



## Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.

May 5, 1953 - January 9, 2026

ALTHEIMER, Dr. Kenneth Sr. - Age 72, passed away Friday, January 9, 2026, at Hurley. Family hour 1:30 PM Friday, January 23, 2026, from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral service commencing at 2:00 PM Pastor Paul Richmond, officiating. Friends and family will assemble at the funeral home 1:30 PM Friday. Dr. Altheimer will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home and may be viewed from 8:30 AM until time of service.

Dr. Kenneth Altheimer, Sr. Ph.D, Theo, quietly transitioned from this earthly life to be with the Lord on January 9, 2026, at 2:07 P.M. at Hurley Medical Center, ICU- Flint, Michigan, with his loving wife at his bedside.

Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr. was born May 5, 1953, in Flint, Michigan, his entire life. He was the youngest of three brothers and no sisters. Kenneth Altheimer attended Flint Community Schools, his entire educational journey includes his graduation from Flint, Northwestern High School on June 18, 1971. He then attended Mott college after high School, with a strong major interest in Algebra.

Dr. Altheimer joined Metropolitan Baptist Tabernacle and was baptized by Pastor A. J. Pointer on February 3, 1991. This was the beginning of his spiritual journey into the Ministry that God had counted him faithful to serve in. Shortly after his journey began, his spirit that was after God's own heart began

to crave more in-depth teaching of the word of God. Kenneth followed his heart as God spoke to him, and this led him to the Full Gospel Christian Church/Bible College & Seminary, 5901 Martin Luther King Ave, under the leadership of Pastor Dr. James L. Wheeler Sr., Ph.D, Theo., where he instantly became a full fledged member and a dedicated, faithful servant in the body of Christ, for many years until his health began to deteriorate. His last assignment of servitude there at the Full Gospel Christian Church even in his sickness, was summer 2024, assisting in beautification of "God's House of Prayer. His health wasn't at its best, but he felt the need to assist in cutting down & tying up overgrown bushes, removing weeds on the facility's grounds & painting the yellow parking lines. It was a struggle for him, but he wasn't one to easily give up. He would always press on to see any given project completed to the best of his ability.

During Kenneth's years of servitude at the "Full Gospel Christian Church/ Bible College & Seminary", he earned & received many accolades & certificates of excellence. Here are just a few which included Doctorate of Theology December 17, 2000, (Distinguished Achievement Advanced Studies above the Doctorate in Theology December 16, 2001 & May 26, 2002) ( Teacher's Certificate May 27th 2007 & December 16, 2007) (Certificate of Ordination December 7, 2007) (License to Preach the Gospel & called into the Ministry December 16, 2007) (Certificate – Superintendent of Sunday School December 14, 2015).

Dr. Altheimer began his work career at Buick City, a division of General Motors Corporatin and was a member of UAW Local #599 from 1973-1991, from there he moved on to Delta Tube & Manufacturing, retiring after 20 years of employment there, and after working a total of over 40 years.

Kenneth's hobbies included walking, exercising, keeping the driveway shoveled & clean after any amount of snow, & assisting others in their effort to keep theirs clean as well, whether they were home or not at the time of the snowfall. Also, studying the bible, visiting with & spending much time with the

grands, taking them on outings, collecting and reading books of many different subjects and interests, challenging his brain with Algebra using "YOUTUBE", as one of his main sources, and listening to music, mainly old school Gospel Greats, such as Abertina Walker, Pastor James Cleavland & many, many more. Last but certainly not least, Kenneth, enjoyed and participated & assisted painstakingly without fail in helping to give out food & water at Bethel United Methodist Church for past 4-5 years, at least until his health wouldn't allow him to do so anymore as this past Summer of 2025 until his transitioning January 2026

Kenneth was truly my lifelong love of my life, an easy-going person with a heart of gold So-to-Speak. He would many times try and look on the brighter side of any given situation no matter how things looked in reality. He withheld much from those who may have said or did him wrong and usually would not let them know that they posed an ill feeling upon him but would instead come home and share with me what the concern was and/or what & how he really feels about that situation. That was his way of keeping the peace. Romans 12:18 & Hebrews 12:14 live peaceably among all men if possible. But at the same time, we knew that it wasn't always an easy thing to do, without at least talking about it to help relieve some of the tension. Kenneth took advantage of and enjoyed joining in with family members who lived nearby or those who would travel from afar, especially during the holidays or other times of special events.

Dr. Kenneth Altheimer, Sr. Ph.D, "Theo" leaves to cherish his memory: loving wife of 42 years & life partner of 51 years total, Dr. Patricia Altheimer, Ph.D, Theo.; son, United States, Army Sargeant- 1st Class, Kenneth (Renee) Altheimer Jr. of Washington State; 2 daughters, Lawanna Hall of Flint and Anita (Gregory) Terry of Michigan; special son-in-love, Anthony Jackson Sr.; 10 grandchildren, Anthony Jackson Jr., Ashton Jackson, AaMir Jackson, Anthony Thornton, Mykayla Foster, A'Mariya Foster, Journey Altheimer of

Texas, Airen Altheimer, Ace Altheimer, both of Washington State and Airl Altheimer of New Orleans, LA; a host of great-grandchildren; brother, Titus Alan Altheimer; niece, Ashley Coolidge; nephew, Omar (Normethal) Brown - EL; a host of other relatives and friends with special recognition of his support/care circle during his time of trials, son-in-love, Mr. Anthony Jackson Sr., Mr. Paul Richmond, Mr. Anthony Altheimer Sr., Mr. Cornelius Calloway, Mr. Simeo Overalls, Mr. Larry Jones, Mr. Chavelle Punkin of Flint.

Dr. Altheimer was preceded in death by his mother, Johnnie Altheimer; father, Titus Altheimer; brother, Derrick Altheimer; baby girl, Aonnii DeVae Foster; mother-in-law, Winnie Beatrice Gibbs; step-father-in-law, James Gibbs; father-in-law, James Hall; aunts, Eloise Lampkin, Thelma Cheatom and Ana Jane Dantzler.

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

JAN 23. 8:30 AM - 2:00 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 & viewing

JAN 23. 1:30 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

JAN 23. 2:00 PM (ET)

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TD

“ I am so sorry to hear of your passing, May you rest in Gods' stead. God Bless you and your family.



Tracy DavisMcNeal - January 26 at 06:52 PM

RB

“ Rose M Buggs lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.



Rose M Buggs - January 23 at 02:55 PM

PL

“ Condolences to the families of Kenneth. I worked with Kenny as we called him, at Buick in the 80's. He was so kind and humble. RIP



Phyllis Lakes - January 23 at 02:01 PM

AG

“ Andrew L. Gayden lit a candle in memory of Kenneth Altheimer Sr.



Andrew L. Gayden - January 23 at 09:25 AM

CJ

“ *Dr Kenneth Atheimer Sr was my neighbor for 43 years I will always remember that smile and the many minutes we talked when we met up outside Cottrell Evans*



Cottrell Evans Jr - January 22 at 09:16 PM

LH



Lawanna Hall - January 31 at 04:24 PM

MC

“ *Margaret Copeny purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Dr. Kenneth Atheimer Sr..*



Margaret Copeny - January 22 at 08:02 PM

DB

“ *I was so sorry to hear about Kenneth's passing.*

*My condolences to the entire family.*

*We were 1971 Northwestern classmates and neighborhood friends before I moved to Illinois.*

*May he rest in peace* 🙏🙏🙏

*Deacon Dwayne A. Bell Grayslake, Illinois*



Dwayne A. Bell - January 22 at 07:39 PM



“ *Sheila Johnson-Toins lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



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**Sheila Johnson-Toins** - January 22 at 10:14 AM

LH

“ *Assignment Well Fulfilled Dad*💜



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**Lawanna Hall** - January 21 at 11:20 PM

LH

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



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**Lawanna Hall** - January 21 at 11:16 PM

FR

“ *Fred and Kimberly Ross*



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**Fred Ross** - January 21 at 09:42 PM

KR

“ Kimberly Ross lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.



Kimberly Ross - January 21 at 09:40 PM

PR

“ Patricia Summers Roberts lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.



Patricia Summers Roberts - January 20 at 07:38 AM

JD

“ Condolences to Kenneth family. He was a wonderful person and co-worker at Buick plt #40. He will be missed and remembered. RIP/RIH 🙏



Jesse & Janet Davis - January 20 at 01:35 AM

JJ

“ Jacquelyn Jones sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.



Jacquelyn Jones - January 19 at 11:20 PM

LS

“ Sorry for your loss, may the Lord comfort your hearts today and forever more. We are praying for and with you.  
*Louis Strong Sr.*

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**Louis E Strong Sr** - January 19 at 09:07 AM

RF

“ *Rhonda Etherly & Family lit a candle in memory of Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



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**Rhonda Etherly & Family** - January 19 at 08:50 AM



“ *Carolyn D Davis lit a candle in memory of Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



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**Carolyn D Davis** - January 19 at 01:18 AM

IF

“ *Iwoana Ford lit a candle in memory of Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



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**Iwoana Ford** - January 18 at 10:33 PM

NG

“ Naomi G. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr..

Naomi G. - January 18 at 09:33 PM

NG

“ Naomi G. purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr..



Naomi G. - January 18 at 09:33 PM

GQ

“ Patricia I am sorry to hear of Kenneth's passing. Prayers are with you and your family.



Gladys Quarles - January 18 at 09:27 PM

DH

“ DeWinter Holloway sent a virtual gift in memory of Kenneth Altheimer Sr.



DeWinter Holloway - January 17 at 11:55 AM

MC

“ My deepest condolences to the family of Dr. Kenneth Altheimers we were co-workers @ Buick City on Quality Control was a very pleasant respectful man with a big smile I enjoyed working with in the plant. 🖤🙏



Marlene Cleveland - January 17 at 12:19 AM

GL

“ Gene, Freda Leverette



Gene, Freda Leverette - January 16 at 10:28 PM

BM

“ Barbara McFarland-Brown lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.



Barbara McFarland-Brown - January 16 at 08:38 PM

MC

“ Maurice & Deborah Collins sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.



Maurice & Deborah Collins - January 16 at 06:05 PM

MH

“ *Mary Holder lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



Mary Holder - January 16 at 05:27 PM

VR

“ *Van C. Roberts lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



Van C. Roberts - January 16 at 04:45 PM

PC

“ *Phyllis Childress sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



Phyllis Childress - January 16 at 04:01 PM

VO

“ *Vivian & Warren (Ross) Stocker send our lit a candle in memory of Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



Vivian & Warren (Ross) Stocker send our - January 16 at 11:33 AM

CH

“ *My sincere condolences to the Altheimer family Kenny was a friend & 71 NW classmate you will truly be missed my friend*

Christopher Holmes - January 16 at 11:11 AM

PP

“ *PJ Pointer lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



PJ Pointer - January 16 at 09:13 AM

IT

“ *Alan, I'm glad we had a chance to share words yesterday. I send condolences and prayers for comfort to you and your family during this sad time.*

Ida Boler Tate - January 16 at 07:23 AM

IT

“ *Ida Boler Tate lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



Ida Boler Tate - January 16 at 07:15 AM

RW

“ Rhonda White lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.



Rhonda White - January 15 at 11:09 PM

TB

“ Tommie(Johnson) Beverly lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.



Tommie(Johnson) Beverly - January 15 at 06:33 PM

PJ

“ Larry and Phyllis Jackson



Phyllis Jackson - January 15 at 05:52 PM

MD

“ Mary Dantzler-Grace lit a candle in memory of Kenneth Altheimer Sr.



Mary Dantzler-Grace - January 15 at 12:20 PM

BH

“ *Barbara Hudson-McKeown lit a candle in memory of Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



Barbara Hudson-McKeown - January 15 at 12:16 PM

EM

“ *I remember Dr. Altheimer taught Sunday School at The Full Gospel Christian Church .He always prepared us for Church.I enjoyed the teachings Very Much.*

emmogene Moore - January 15 at 08:26 AM

PP

“ *Perry Pippins sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



Perry Pippins - January 15 at 08:25 AM

KP

“ *Kenneth Perkins lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



Kenneth Perkins - January 14 at 10:37 PM

CM

“ *Caroline Miller lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



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**Caroline Miller** - January 14 at 06:26 PM

MM

“ *Rest up Moore st. 4-Life*



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**Margo McQuiddy** - January 14 at 06:15 PM

AH

“ *Anita Harris lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



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**Anita Harris** - January 14 at 05:21 PM

BB

“ *Belinda D Brown lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



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**Belinda D Brown** - January 14 at 04:26 PM

CT

“ *Sending my deepest prayers and condolences!!*

Cecelia Tyler - January 14 at 12:46 PM

AF

“ *Prayers and condolences to the family.*



Anderson Family - January 14 at 11:54 AM

BC

“ *Brenda Calhoun lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



Brenda Calhoun - January 14 at 11:14 AM

SJ

“ *Shirley Jones lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



Shirley Jones - January 14 at 09:37 AM

JJ

“ Joann Ross Jordan lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.



Joann Ross Jordan - January 14 at 06:33 AM

AG

“ Andrew Gayden lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.



Andrew Gayden - January 14 at 05:08 AM

DR

“ Keeping my Altheimer family in prayer 🙏🙏

Darrius Redwine - January 14 at 02:05 AM

CM

“ Charles Mckenzie lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.



Charles Mckenzie - January 13 at 09:16 PM

LA

“ *Lois A.Cunningham lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



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**Lois A.Cunningham** - January 13 at 07:37 PM

SP

“ *Sheryl Payton sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



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**Sheryl Payton** - January 13 at 06:56 PM

BJ

“ *Barbara D Jones lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



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**Barbara D Jones** - January 13 at 06:18 PM

NJ

“ *Nancine Jackson sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



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**Nancine Jackson** - January 13 at 05:22 PM

LH

“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Lawanna Hall - January 13 at 04:32 PM

CH

Hello babe wanted to call don't have your number. Be blessed your Dad love u ❤️

Cheryl Hartfield - January 13 at 10:25 PM

JK

“ Jesse Kirksey lit a candle in memory of Kenneth Altheimer Sr.



Jesse Kirksey - January 13 at 03:41 PM

TB

“ Tonya Battle sent a virtual gift in memory of Kenneth Altheimer Sr.



Tonya Battle - January 13 at 03:17 PM

OG

“ *Ondria Gillespie lit a candle in memory of Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



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**Ondria Gillespie** - January 13 at 01:58 PM

BL

“ *Barbara Leake lit a candle in memory of Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



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**Barbara Leake** - January 13 at 01:30 PM

SC

“ *My dear Cousin Kenny,*

*I feel so blessed that I was able to fly home this Christmas and see you. Thank you for being more than just a cousin to me; you have always been like a big brother.*

*I have such fond memories of growing up, from you sending me home when my friends and I were hanging out in the streets, to the time you came to my rescue when I ran out of gas. I often think about the talk you gave me when I was moving into my first apartment. Thanks cuz..*

*I love you so very much and I will forever miss you.  
Stephanie Cheatom*



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**Stephanie Cheatom** - January 13 at 12:20 PM

JA

“ *Jerome Adams lit a candle in memory of Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



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**Jerome Adams** - January 13 at 12:17 PM

WH

“ *Wanda Harrison lit a candle in memory of Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



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**Wanda Harrison** - January 13 at 11:57 AM

AG

“ *Alvin Gayden lit a candle in memory of Kenneth Altheimer*



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**Alvin Gayden** - January 13 at 08:53 AM

EO

“ *Eric O'Neal lit a candle in memory of Kenneth Altheimer*



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**Eric O'Neal** - January 13 at 07:29 AM

LS

“ *Larry Williams Sr lit a candle in memory of Kenneth Altheimer*



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**Larry Williams Sr** - January 12 at 10:34 PM

AN

“ *Deepest sympathy to family and friends, was a customer and always had a smile!*



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**angela** - January 12 at 05:43 PM

JK

“ *Jocelyn knox lit a candle in memory of Kenneth Altheimer*



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**Jocelyn knox** - January 12 at 05:19 PM

SC

“ *A very nice person. Always had a smile when I seen him. You will be missed.*



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**Sandra Copeland** - January 12 at 05:01 PM

RK

“ *Russell & Diane Kirksey lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



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**Russell & Diane Kirksey** - January 12 at 04:16 PM

PC

“ *Gonna Miss You Big Brother Moore St 4-Life*

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**Paul Coulter** - January 12 at 04:04 PM

PC

“ *Paul Coulter sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



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**Paul Coulter** - January 12 at 04:02 PM

CH

“ *Rest neighbor. U were a good neighbor Winona st will miss u. Be blessed. Hartfield family will pray for your family*



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**Cheryl Hartfield** - January 12 at 03:42 PM

CT

“ Cynthia Threlkeld lit a candle in memory of Kenneth Altheimer



Cynthia Threlkeld - January 12 at 02:12 PM

KR

“ Kermit & Genell (Crain) Reeves lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.



Kermit & Genell (Crain) Reeves - January 12 at 01:51 PM

RK

“ Russell & Diane Kirksey lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.



Russell & Diane Kirksey - January 12 at 01:37 PM

JH

“ James And Carolyn (Cardwell) Hudson sent a virtual gift in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.



James and Carolyn (Cardwell) Hudson - January 12 at 01:09 PM

RS

“ *Rosalind Smith lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



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**Rosalind Smith** - January 12 at 12:59 PM

JT

“ *Jerome And Tonedia Threlkeld lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



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**Jerome and Tonedia Threlkeld** - January 12 at 12:55 PM

RW

“ *Rudy And Geneva Ward lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



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**Rudy and Geneva Ward** - January 12 at 12:22 PM

LP

“ *Lisa Payton lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.*



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**Lisa Payton** - January 12 at 12:16 PM

JM

“ James & Barbara Moore lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.



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**James & Barbara Moore** - January 12 at 11:43 AM

BT

“ Betty Tipper lit a candle in memory of Dr. Kenneth Altheimer Sr.



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**Betty Tipper** - January 12 at 11:04 AM

JW

*We. Send our condolences to the family of Dr. Altheimer. We pray for the comfort of the Holy Spirit to keep you.  
Juanita and Maurice Wells*

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**Juanita Wells** - January 23 at 01:22 AM