



Jessie Earnest,

October 5, 1940 - September 5, 2009

.EARNEST, Min. Jessie R., Jr. - Age 68, passed away Saturday, September 5, 2009 at Hurley Medical Center. Family hour 11AM Monday, September 14, 2009 at Holbrook Avenue Church of God, 1034 E. Holbrook Ave., with funeral service commencing immediately at 12Noon, Pastor Robert L. Bizzle officiating, Pastor Leo Robinson, Host Pastor. Interment River Rest Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 11AM Monday. Min. Earnest will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home and may be viewed from 10AM-6PM Sunday. Min. Jessie R. Earnest, Jr. was born October 5, 1940 in Philadelphia, Mississippi, the first son of 11 children born to Jessie Ree and Katherine Earnest. He attended Flint Southwestern High School. Jessie retired from Fisher Body Grand Blanc, a division of General Motors, a division General Motors, with 34 years of service. He received a certificate of Masters from the Flint Bible Institute and also loved Biblical teaching, reading his Bible and spreading the Word of God. Jessie was a member of Victory In the Word Church, under the leadership of Pastors Robert L. and Erniece Bizzle. He enjoyed playing dominoes, bid whiz, pool and checkers. He leaves to cherish his memory: 2 daughters, Kimberly Earnest and Lachelle (Deiontrize) Singleton; 4 sons, Eric O., Adrian J. of Cincinnati, OH, Jalen and Le'Mark Earnest, both of Flint; step-daughter, Veri L. Moore; 19 grandchildren, Lanitra, Eric Jr., Taiji, Dante, Aaron, Kamyll, Kivanna, Jermell, Latrell, Quintilla (Timothy) Adams, Latario, Marquon, Rashaud, Auvont'a, Deiontrize, Adrienna, Adrian II, Trevon and Breyden; 8

great-grandchildren,; father, Jessie Ree Earnest. Sr.; 2 sisters, Bobbie (James) Alexander and Brenda (Charles) Jones; 6 brothers, Clide "Mack" (Julie) Earnest, Jerome Earnest, Elton (Darlene) Earnest, Larry Earnest, Johnnie W. and Dwight Earnest; a host of nieces and nephews; 6 aunts, Elone Smith of Sacramento, CA, Ora B. Earnest of Flint, Walterine Stribling of Denver, CO, Rev. Lula M. Earnest of Flint, Rev. Reo Earnest of Philadelphia, MS and Christine Earnest of Sacramento, CA; 4 uncles, Johnnie E. Earnest of Flint, Letroy and Arthur E. Earnest, both of Philadelphia, MS and Odell Talley of Denver, CO; mother and father-in-law, Tommie (Geraldine) Spratt of Richmond, TX; sister-in-law, Cassandra Earnest; many other relatives and friends, including special friends, Pastors Robert and Erniece Bizzle, mothers of his children, Divra A. Earnest and Delores L. Earnest. Min. Earnest was preceded in death by his wife, Tammie Earnest; mother, Katherine Earnest; sister and brother in law, L. S. and Betty Gene (Earnest) Reed; brother, Carlton Earnest and mother-in-law, Mrs. Alice Jean Spratt.

Tribute Wall



“ *Jessie Earnest,*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO THE EARNEST FAMILY. MAY GOD BLESS YOU ALL AS JESSIE MAKES HIS TRANSITION TO HIS ETERNAL HOME WITH GOD. I WILL ALWAYS HAVE SPECIAL MEMORIES OF JESSE AND THE FAMILY. BOBBY IF YOU NEED ME. I AM ONLY A CALL AWAY. GLORIA THOMPSON*

GLORIA THOMPSON - September 05, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Kim, just want you to know that you and your family are in my prayers. My deepest sympathy goes out to you and yours. God Bless and stay strong.*

Tiffany - September 05, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mrs. Alexander (Bobbie) On behalf of the McFarland and Brown families our sincere condolences on your loss. Bobbie, I remember when living on the south side of Flint both you and your mother used to babysit my sister, brother and I. I also remember our years spent working at Hurley Medical Center. Take care and God Bless.*

Barbara McFarland-Brown - September 05, 2009 at 12:00 AM

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“ To the Earnest Family,
God once again has called an angel home. Our prayers are with you as you walk through the final moments of saying goodbye. Death is never easy but God makes it bearable. Remember weeping my endure for a night but joy comes in the morning. Rejoice in the homegoing of Rev. Jessie R Earnest. God has told him job well done and took him home to be with him. Remember the good times and he will always be in your heart.

God Bless,
Chrissy J Davidson & Jimmie Jones Family

Chrissy Jones Davidson - September 05, 2009 at 12:00 AM

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“ To the Earnest Family:

May the Lord bless and comfort you at this sad time in your lives. I will remember you all in my prayers.

Jeanne Wells - September 05, 2009 at 12:00 AM