 2024 at 02:23 PM

TO

“ Tonya lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore



Tonya - February 28, 2024 at 01:28 PM

KR

“ Kermit & Genell (Crain) Reeves lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore



Kermit & Genell (Crain) Reeves - February 28, 2024 at 12:33 PM

LR

“ Thank You For Being A Wonderful Role Model And On Behalf Of \* Luke \*

Your Friendship And Kindness Shall Never Be Forgotten



Lorene Randall - February 28, 2024 at 08:48 AM



“ Phillip Luckado lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore



Phillip Luckado - February 27, 2024 at 11:35 PM

GE

“ Gerald was a long time friend of mine. We enjoyed many of the same things. Rest in peace my friend, you will be missed. Gail Teer EDWARDS

Gail Edwards - February 27, 2024 at 10:48 PM

YT

“ Yvonne Tidwell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore



Yvonne Tidwell - February 27, 2024 at 09:21 PM



“ I am so sorry to hear of the passing of Jerry Moore. He was one of the Nicest people I've ever know. He new my Dad AL Reaves and always spoken highly of him. When I worked at AC as a summer student in the 80's he always looked out for me. Heaven definitely welcome one if the best to ever do it. Fly High Jerry Moore.

Joya Reaves-Embry

Joya Embry - February 27, 2024 at 07:29 PM



JJ

“ Jovita Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore



Jovita Johnson - February 27, 2024 at 06:29 PM

MM

“ *Marva McDaniel lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore*



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**Marva McDaniel** - February 27, 2024 at 06:27 PM

BS

“ *Benny Mae Vern Spence lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore*



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**Benny & Mae Vern Spence** - February 27, 2024 at 03:19 PM

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“ *Benny Mae Vern Spence lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore*



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**Benny & Mae Vern Spence** - February 27, 2024 at 03:18 PM

BS

“ *Benny Mae Vern Spence lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore*



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**Benny & Mae Vern Spence** - February 27, 2024 at 03:15 PM

JD

“ *Jean Durrett lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore*



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**Jean Durrett** - February 27, 2024 at 12:44 AM

DE

“ *Got a chance to meet Gerald at AC Spark Plug as a college co-op student back in 1973. Learned many things from him that aided me in my 40 plus years in the auto industry. Did not realize that Gerald was old enough to be my dad at the time because he was so COOL. I looked at him as a big brother. Will always remember that infectious smile and many positive conversations. Prayers of Peace and Comfort for the Family and Friends*

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**Dan Essex** - February 26, 2024 at 08:54 PM

DL

“ *Heartfelt sympathy to the family of Gerald*



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**Debra LaCour** - February 26, 2024 at 01:11 PM

ER

“ *Elvia Roberson sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore*



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**Elvia Roberson** - February 26, 2024 at 01:07 PM

JP

“ *My condolences and prayer for the Moore family. May God give you strength during this difficult time.* 🙏💕



Joan Pointer - February 26, 2024 at 12:45 PM

BR

“ *my condolences to the Moore Family*

Bob Russell - February 26, 2024 at 12:41 PM

SC

“ *Sandra Cabine lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore*



Sandra Cabine - February 26, 2024 at 12:25 PM

KJ

“ *My condolences to the family in the homegoing of Mr. Moore. He was a nice man with a smile. May God bless his wife with strength during these bereavement hours.*



Khris Johnson - February 26, 2024 at 11:41 AM

HC

“ Henry & Jane Clark lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore



Henry & Jane Clark - February 26, 2024 at 10:42 AM

BM

“ Bertha Moses lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore



Bertha Moses - February 25, 2024 at 08:43 PM

ET

“ Ernelle Taylor lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore



Ernelle Taylor - February 25, 2024 at 07:19 PM

JA

“ My thoughts and prayers are with the Moore family. May God comfort and give you the strength to endure the loss of a wonderful man.



Jerome Adams - February 25, 2024 at 06:50 PM

FM

“ *Frank & Hazel Miller lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore*



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**Frank & Hazel Miller** - February 25, 2024 at 06:35 PM

AS

“ *Praying for family, Deepest condolences* 🙏



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**Alesia Summers-Peaks** - February 25, 2024 at 06:01 PM

TJ

“ *Praying for the family* 🙏



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**The Jackson's** - February 24, 2024 at 09:49 PM

VW

“ Sending prayers and heartfelt condolences to the Moore entire family, Metropolitan MB Church Family and his many friends. I worked with Mr Moore at AC Spark Plugs / Delphi East. He Loved helping and teaching his fellow workers. He also liked joking around with us, but he also had a serious side, where he didn't take no mess. So cherish all the beautiful loving memories you all shared together. For Our earthly house has dissolved, we have a building of God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens. So rest on in Jesus loving arms Mr. Moore your work down here is complete.



Valerie (Anthony) Williams

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Valerie (Anthony) Williams - February 24, 2024 at 08:44 PM

NW

“ N. Jeanne Wells lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore



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N. Jeanne Wells - February 24, 2024 at 02:27 PM

BK

“ Condolences to the family... Gerald was a longtime dear friend. We had many laughs together at our Hall of Fame meetings! Rest well. 🙏



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Brenda Kimble - February 24, 2024 at 10:02 AM

BW

“ *Barbara Morris Wright lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore*



Barbara Morris Wright - February 22, 2024 at 04:37 PM

RL

“ *Ralph & Gail Lusane sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore*



Ralph & Gail Lusane - February 22, 2024 at 04:04 PM

JM

“ *Jeannie Mayberry lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore*



Jeannie Mayberry - February 22, 2024 at 03:10 PM

VB

“ *My condolences and prayers to the Moore family* 🙏



Vickie Broome - February 22, 2024 at 09:45 AM

GL

“ *Gina Lee sent a virtual gift in memory of Gerald Moore*



**Gina Lee** - February 21, 2024 at 09:30 PM

GI

“ *Gina sent a virtual gift in memory of Gerald Moore*



**Gina** - February 21, 2024 at 09:29 PM

BM

“ *Bertha Moses sent a virtual gift in memory of Gerald Moore*



**Bertha Moses** - February 21, 2024 at 08:47 PM

TS

“ *What a Great Man! Gerald was a pleasure to know, both as a friend and a customer. I always enjoyed talking to Gerald.*



**TODD SYDOW** - February 21, 2024 at 03:48 PM



“ *Praying for the Moore family* ”



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**Kenneth Gaetz** - February 21, 2024 at 02:34 PM

CS

“ *Charles Skinner sent a virtual gift in memory of Gerald Moore* ”



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**Charles Skinner** - February 21, 2024 at 11:54 AM

MA

“ *My sincere condolences to the Moore Family* ”



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**Mr & Mrs James August** - February 21, 2024 at 11:17 AM

NA

“ *Nadine Alexander lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore* ”



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**Nadine Alexander** - February 21, 2024 at 11:14 AM

CB

“ *My sincere condolence in the transition of Bro. Moore, a lifelong Metro member. God be with. family..*  
*Sis Cherry Brown & Family*



Cherry Brown - February 21, 2024 at 09:57 AM

CC

“ *We extend our condolences to the Moore family.*



Clarence and Bettina Campbell - February 20, 2024 at 11:39 PM

JM

“ *Judy Moore lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore*



Judy Moore - February 20, 2024 at 09:39 PM



“ *Joyce Black sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore*



Joyce Black - February 20, 2024 at 05:58 PM

JS

“ *My condolence goes out to the Moore Family, My granddaughter, (Kendall) and I, are truly going to miss Mr. Moore. Rest in peace my friend.*



**Jacqueline Scott** - February 20, 2024 at 01:13 PM

JR

“ *John Lessie Rhymes lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore*



**John and Lessie Rhymes** - February 20, 2024 at 12:27 PM

BW

“ *Betty Wiggins lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore*



**Betty Wiggins** - February 20, 2024 at 10:01 AM

BC

“ *Brenda Calhoun lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore*



**Brenda Calhoun** - February 19, 2024 at 03:40 PM

MS

“ *MARILYN SAMS lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore*



**MARILYN SAMS** - February 19, 2024 at 03:21 PM

RC

“ *Sorry for your loss praying for your family. Mr. Moore was a great and Loving Man he will be sadly Miss.*



**Roy&Beverly Cummings** - February 19, 2024 at 01:27 PM

RW

“ *Lit a candle for Mr. Gerald Leon Moore, my condolences to the.*



**Rudolph Wheaton,DDS** - February 19, 2024 at 12:31 PM

BK

“ *Brenda Kimble lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore*



**Brenda Kimble** - February 19, 2024 at 12:30 PM

BT

“ *Betty Tipper lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore*



**Betty Tipper** - February 19, 2024 at 11:26 AM



“ *Brenda Dilworth lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore*



**Brenda Dilworth** - February 19, 2024 at 09:45 AM

RW

“ *Rudy And Geneva Ward lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore*



**Rudy and Geneva Ward** - February 19, 2024 at 09:12 AM

EB

“ *Eddie & Linda Booth lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore*



**Eddie & Linda Booth** - February 18, 2024 at 09:54 PM

DB

“ *David & Dana Bush lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore*



David & Dana Bush - February 18, 2024 at 06:00 PM

IH

“ *Iris Hare lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore*



Iris Hare - February 18, 2024 at 05:37 PM

AH

“ *Anita Harris sent a virtual gift in memory of Gerald Moore*



Anita Harris - February 18, 2024 at 12:35 AM

BW

“ *Barbara Wright lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore*



Barbara Morris Wright - February 17, 2024 at 09:39 PM

JK

“ *Jesse Kirksey lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore*



**Jesse Kirksey** - February 17, 2024 at 09:24 PM

FG

“ *Fredricka Gist sent a virtual gift in memory of Gerald Moore*



**Fredricka “Ricky” Gist** - February 17, 2024 at 08:47 PM

SE

“ *Sandra Epps sent a virtual gift in memory of Gerald Moore*



**Sandra Epps** - February 17, 2024 at 06:29 PM

DE

“ *De lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore*



**De** - February 17, 2024 at 06:07 PM

PP

“ PJ Glenda Pointer lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore



PJ & Glenda Pointer - February 17, 2024 at 06:04 PM

NW

“ Condolences to the Moore family.  
Norma West



Norma West - February 17, 2024 at 05:51 PM

NB

“ Nellie Bacon lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore



Nellie Bacon - February 17, 2024 at 05:32 PM

VN

“ Veronica Nickens sent a virtual gift in memory of Gerald Moore



Veronica Nickens - February 17, 2024 at 04:57 PM

BL

“ *Mr. Moore , was a kind gentleman always had a smile on his face whenever he greeted you. Rest on Mr. Moore , you'll be missed .*



Barbara Leake - February 17, 2024 at 04:19 PM

SJ

“ *My condolences to the family there in Michigan and also the family Greensboro Alabama! Gerald Moore was a great friend My family it was always very respectful of me. He was a wonderful person to have known he will be sadly missed.*



Steven Jones - February 17, 2024 at 03:40 PM

PS

“ *Peggy Clark Stribling lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore*



Peggy J Clark Stribling - February 17, 2024 at 03:26 PM

JB

“ *Mr Moore was a dear friend and we are sad to hear about his passing. Praying for the family and May God keep his angels around you to comfort and keep you.*



James and Lisa Blakley - February 17, 2024 at 02:01 PM

SC

“ *Sandra Cabine lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore*



**Sandra Cabine** - February 17, 2024 at 12:56 PM

AP

“ *Alvin, & Caleb Parker lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore*



**Alvin, Michele & Caleb Parker** - February 17, 2024 at 11:47 AM

WH

“ *Wanda Harrison sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore*



**Wanda Harrison** - February 17, 2024 at 10:42 AM

CH

“ *Wow. Mr G always nice with a kind word I remember walking on Northern Viking track every morning. He would always ask how my Mom doing she said they classmates back in the day. Rest King heaven happy. Hartfield family*



**Cheryl Hartfield** - February 17, 2024 at 09:38 AM

CT

“ Cynthia Tipton lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore



Cynthia Tipton - February 17, 2024 at 08:55 AM

BW

“ Betty Wiggins lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore



Betty Wiggins - February 17, 2024 at 08:37 AM

JP

“ June Perkins lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore



June Perkins - February 17, 2024 at 08:34 AM

WS

“ Wanda Stitt lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore



Wanda Stitt - February 17, 2024 at 08:28 AM

JK

“ *Jake&Bernice Kendall sent a virtual gift in memory of Gerald Moore*



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**Jake&Bernice Kendall** - February 17, 2024 at 07:59 AM

TT

“ *Tonedia Threlkeld lit a candle in memory of Gerald Moore*



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**Tonedia Threlkeld** - February 16, 2024 at 10:56 PM

MH

“ *Mr. & Mrs. Deotis & Sarah Hunter-Tucker lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore*



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**Mr. & Mrs. Deotis & Sarah Hunter-Tucker** - February 16, 2024 at 09:41 PM

RK

“ *Russell & Diane Kirksey lit a candle in memory of Mr. Gerald Leon Moore*



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**Russell & Diane Kirksey** - February 16, 2024 at 08:19 PM