



Mr. Jeffrey Ursery

January 31, 1957 - November 22, 2013

URSERY, Mr. Jeffrey - Age 56, passed away Friday, November 22, 2013 at his residence. Family hour 10 a.m. Friday, December 6, 2013 at Vernon Chapel AME Church, 5802 Dupont St., with funeral service commencing at 11 a.m. Rev. Dr. Mickarl D. Thomas officiating. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10 a.m. Friday. Mr. Ursery will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 12 noon-8 p.m. Thursday with family present from 4-7 p.m.

Mr. Jeffrey E. "Ursh" Ursery, Sr. was born on January 31, 1957 in Flint, MI, the son of the late Preston Ursery, Sr. and Easter (Gordon) Ursery. Mr. Ursery attended Flint Public Schools and graduated from Northwestern High School in 1975. Mr. Ursery also attended Ferris State University where he made strong friendships with his Brothers of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc., and was active with the Local Chapter as well. Mr. Ursery was a former employee of the Flint Community Public School System working in the security department; he also enjoyed coaching and mentoring some of Flint's finest athletes including Jeff Grayer and Glen Rice, just to name a few. Mr. Ursery was an active and faithful member of Vernon Chapel A.M.E. Church; serving on Security Ministry, greeter teams, Senior Usher Board, the Men's Bible Study Group and Sunday School.

Mr. Ursery leaves to cherish in his memory: wife, Phyliss Ursery; son, Jeffrey

E. Ursery III; brothers, Charles Ursery and Preston Ursery, Jr. of Flint and Carl (Debra) Ursery of Knoxville, TN.; a host of other relatives and friends including special cousins, LaGreta, Tracy and Michael Johnson, Louis (Rev. Estella) Johnson and the Goodrum family; devoted and special friends, Jimmy Hill, Michael Anderson, Larry (Gloria) Royster, the Rodgers and Walker families.

Mr. Ursery was preceded in death by his father, Preston Ursery, Sr.; and mother, Easter (Gordon) Ursery.

The family wishes to thank Vernon Chapel A.M.E. Church, Divine Grace Ministries, the Ratliff family, Derricks family, "Jag" The Haberdasher and the Loving Hands staff.

Previous Events

Public Viewing

DEC 5. 12:00 PM - 8:00 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 Present

DEC 5. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Family hour

DEC 6. 10:00 AM (ET)

Vernon Chapel AME Church
5802 Dupont St.
Flint, MI

Service

DEC 6. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JD

“ I met Mr. Ursery many years ago when he was one of my coaches for a couple years in a row at Johnny Orr basketball camp in Ames, Iowa. He was a great man and I admired him. Today, he randomly popped in my head and I googled him. I am very sad to learn of his passing. Rest In Peace, Coach.

Joel Duffy - July 29, 2025 at 04:28 PM



“ Mr. Jeffrey Ursery

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM

VM

“ Valarie Munerlyn-Coulter lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jeffrey Ursery



Valarie Munerlyn-Coulter - August 23, 2015 at 08:39 PM

VM

“ VALARIE MUNERLYN-COULTER lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jeffrey Ursery



VALARIE MUNERLYN-COULTER - January 03, 2014 at 08:08 PM

JO

“ I remember Jeffrey from school...Great personality! I send my sincere condolences to his family and hope that they know he won't sleep long. He'll probably be one of the first in line for a resurrection. Please read about that day in God's word in the book of John, chapter 5, verses 28 & 29. it states "...for the hour is coming, in which all that are in the graves shall hear his voice and come forth." I would like to encourage you to read Exodus 6:3 and learn more about the God, Jehovah that will use his son, Jesus to awaken Jeffrey from sleeping in death. Joyce Simpson

joyce - December 31, 2013 at 08:38 AM

JT

“ Jake & Margie Toins lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jeffrey Ursery



Jake & Margie Toins - December 29, 2013 at 09:11 PM

LP

“ I met Jeff years ago when he wanted to compile a calendar which included his family members birthday and the theme was famous singers on the cover. We never completed that project but he was an inspiration to me. My condolences to the family for Jeffery loved you all.

Loyce Driskell Tate - Union Printing - December 13, 2013 at 08:01 AM

VM

“ *Vivian McGhee lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jeffrey Ursery*



Vivian McGhee - December 09, 2013 at 12:24 PM

LS

“ *To The Ursery Family, We express our deepest condolences for the passing of Jeff. Our prayers are with the family. May God bless and keep Lorene (Moore) and Barney Sorrells*

Lorene Sorrells - December 08, 2013 at 09:31 PM

WB

“ *Walker Brothers lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jeffrey Ursery*



Walker Brothers - December 08, 2013 at 10:51 AM

QT

“ *Rest in Heaven cousin...from your extended family -Qon*

Qajavanique Thompson - December 08, 2013 at 12:21 AM

KR

“ *Jeff rest well my friend and my brother. Brother in Christ and Brother in Zeta Phi Beta Sigma. You will never be forgotten.*

Kendall E. Reaves - December 06, 2013 at 04:09 AM

CS

“ Cheryl Short lit a candle in memory of Mr. Jeffrey Ursery



Cheryl Short - December 05, 2013 at 08:26 PM

Wg
Washingtc

“ As a friend, fraternity brother and distant cousin I wish that you rest well. I didn't know what kind of friend and mentor you would become when I met you at NW. Through the years we become close due to the fact that you introduced me to the great Fraternity of Phi Beta Sigma! I am sad, but am also happy that you can live in a better place now. I will carry on the things that you have taught me about the frat , people and looking past the bad to carry on despite everything. I will miss you and hope to see you in the next life. Blu Pfi!!



Wg Washington - December 05, 2013 at 11:29 AM



“ RIP Jeff. It has been many years since we last talked but I have great memories of our time at NW c/o '75. I remember great fun and great laughs. My deepest condolences and prayers to the family.

Blake Reaves - December 05, 2013 at 06:24 AM

SM

“ *RIP Ursh! You were a great coach and mentor to me personally and always provided a laugh. You will be missed by all who knew you. Love, Shandell Massey and The Magee Family.*

Shandell Massey - December 04, 2013 at 06:45 PM

PN

“ *May you rest in peace Ursh! The students of Northwestern will remember you and the role you played in our lives.*

Past Students of Northwestern - December 04, 2013 at 12:49 PM

LB

Wow Ursh was the coolest dude hate he passed... Rest n Peace..

LA Bates - December 04, 2013 at 12:57 PM

AF

So sorry to hear of your lost. Jeffrey was as cool as they came. Lost contact through the years but never lost the memories. R.I.P. Jeffrey

Alan Fluker - December 05, 2013 at 09:04 AM

SG

Northwestern Games will no longer be the same with out you. Class of '75 has lost another "GREAT WILDCAT" Sheila Miller-Graham NW c/o '75

Sheila Graham - December 05, 2013 at 05:08 PM

SE

Jeff I will always remember the good times we shared in the neighborhood and at school. God Bless!

Selena Elzy - December 07, 2013 at 11:56 PM