



## Karuth White

September 11, 1916 - March 6, 2008

WHITE, Mr. Karuth - passed away Thursday, March 6, 2008 at his residence. Family hour 6-8PM Friday, March 14, 2008 at Christ Fellowship Missionary Baptist Church, with funeral service commencing 11AM Saturday, March 15, 2008 at Christ Fellowship Missionary Baptist Church, 317 E. Hamilton Ave., Dr. Leroy Shelton, officiating. Interment River Rest Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 11AM Saturday. Mr. White will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 11AM-8PM Thursday and 9AM-3PM Friday. After which Mr. White will be taken to the church for the family hour. Mr. Karuth White born September 11, 1916 in McCaskill, Arkansas, the son of Edward and Gussie White. He moved to Little Rock, Arkansas where he held various jobs including "Chef" on the railroad, and working for the Polaroid Company. He also served a tour of duty with the US Army. Karuth White and Ollie Washington were united in Holy Matrimony on December 31, 1939 and remained so until her passing 54 years later. In 1955 they moved to Flint, Michigan where he worked for General Motors until retiring in 1981. Karuth enjoyed traveling, fishing, gardening, and sports, especially the Detroit Tigers and Pistons. He loved his family and was especially fond of his grandchildren, and great-grandchildren whom he affectionately called his "GG's". Mr. White was a member of Christ Fellowship Missionary Baptist Church serving faithfully until his illness on the Trustee Board as Chairman and the Senior Usher Board. Karuth was also a member

of the Robbie Lane Block Club and Eureka Lodge #16. He leaves to cherish his memory: daughter, Adell Eldridge; son, Robert (Jacqueline) White; 7 grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; 4 great-great-grandchildren; 2 brothers, Edward and Vernice White of Richmond, CA; sister, Irene Greene, of Richmond, CA; brother-in-law, John (Ruth) Washington of Tulsa, OK; 5 sisters-in-law, Ernestine, Willie, and Clara Washington of Flint, Inez Melton of Minneapolis, MN, and Kim White of Portland, WA; a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends, including the Christ Fellowship Missionary Baptist Church family and the Robbie Lane Block Club. Mr. White was preceded in death by his wife, Ollie; parents; 3 brothers; 1 sister; 4 brothers-in-law; 4 sisters-in-law; and 7 nephews.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Karuth White*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *To the White Family:*

*Our family remembers with fond memories the relationship between the two families. We extend our deepest sympathy to your family. You will be in our thoughts and prayers. We will miss your father, Mr. Karuth. God will take care of you. Trust Him!*

*James and Cynthia Blathers Davis & Sons*

**Cynthia Blathers Davis** - March 06, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *I am so sorry to hear of your loss. May the Lord be with all of you. Believe and he will carry you through this trouble time in life.*

*Love you  
Teresia Beaty*

**Teresia Beaty** - March 06, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ I was 9 years old when our family met Mr. White "Pork Chop" (in the mid 50's). He was the assistant to the bricklayer of our house. Occasionally, I ran into him, and I remember our great conversations. He was a never nice person, and I was very sorry to hear of his demise. But it should be comforting to know he's now dwelling in the kingdom of God.

*May our Lord continue to strengthen and comfort your hearts and minds during this difficult time.*

*Love,  
Jackie Hill*

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**Jackie Hill** - March 06, 2008 at 12:00 AM