



Mr. Kelly Giles Jr.

August 1, 1925 - December 21, 2014

GILES, JR., Mr. Kelly - Age 89, passed away Sunday, December 21, 2014 at his residence. Family hour 10:30 a.m. Monday, December 29, 2014 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral services commencing at 11:00 a.m. Interment Sunset Hills Association, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the funeral home 10:30 a.m. Monday. Mr. Giles will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E Moon Funeral Home and may be viewed from 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. Sunday.

Mr. Kelly Giles, Jr. was born August 1, 1925 in Flint, Michigan, the youngest of three children born to the union of Kelly Giles, Sr. and Della Ratliff. He attended Flint Public Schools. Kelly served in the United States Army at the end of World War II and was Honorably Discharged. He was employed at Sears, Roebuck and Co., National Cash Register and Turnstedt which became Fisher Guide, a division of General Motors Co., retiring in 1994. He also operated Kelly Giles Tax Service from home along with providing some Bookkeeping Services. Kelly greatly enjoyed baseball and would take his grandsons to the Detroit Tigers games in the old Tiger Stadium. He accepted Christ at an early age under the ministry of B.M. Nottage in Detroit, MI, gaining a firm understanding of the Word of God. Kelly was affiliated with the Brethren churches in Detroit, MI for many years. As an avid Bible student he searched the scriptures and studied New Testament Greek. Kelly always

express his longing to see Jesus face to face. That desire became a reality for him when he passed from this life on December 21, 2014.

Mr. Kelly Giles, Jr. leaves in God's care: devoted and patient wife of 32 years, caregiver who at time he has referred to as a Proverbs 31 wife, Helen Giles; also saddened by his homegoing are two children, son, Kelly Reuben Giles (LetLet) of Manila, Philippines; daughter, Delcene Elizabeth (Rev. Jobe) Hughley of Detroit, MI; four grandsons, Bryan Patrick (Krystal) Giles of Detroit, MI, Tony Vaness (Becky) Giles of Guam, David Koji Giles of Georgetown, SC and Jason Philip Hughley of Detroit, MI; granddaughter, Linda Kii (Richard) Garite of Fairfield, CA; niece, Mary Lou Tolbert of Baldwin, MI; devoted and attentive niece, Edradean (Pastor John) Thornton; 2 brothers-in-law, Lester Hawkins of Flint and Min. Eddie (Bonnie) Hawkins of Cleveland, OH; two sisters-in-law, Verna Henderson of Atlanta, GA and Claudia Beasley of Los Angeles, CA; a host of other relatives and friends.

Mr. Giles was preceded in death by his great-granddaughter, Allison Ranea Giles; father, Kelly Giles, Sr.; mother, Della Ratliff; brother, A. Alonzo Giles; sister, Eleanor Hughes.

The family would like to express special thanks to Bro. and Sis. Byron and Sherri Tapo for continued friendship and assistance to the family.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Hills Association

G-4413 Flushing Rd.
Flint, MI

Previous Events

Public Viewing

DEC **28**. 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home Chapel, Flint
906 W. Flint Park Blvd.
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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Kelly Giles Jr.*

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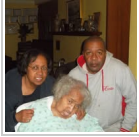
“ *It's been an incredibly long time since I saw Brother and Sister Giles so I hate to even hear this! I extend my deepest condolences to the family, and may time heal what words cannot... -The Davis Family from New Hope Baptist Church*

Jessica Davis - December 29, 2014 at 10:20 AM



“ *I would just like to say thank you to my dad for giving me the special gift of life, A gift that I will always cherish, and try my best to handle with great care, and try to continue the legacy that my father was moving forward. My father was looking for my address once, when I was living in California. So he looked up the name Kelly Giles, because we share the same name. To his surprise, hundreds of names popped up. He told me about this, and I was also shocked, because I thought it was only us two. but no matter how many Kelly Giles's that are out there, there is only one of them that is my dad, Kelly Giles, JR.....Kelly Reuben Giles, Son.*

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“ Well, I just want to say that, I'm very grateful for my father giving me the special gift of life. I'll do my best to carry on his legacy, and make sure it lives on. That will probably be an insurmountable task for me, but I will try and do my very best. Once my father was trying to find my address in California, so he looked up the name, Kelly Giles, because we share the same name. To his surprise hundreds of names came up. When he told me that, I was shocked also, because I thought there was only us two, with that name. I was wrong on how many they were, but there will always be only one Kelly Giles, JR, my father-----Kelly Reuben Giles, son.

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“ *Statement by Pastor Christopher Brooks
Senior Pastor of Evangel Ministries – Detroit MI*

Monday, December 22, 2014

It is with deepest regrets that I am unable to attend next week's service for your loved one, Mr. Kelly Giles, Jr.

To Sister Delcene Hughley, please know that Min. Yodit and I love you. Your Evangel family will continue to cover you and your family in prayer as you grieve the loss of your beloved father.

To the rest of the family, my prayers are with you today. I encourage you to seek the God of all comfort. He is the only one who is able to comfort and carry you through this difficult time.

*With my deepest regards,
Christopher W. Brooks
Senior Pastor of Evangel Ministries*

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