



Jessie Earnest,

January 18, 1919 - March 10, 2011

EARNEST, Mr. Jessie Ree, Sr. – Age 92, passed away Thursday, March 10, 2011 at his residence. Family hour 10 a.m. Friday, March 18, 2011 at Holbrook Avenue Church of God, 1034 E. Holbrook Ave., with funeral service commencing at 11 a.m. Rev. Nathaniel Ligons officiating, Rev. Leo and Janell Robinson, Host Pastors. Interment Flint Memorial Park Cemetery, G-9506 N. Dort Hwy. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10 a.m. Friday. Mr. Earnest 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. Mr. Jessie R. Earnest, Sr. was born to Aaron and Laura (McCune) Earnest January 18, 1919 in Philadelphia, Mississippi. After farming for many years he moved his family to Flint, Michigan and gained employment at Fisher Body Grand Blanc, a division of General Motors, retiring in 1981 after 30 years of service. Jessie was a member of Holbrook Avenue Church of God. He enjoyed fishing, checkers, telling jokes and spending time with his family. Mr. Jessie R. Earnest, Sr. leaves to cherish his memory 8 children, Clide (Julie) Earnest of Noxapater, MS, Johnnie W. Earnest of Swartz Creek, Bobbie (James) Alexander, Jerome, Elton (Darlene), Larry, Dwight Earnest, and Brenda (Charles) Jones, all of Flint; 45 grandchildren; 48 great-grandchildren; 7 great great-grandchildren; 1 sister; 3 brothers, including Johnnie (Rev. Lula) Earnest; 4 sisters-in-law, including Ora Bell Earnest; a host of nieces, nephews, relatives and friends. Mr. Earnest was preceded in death by his loving wife, Katherine; 2 sons, Jessie, Jr. and Carlton; daughter,

Betty Reed; grandson, Miguel Moore; great-granddaughter, Aliciana; great-grandson, Jacory; parents; 2 brothers and one sister.

Tribute Wall



“ *Jessie Earnest,*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *We the Moore Children, was truly sad to hear of the passing, of Bro. Jessie.*

Know that we're praying, for you one and all. Always remember, that "PRAYER" is the key. God will give you strength and courage, to face each and everyday. God loves you, and we do to. Prayerfully: Kenneth/Deb, Barbara/Shermon, Patty, Sheila, Billy/Viv., and Nita/Kenny. The Grands: Dr. Kim, Tiffiany, Sheree', Kristin/Tony, Kevin II/TaLaya, Terry II, Sheena', D.D., Kyla, Kavottis, Keira, Doron, Doren and Kendrick.

Doris B. Moore-White "Nita" - March 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *All of you are in our prayers. We send our love and blessings. However, remember we are all God's children and God those not make any mistakes.*

LOVE BILL AND PAT WHITE

bill and pat white - March 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CD

“ *To the Earnest Family,
I have fond memories of Bro Jessie, while growing up in Flint and attending Montrose, 12th Street COG. He was a nice person to the Jones girls and always had a smile. Even though I haven't seen him in while due to me relocating as an adult to Columbus, Ohio. The memories of Bro Jessie and Sis Katherine has a special part in my heart.*

During times like this only thing a person can say is "God decided it was time to take another one of his angels home". He is now in heaven with a lot of the other saints sings and shouting.

*God Bless,
Chrissy J. Davidson*

Chrissy Jones Davidson - March 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SW

“ *To the Earnest Family,*

I was saddened to hear Bro. Jack had gone to his heavenly home. I remember him from days gone by. Though your hearts are heavy at this time, remember that God has seen him through and I am sure Sis Katherine was waiting by the gates to usher him in. My prayers are with you and may God embrace you during this difficult time.

Stephanie Jones Whiteside

Stephanie Jones Whiteside - March 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SE

“ *R.I.P Grandpa, You'll live always in my heart.*

Shavonne Earnest - March 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LJ

“ R.I.P Grandpa, I'll always love you, nd you'll forever live in my heart.

LaTasha Jones - March 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TH

“ Sorry to hear about the loss of your loved one. Death is a enemy that we as humans can never get use to. In my times of sorrow I have found comfort in John 5:28,29 which says that one day we will see our loved ones again.

Toi Humbert - March 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MT

“ May God bless the family of Mr. Earnest,as he makes his transition to be with the Lord. "Trust in the Lord with all thy heart.Lean not to your own understanding.In all thy ways acknowledge Him,and He shall direct thy path" Proverb 3:3-5 Missy Gloria Thompson New Life COGIC 4401 Selby St. Supt. Quintin L. Marshall Sr., Pastor

Missy Gloria Thompson - March 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LA

“ Grandpa i miss u dearly you was the best grandpa ever always there when i needed you.. when i heard you pass i was heart broken. rest in peace love always LATASHA

latasha - March 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ My condolence goes out to the Earnest Family. I just want to say you are all in my prayers.There is never a day that this family is not my thoughts. I shared so many memories through Carlton(step father/deceased) with this family.I love you all. You're forever my family. Mr.Earnest Sr. will be missed.

Teaquilla Castellano - March 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TR

“ *My prayers go out the family I have known for many years from Montrose Church and Grandmother Clementine. I know this family believes in God, so trust in him to see you through.*

Love You All!

Trolonda Ryan-Smith - March 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM