



Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.

September 2, 1930 - December 30, 2018

GRAY, Mr. Johney Louis Sr. - Age 88, passed away Sunday, December 30, 2018 at his residence. Family hour 11AM Saturday, January 5, 2019 from Antioch Baptist Church, 1183 E. Stewart Ave., with funeral service commencing at 12PM. Rev. Wallace Hill, officiating. Interment Great Lakes National Cemetery, 4200 Belford Rd., Holly, MI. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 11AM Saturday. Mr. Gray will lie in state in the Chapel of the Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd. and may be viewed 12PM-8PM Friday, family present to receive friends 6PM-8PM.

Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr. was born September 2, 1930 in Crawford, Mississippi, the son of the late Mr. & Mrs. Moses A. and Mary M. Gray. He was a former member of Charity Missionary Baptist Church in Mississippi. Johney made his transition from this life on Sunday, December 30, 2018 at home surrounded by loved ones. He was a loyal and dutiful member of the Antioch Missionary Baptist Church where he served on the Security Ministry until his illness. Johney also served 1 term in the United States Army as a Med Tech and in the United States Air Force as Military Policeman. He was employed by Buick Motor Company, a division of General Motors for a brief period of time. Johney retired from the United States Postal Service as Building Maintenance Engineer after 31 years of service. Mr. Gray also worked as a Security Officer at Mott Foundation through Guardsmark. He was a member of the Southern Gentleman's Club. Mr. Gray married Willie Faye

Simms in November of 1960 and from that union 5 children were born.

Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr. leaves to cherish his memory: wife of 33 years, Virginia Bullock-Gray; son, Johney Louis Gray Jr.; daughters, Teresa (Andre) Gray-Perkins, Kari Gray and Naomi (Christian) Johnson; step-children, Thomas (Gearldine) Williams, Andrea Williams, Sharon Bullock Keels, Robin Thompson; special grandchild, DeMara Williams Sr.; sister, Nettie Bell; sisters-in-law, Earnestine Gray and Nelda Neal; brothers-in-law, Arvin (Mary) Williams, Demson (Anturnett) Williams, Mildred Williams, Robert Brumfield and Jesse (Valerie) Simms; a host of grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, family and friends.

Mr. Gray was preceded in death by his daughter, Daphne Gray; grandson, Deonté Sawyer; step-son, Perry Bullock; parents, Moses A. and Mary M. Gray; 4 sisters; and 6 brothers.

The family would like to express a special thanks to sister-in-law, Earnestine Gray, special nieces and nephews, Mary Dulaney, Mary Tucker, J.B. Odneal, Charles Jupree, Dr. Roda, Dr. Tommy Stevens, respiratory therapist, Jessica Green, Sharon Keels and granddaughters, Destiny Johnson and Camisha Gray.

Cemetery Details

Great Lakes National Cemetery

G-4200 Belford Rd.
Holly, MI 48442

Previous Events

Viewing

JAN 4. 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

JAN 4. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Family hour

JAN 5. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Antioch Missionary Baptist Church
1083 E Stewart Ave
Flint, MI 48505
(810) 789-2931

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Ruthi Hill lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.*



Ruthi Hill - February 11, 2019 at 05:32 PM



“ *Christian Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.*



Christian Johnson - January 15, 2019 at 07:29 PM



“ *Freda Ratliff-Williams & Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.*



Freda Ratliff-Williams & Family - January 08, 2019 at 02:27 PM

CC

“ Curtis E. Cobbin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.



Curtis E. Cobbin - January 08, 2019 at 10:52 AM

JM

“ Lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.



Joan McKinnie-Sanders - January 05, 2019 at 05:22 PM

L.

“ Lisa .Payton sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.



Lisa .Payton - January 05, 2019 at 04:20 PM

NB

“ Nancy & Robert Bell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.



Nancy & Robert Bell - January 05, 2019 at 11:00 AM

GT

“ Geraldine Turner lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.



geraldine turner - January 05, 2019 at 10:21 AM

LO

“ Linda Odneal lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.



linda odneal - January 05, 2019 at 09:42 AM

MB

“ Marilyn Burrell-Banks lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.



Marilyn Burrell-Banks - January 05, 2019 at 09:33 AM

CS

“ Carolyn Spight lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.



carolyn Spight - January 04, 2019 at 05:58 PM

LA

“ *Lois A.Cunningham lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.*



Lois A.Cunningham - January 04, 2019 at 01:40 PM

YC

“ *Sending condolences to the Gray Family, From the Tucker and Ward Family Club*



Yvette Tucker Collins - January 04, 2019 at 12:50 PM

CC

Sorry to hear of the transition to heaven of Johney. Worked with him at the Post Office.

Curtis E. Cobbin - January 08, 2019 at 10:58 AM

TC

“ *Tucker & Ward Family Club lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.*



Tucker & Ward Family Club - January 04, 2019 at 12:44 PM

FG

“ To the Family of Johney Louis Gray
My prayers and sympathy to each of you.
Johney was a co-worker at the U.S. Post
Office
in Flint. He was a very hard worker and was
pleasant to work with. May God grant you peace and comfort.



Fredricka "Ricky" Gist

Fredricka "Ricky" Gist - January 04, 2019 at 12:30 PM



“ 61 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home - January 04, 2019 at 10:27 AM

SH

“ *Sheka Hill lit a candle in memory of Mr.
Johney Louis Gray Sr.*



Sheka Hill - January 04, 2019 at 09:26 AM

SM

“ *Sharon Mixon lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.*



Sharon Mixon - January 04, 2019 at 05:13 AM

BG

“ *Brenda Greer lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.*



Brenda Greer - January 04, 2019 at 12:25 AM

DM

“ *My deepest sympathy to the entire Gray Family. You have fought a good fight and now you are ready to receive your reward from our Father in Heaven. May God be with you in the coming days Mother Gray.*

Dolotes McGowan - January 03, 2019 at 10:14 PM

DJ

“ *Dennis & Shirley Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.*



Dennis & Shirley Jackson - January 03, 2019 at 06:02 PM

NI

“ *Nita lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.*



Nita - January 03, 2019 at 05:46 PM

CB

“ *Carolyn Buckley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.*



Carolyn Buckley - January 03, 2019 at 05:32 PM

LI

“ *Sending heartfelt and sincere condolences to the family. I will always cherish the moments that Mr. Gray and my father shared. They are now reunited in heaven.*



LeGayle Ireland - January 03, 2019 at 05:28 PM

WH

“ *Wanda Harrison lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.*



Wanda Harrison - January 03, 2019 at 03:46 PM

RM

“ *Rev Phyllis MCree lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.*



Rev Phyllis MCree - January 03, 2019 at 10:22 AM

SH

“ *Sandy Hairston lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.*



Sandy Hairston - January 03, 2019 at 08:27 AM

DG

“ *Praying for the Gray family!*



Diane Gray - January 03, 2019 at 07:59 AM

MP

“ *MINISTER PAM lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.*



MINISTER PAM - January 03, 2019 at 07:43 AM

DD

“ *My deepest condolences to the Grey family, may you find comfort from prayer and God's promises (2Cor.1:3,4).*

Doris D - January 03, 2019 at 06:10 AM

DK

“ *Doris E. Keels lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.*



Doris E. Keels - January 02, 2019 at 11:46 PM

SJ

“ *Senita & Jackie Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.*



Senita & Jackie Jackson - January 02, 2019 at 10:32 PM



“ *MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO THE FAMILY AND FRIENDS OF MR. GRAY.*

RE-NAYE SANDERS - January 02, 2019 at 06:21 PM



“ *RE-NAYE SANDERS lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.*



RE-NAYE SANDERS - January 02, 2019 at 06:19 PM



“ *Rudy And Geneva Ward lit a candle in memory of Mr. Johney Louis Gray Sr.*



Rudy and Geneva Ward - January 02, 2019 at 05:50 PM