



Mr. John William Hunter

April 18, 1934 - October 31, 2019

HUNTER, Mr. John William- Age 85, passed away Thursday, October 31, 2019 at Bella Vita Sr. Living Grand Blanc. Family hour 11:00 AM Saturday, November 9, 2019 at Metropolitan Baptist Tabernacle, 930 E. Myrtle Ave. with funeral service commencing at 12:00 PM Rev. Dr. Herbert Miller II officiating. Interment River Rest Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 11:00 AM Saturday. Mr. Hunter 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 - 8:00 PM Friday with the family present from 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM to receive friends. Mr. John William Hunter was born on April 18, 1934 in Union, Mississippi to parents Mr. & Mrs. Frank and Estelle Hunter. He moved to Flint, Michigan in March 1945 with his parents where he became a member of Metropolitan Baptist Tabernacle and attended regularly until he became ill. John attended Flint Public Schools and was a graduate of Northern High School in 1953. He was also a graduate of Mott Community College in 1971. John was employed at Chevrolet Manufacturing, a division of General Motors Corporation as a Skilled Tradesman from 1952 until 1982 where he was active in UAW Local #659 serving as Chairman of the Education Committee.

In 1974, John was elected Genesee County 1st District County Commissioner and served 6 terms. While on the Board of Commissioners he served as Chairman of the Human Resources Committee as well as several other

committees. After serving as County Commissioner, he was appointed to the Genesee County Board of Road Commissioners where he served 6 years. He was a Member of the NAACP, the Urban League and the Flint Economic Development Corporation. He served as Chairman of the 7th District Democratic Black Caucus, Delegate to the State Democratic Convention and on the Genesee County Substance Abuse Commission. John also served on the Genesee Memorial Hospital Board of Directors and on the Welfare and Social Services Steering Committee for both the National and Michigan Association of Counties. He was truly an effective politician of integrity.

Mr. John Hunter loved fishing, gardening and crossword puzzles. He hosted an Annual Fish Fry where he invited family and friends. John was an avid basketball and football fan and enjoyed spending time at Dawn Donuts discussing politics with his friends.

Mr. John William Hunter leaves to cherish his memory: son, Shaun Hunter of Grand Blanc, MI; a host of nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, many cousins and special friend, Ms. Louise Crawford.

Mr. Hunter was preceded in death by his wife, Rose Mary Hunter; son, Eric Hunter; parents, Frank and Estelle Hunter; 2 sisters, Velma Ruth Wells and Theresa Cousins; brother, Frank Hunter Jr.; and brother-in-law, Lester H. Wells.

The family would like to thank Dr. Henry Mendoza, Dr. Peram Venkatasiva, the staff at Redwood Manor, Bella Vita Senior Living, Mid-Michigan Home Health and Hospice, Metropolitan Baptist Tabernacle, Arthur Mark, Gloria Quinney, Margaret Perry and the many friends and family that consoled us in our time of bereavement.

Cemetery Details

River Rest Cemetery

G-4413 Flushing Rd.
Flint, MI 48504

Previous Events

Public Viewing

NOV 8. 12:00 PM - 8:00 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 Present

NOV 8. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Family hour

NOV 9. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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

Service

NOV 9. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. John William Hunter*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *R.P.I.H Dear Cousin*



Ruthi Hill - November 18, 2019 at 08:59 AM



“ *I worked with John in in the shop and as a county commissioner and have never met a better man. He was a man of his word, and will be missed. Condolences to his family, Dick Hammel*

Richard Hammel - November 09, 2019 at 04:48 PM



“ *Sandra Cabine lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Sandra Cabine - November 09, 2019 at 08:00 AM

MS

“ We will continue to keep the family in our prayers.

Benny & Mae Vern Spence

Marietta Ga.



Mae Vern Spence - November 09, 2019 at 12:17 AM

GH

“ Greta Highgate-Moore lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter



Greta Highgate-Moore - November 08, 2019 at 09:50 PM

TL

“ Toni K. Adams & Msry F. Lyle lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter



Toni K. Adams & Msry F. Lyle - November 08, 2019 at 09:18 PM

ER

“ Elvia Roberson sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. John William Hunter



Elvia Roberson - November 08, 2019 at 08:57 PM



Cassandra Bowen

“ Cassandra Bowen lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter



Cassandra Bowen - November 08, 2019 at 05:55 PM



JP

“ Joan Pointer lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter



Joan Pointer - November 08, 2019 at 04:31 PM



VJ

“ Vivian Johnson-McMillian lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter



Vivian Johnson-McMillian - November 07, 2019 at 09:08 PM



CW

“ Charles & Dorothy (McMullan) Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter



Charles & Dorothy (McMullan) Williams - November 07, 2019 at 05:10 PM

CW

“ *Charles & Dorothy (McMullan) Williams*



Charles Williams - November 07, 2019 at 05:08 PM

RS

“ *Raynetta Speed lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Raynetta Speed - November 07, 2019 at 03:58 PM

TK

“ *Terri Kirkland And Barbara Kirkland sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Terri Kirkland and Barbara Kirkland - November 07, 2019 at 02:57 PM

TK

“ *Terri Kirkland sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Terri Kirkland - November 07, 2019 at 02:56 PM



“ 50 files added to the album Life Tributes



John W. Hunt
SUPPORTS

- Better employment equipment and job training programs.
- Better programs and services for our citizens.
- Better recreational facilities programs.
- Better school control.
- County government should take more initiative in spending, in order to give citizens a higher quality of service without increasing the burden on the taxpayer.

ELECT
John W. Hunter
1st DISTRICT
COUNTY COMMISSIONER
DEMOCRAT



Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home - November 07, 2019 at 01:21 PM

MM

“ Marva Mcdaniel lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter



marva mcdaniel - November 07, 2019 at 12:30 PM

CJ

“ Sending prayers and condolence to the Hunter family.



Curtis and Valerie Williams Jr - November 07, 2019 at 11:52 AM

MP

“ John Hunter loved people and helping the teenagers get summer jobs.
He taught me a lot about politics. He was a true soldier for the people in
Genesee County. He was like a big brother to me and will truly be missed.

Margaret Perry - November 07, 2019 at 10:32 AM

AW

“ Ann Whitaker sent a virtual gift in memory of
Mr. John William Hunter



Ann Whitaker - November 07, 2019 at 08:45 AM

MF

“ Michele Davis And Family sent a virtual gift in
memory of Mr. John William Hunter



Michele Davis and family - November 07, 2019 at 07:04 AM

MJ

“ MIN JACKSON sent a virtual gift in memory of
Mr. John William Hunter



MIN JACKSON - November 07, 2019 at 05:47 AM



“ *Maggie Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Maggie Williams - November 07, 2019 at 12:06 AM



“ *Ozell Burns lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Ozell Burns - November 06, 2019 at 07:52 PM



“ *Tujunana Reaves lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Tujunana Reaves - November 06, 2019 at 07:01 PM



“ *Peggy Stribling lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Peggy Stribling - November 06, 2019 at 12:53 PM

RS

“ *RE-NAYE SANDERS lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



RE-NAYE SANDERS - November 06, 2019 at 12:28 PM

PR

“ *To the Hunter Family:*

I was sorry to hear about the passing of your loved one. Death is liken to a thief that comes and takes away our love ones. Or due to old age and sickness we lose that precious gift of life that leads to death.



However, have you ever asked: Is death the end of it all? Or is there something else after death? The bible clears up any question we might have about death. It also shows that there is a real hope for persons who have faith.

*Yours truly,
Patricia*

Patricia Rison - November 06, 2019 at 10:01 AM

MW

“ *Mary & Diane Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Mary & Diane Williams - November 05, 2019 at 03:05 PM

RP

“ TO THE FAMILY AND FRIENDS OF MR. HUNTER: SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS. MAY GOD GRANT YOU PEACE AND COMFORT IN YOUR TIME OF NEED. GOD BLESS.

ROSE PITTMAN

Rose Pittman - November 05, 2019 at 07:40 AM

VS

“ Valerie Southall lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter



Valerie Southall - November 04, 2019 at 10:10 PM

EG

“ Earlene Groom lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter



Earlene Groom - November 04, 2019 at 09:20 PM

JM

“ Janice O Mcintosh lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter



janice o mcintosh - November 04, 2019 at 08:16 PM

CB

“ *Cherry L. Brown lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Cherry L. Brown - November 04, 2019 at 07:26 AM

JK

“ *Jesse Kirksey lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Jesse Kirksey - November 04, 2019 at 01:30 AM

VK

“ *Vivian Kelley lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Vivian Kelley - November 03, 2019 at 07:55 PM

BV

“ *The Viverette Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter.*



Billy Gene Viverette - November 03, 2019 at 02:51 PM

LL

“ *Linda Lenear lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Linda Lenear - November 03, 2019 at 12:03 PM

CJ

“ *Cjackson lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Cjackson - November 03, 2019 at 10:49 AM

JS

“ *Jacqueline Scott lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Jacqueline Scott - November 02, 2019 at 09:24 PM

MF

“ *Manning Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Manning Family - November 02, 2019 at 08:54 PM

JW

“ *Janice & Clyde Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



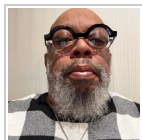
Janice & Clyde Williams - November 02, 2019 at 08:54 PM

WH

“ *Wanda Harrison lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Wanda Harrison - November 02, 2019 at 08:05 PM



“ *A Jeffrey LaValley lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



A Jeffrey LaValley - November 02, 2019 at 06:05 PM

JG

“ *James, Ondria Gillespie lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



James, Ondria Gillespie - November 02, 2019 at 03:09 PM

SE

“ *Sandra Epps sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Sandra Epps - November 02, 2019 at 02:32 PM

FM

“ *Condolences to the family from Bernard, Fay and Vance Montgomery*



Fay Montgomery - November 02, 2019 at 08:16 AM

SE

“ *Sandra Epps sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Sandra Epps - November 01, 2019 at 07:03 PM

CC

“ *Clarence And Bettina Campbell lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Clarence and Bettina Campbell - November 01, 2019 at 06:18 PM

AH

“ *Anita Harris lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Anita Harris - November 01, 2019 at 03:32 PM

LC

“ *Lydia Coleman lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Lydia Coleman - November 01, 2019 at 02:15 PM

BW

“ *Betty Wiggins lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Betty Wiggins - November 01, 2019 at 11:00 AM

BE

“ *Betty lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Betty - November 01, 2019 at 10:59 AM

SP

“ *Sandra Payne lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Sandra Payne - October 31, 2019 at 05:08 PM

IH

“ *Iris Hare lit a candle in memory of Mr. John William Hunter*



Iris Hare - October 31, 2019 at 11:09 AM