



Deacon Joseph "J.C." Ford

October 28, 1943 - September 16, 2024

FORD, Dea. Joseph "J.C." - Age 80, passed away Monday, September 16, 2024 at Medilodge - Montrose, MI. Family Hour 10:00 AM Saturday, September 28, 2024 at First Union Baptist Church, 7004 Fleming Rd., with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM. Elder Danny Greene, officiating. Interment River Rest Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10:00 AM Saturday, September 28, 2024. Dea. Ford will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed Friday, September 27, 2024 from 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM. Mr. Joseph Corfed Ford "JC" was born October 19, 1943 in Lake Charles, LA to the union of Raleigh Ford Sr. and Florence A. Jackson. At an early age he was converted and baptized by the Reverend M.M Cuby New Life Baptist Church in Lake Charles, LA. Joseph graduated from Washington High School in Lake Charles, LA. "JC" married Wilma Ruth Evans and from their union two sons were born; Brian and Corey. J.C. was married for 53 years. He moved to Flint, Michigan and was gainfully employed at General Motors Corporation, retiring after 40 years of service. Joseph was a faithful member of First Union Baptist Church where he served as a Deacon until his health began to fail. "JC" was a friendly man who enjoyed good food and conversation. He was also a good listener and won the admiration of both old and young. He touched many lives and will be greatly missed. Mr. Joseph Corfed Ford leaves to cherish his memories; son, Brian (LaKisha) Ford of Mt. Morris, MI; grandchildren, Ryan Ford of Oregon and Bryan (Savannah) Ford

of Virginia; sister, Melva (Pastor Isaiah) Thibodeaux of Lake Charles, LA, Cherry Newman of Jacksonville, FL, Wanderlon Barnes of Houston, TX and Catherine Faye Ford of Lake Charles, LA; brother, Rev. Raleigh (Connie) Ford Jr. of Flint; uncle, Rev. Ernest Ford Sr. of Lake Charles, LA; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and special goddaughters; special cousins and friends, the Nelson family, Ernest Ford Jr., Terry Boone-Love, the Callaway family, McAlpine Drive and Marengo Street Neighbors. Mr. Ford was preceded in death by wife, Wilma Ruth Ford; son, Corey Ford; parents, Raleigh Ford Sr. and Florence A Jackson Ford; sister Marva Blue; niece, Netra Ford Hughes; sister-in-law, Edna Livingston.

Cemetery Details

River Rest Cemetery

G-4413 Flushing Rd.
Flint, MI 48504

Previous Events

Viewing

SEP **27**. 12:00 PM - 6:00 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 hour

SEP **28**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

First Union Baptist Church
7004 Fleming Rd.
Flint, MI 48505

Funeral Service

SEP **28**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Flint, MI 48505

Tribute Wall

AC

“ Brain I'm praying for and your family. You have my condolences.



Arnette Callaway - September 28, 2024 at 05:47 PM

SW

“ To Bryan and Family, We send our heart felt condolences to you. JC and Wilma were very special to the Callaway family. I will miss his easy going manner and pray that you and your family will be comforted by the good times you all shared. We continue to lift you up. Sylvia Wells-Swinton

Sylvia Wells-Swinton - September 28, 2024 at 03:55 PM

ST

“ Lighting a candle for JC and his family!!! 🙏🙏



Sherry Turner - September 28, 2024 at 12:10 PM

WS

“ To Brian (LaKisha), grandchildren, siblings, and "entire" Ford family: We are praying for you with heartfelt sympathy. May God give you strength when yours is gone, may His grace and mercy carry you on.(DaySpring) "...GOD is the strength of my heart and my portion forever."- Psalm 75:26 "The Lord bless you and keep you...and give you peace."- Numbers 6:24-26 Charles & Willene(Smith) Sumpter, Mt. Morris, MI (Wilma's cousins, via Kiblah, AR)



Willene (Smith) Sumpter - September 28, 2024 at 11:28 AM

JF

“ Jamerson Family lit a candle in memory of Joseph Ford



Jamerson Family - September 28, 2024 at 10:29 AM

AM

“ Annette Miller lit a candle in memory of Joseph Ford



Annette Miller - September 28, 2024 at 10:23 AM

BF

“ *Bonnie ford lit a candle in memory of Joseph Ford*



Bonnie ford - September 28, 2024 at 10:13 AM

DT

“ *New Light Baptist Church shares with First Lady Emeritus Dr. Melva Ford Thibodeaux and Usher President Sister Catherine Faye Ford as Deacon Joseph C. Ford(their brother) takes breath into our ongoing life with Christ. To Byran, wife and family, God's love be yours To all our family and friends, may The Holy Spirit be present with us always!*



*Be it Resolved,
Senior Pastor Dr. Troy Thibodeaux
Pastor Emeritus Dr. Isiah Thibodeaux, Jr. PhD
Asst. Pastor Flyodd Reeder
9/28/2024*

Dr. Melva Ford Thibodeaux - September 27, 2024 at 07:13 PM

GP

“ *Greg & Toy Pridegon sent a virtual gift in memory of Deacon Joseph "J.C." Ford*



Greg & Toy Pridegon - September 27, 2024 at 05:52 PM

JH

“ *Judy Harris lit a candle in memory of Deacon Joseph "J.C." Ford*



Judy Harris - September 27, 2024 at 09:16 AM

CC

“ *Candy Claxton-Frelix lit a candle in memory of Deacon Joseph "J.C." Ford*



Candy Claxton-Frelix - September 26, 2024 at 09:42 AM

JG

“ *Jeanette Grady lit a candle in memory of Deacon Joseph "J.C." Ford*



Jeanette Grady - September 25, 2024 at 10:32 PM

VL

“ *Vincent Lipford lit a candle in memory of Deacon Joseph "J.C." Ford*



Vincent Lipford - September 25, 2024 at 04:32 PM

JW

“ JC will be greatly missed. My memories of him and his dear wife, Wilma will stay with me forever. Both were wonderful loving people. JC is now resting in the arms of Jesus Christ. My deepest sympathy to the family.



Jackie Williams - September 25, 2024 at 02:36 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Deacon Joseph "J.C." Ford.



September 25, 2024 at 02:31 PM

CS

“ Chastity Sumpter lit a candle in memory of Deacon Joseph "J.C." Ford



Chastity Sumpter - September 24, 2024 at 08:24 PM

VK

“ Victoria Kilgore sent a virtual gift in memory of Deacon Joseph "J.C." Ford



Victoria Kilgore - September 24, 2024 at 07:45 AM

SJ

“ *Senita & Jacquie Jackson sent a virtual gift in memory of Deacon Joseph "J.C." Ford*



Senita & Jacquie Jackson - September 23, 2024 at 12:01 PM

SM

“ *Our condolences and prayers to the Ford families.*



Sidney & Gwen Muldrew - September 22, 2024 at 07:35 AM



“ *Chloria Boone lit a candle in memory of Joseph Ford*



Chloria Boone - September 21, 2024 at 09:26 PM

JD

“ *Jean Durrett lit a candle in memory of Deacon Joseph "J.C." Ford*



Jean Durrett - September 21, 2024 at 02:24 AM

JD

“ Jean Durrett lit a candle in memory of Deacon Joseph "J.C." Ford



Jean Durrett - September 21, 2024 at 01:05 AM

KR

“ Kermit & Genell (Crain) Reeves lit a candle in memory of Deacon Joseph "J.C." Ford



Kermit & Genell (Crain) Reeves - September 20, 2024 at 07:41 PM

GP

“ Gloria Powell lit a candle in memory of Deacon Joseph "J.C." Ford



gloria powell - September 19, 2024 at 06:55 PM

DD

“ Diane Dacosta lit a candle in memory of Deacon Joseph "J.C." Ford



Diane Dacosta - September 19, 2024 at 01:42 PM

FM

“ Fred Marshall sent a virtual gift in memory of Deacon Joseph "J.C." Ford



Fred Marshall - September 19, 2024 at 01:04 PM

CM

“ Caroline Miller lit a candle in memory of Deacon Joseph "J.C." Ford



Caroline Miller - September 18, 2024 at 06:24 PM

VS

“ Vera Styles sent a virtual gift in memory of Deacon Joseph "J.C." Ford



Vera Styles - September 18, 2024 at 12:48 PM

TB

“ Deacon JOSEPH FORD and his wife WILMA FORD were my GOD PARENTS, We worshiped together for many years at First Union Baptist Church and THEY TRULY LOVED ME!

I visited my God Father EVERY SUNDAY since the Day he was Admitted into Medilodge of Montrose, several years ago! Wilma is welcoming you home!

Love, Terry



TERRY BOONE-LOVE - September 17, 2024 at 10:07 AM

PS

“ Pamala Simpson lit a candle in memory of Deacon Joseph "J.C." Ford



Pamala Simpson - September 16, 2024 at 07:12 PM

DM

Lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joe Ford. First met him putting up the snow fence on McAlpine Drive.

Douglas May - September 20, 2024 at 09:46 PM

DM

Condolences to the Ford Family.

Douglas May - September 24, 2024 at 12:35 PM