



James Alexander

February 18, 1950 - September 19, 2011

ALEXANDER, Mr. James Thomas - Age 61, passed away Monday, September 19, 2011 at his residence. Family hour 10 a.m. Wednesday, September 28, 2011 at Holbrook Avenue Church of God, 1034 E. Holbrook Ave., with funeral service commencing at 11 a.m. Pastor Leo Robinson officiating. Interment Great Lakes National Cemetery, G-4200 Belford Rd., Holly, MI. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10 a.m. Wednesday. Mr. Alexander will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 2-6 p.m. Tuesday. Mr. Alexander was born February 18, 1950 in Summit, Mississippi to Jessie James and Dorothy Louise (O'Neal) Alexander. He married Bobbie Ann Earnest-Carr July 8, 1972 and to this union a daughter was born. Mr. Alexander accepted Christ at Montrose Community Church of God and was baptized by Rev. Charles Biggers under the teaching of Rev. Shankle. Mr. Alexander attended the Flint Public Schools graduating from Central High School, "Class of 1968." He later attended Detroit College of Business. James enjoyed chess, checkers, jazz, barbequing, cooking Creole Gumbo, baking fruit cakes for his friends and feeding people. He served in the United States Navy, Navy Reserve, United States Army Reserve and United States Army National Guard. He also fought in the Vietnam War and received an Honorable Discharge. James was employed at Fisher Body and Chevrolet Metal Fabricating, a division of General Motors, retiring after more than 33 years and was a member of UAW Local 659. Mr. James T. Alexander leaves

in God's care: devoted wife of over 39 years, Bobbie Ann Alexander; daughter, Tarika Monet' Alexander, both of Flint; 2 stepsons that he loved and raised, Kenneth L. (Cheryl) Williams of Mt. Vernon, WA and Dwayne L. Carr of Flint; 3 granddaughters, Jasmine L. Toins-Alexander of Flint, Janai A. Williams and Naisa K. Williams, both of Mt. Vernon, WA; 3 grandsons, Kenneth D. Williams of Mt. Vernon, WA, Armani Toins-Alexander and Malik J. Younger-Alexander, both of Flint; 2 step granddaughters, M'Kailah and A'Laisia Redden of Mt. Vernon, WA; 2 sisters, Ramona Dulaney of Burton, MI and Yolanda (Charles) Haynie of Bolingbrook, IL; very special niece and great niece, Brittney Dulaney and Gabrielle McKenzie-Dulaney, both of Burton, MI; nephews, Brandon and Alexander Haynie of Bolingbrook, IL and Gregory McKenzie-Dulaney of Burton, MI; 2 sisters-in-law, Brenda (Charles) Jones and Cassandra Earnest; 6 brothers-in-law, Jerome, Elton (Darlene), Larry, Johnny W. and Dwight Earnest, all of Flint and Clide (Julie) Earnest of Noxapater, MS; godmother, Mrs. Geraldine Turner; goddaughters, Latasha Ayers and Kiana Campbell; many special and caring friends including Alious Bates, Ina Jean Jones and family, Elsie Smith, Ruthel Williams, Nancy White, Harry Ryan, Charles Gray and the East Russell Avenue neighbors. Mr. Alexander was preceded in death by his parents; brother, Dallas Alexander; grandparents, Clara Turner, John and Alma (Allen) Alexander; several uncles and aunts including, Bernard (Annie) Alexander; father and mother-in-law, Jessie R. and Katherine Earnest; sister-in-law, Betty (L.S.) Earnest-Reed; 2 brothers-in-law, Carlton Earnest and Jessie (Tammie) Earnest; and many other relatives and friends.

Tribute Wall



“ *James Alexander*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Tarika we will keep you and your family in our prayers.*

Ebony Torres - September 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Bobbie,*

You have always been so thoughtful and considerate during my family's times of bereavement. Now, I want you to know how sorry I am for your loss. I sincerely hope that I can be of some service to you as we remember James fondly.

Jean Bradshaw-Elzy - September 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Sorry about the loss.*

tony taylor - September 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *WE ARE TRULY SADDEN TO HEAR ABOUT YOUR LOSS;
HOWEVER, WE ARE KEEPING ALL OF YOU IN OUR PRAYERS.*

Bill and Pat White - September 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Bobbie, Bobbie, Bobbie May God strenghten you and comfort you! You and James were so kind to me! You will always have a special place in my heart and James in my memeories. I was so blessed to see you at Meijers just a few months ago! Your whole family has been special to me and their kindness and compassion will never be forgotten!God always know what's best! Proverbs 3:4,5 say's "Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not to your own understanding. In all thy ways acknowlwdge Him and He will direct thy path" May God contine to rain His blessings on you and the family Missionary Gloria Thompson. New Life Tabernacle Ministies , Supt. Quintin L. Marshall Pastor 4401 Selby St Flint Mich 48505*

Missy Gloria Thompson - September 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TB

“ *I'm so sorry for your loss, praying for you and your family*

Trina Berkley - September 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM

PL

“ *To James and Wife,*

I am so very sorry to hear the passing of my good fiend James. Although I did not keep in touch throughout my adult years, I have never forgotten our friendship during our childhood years. He was always so kind and protective of all of us girls from Walker Elementary, smile. I did not get to meet his wonderful wife of 39 years and children. I really appreciate you all for the love you gave him.

*Sincerely,
Pat Paulk*

Patricia Paulk Lundy - September 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TJ

“ *I will miss uncle James. Prayers for my aunt Bobbie & Family. With Love Trichelle.* ”

Trichelle Jackson-Brown - September 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM