



Mr. L. Louis Garrett II

June 1, 1962 - February 14, 2026

GARRETT II, Mr. L. Louis - Age 63, passed away Saturday, February 14, 2026, in Flint, MI. 10:00 AM-10:30 AM Family Hour, Saturday, March 28, 2026, Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Service, 10:30 AM-11:00 AM with memorial service commencing at 11:00 AM at Vernon Chapel A.M. E., 5802 Dupont St. Rev. Douglas Banks, Host Pastor, Rev. Helen Williams, officiating and Rev. Dr. Maurice Stimage Jr., Eulogist. Friends and family will assemble at the Church Saturday at 10:00 AM. There will not be a public viewing.

In lieu of flowers the family requests donations be made to Cash App: \$NaturallybeatMU.

L. Louis Garrett of Flint, Michigan, passed away on February 14, 2026, at the age of 63. He was born on June 1, 1962, in Center, Texas, to L. Louis Garrett, Sr. and Dorothy Mae Holman. He spent his early years in Orange, Texas, before returning to Center, where he graduated from High School in 1980. He attended Prairie View A&M University, where he graduated cum laude in 1984 with a Bachelor of Science in Engineering. Not long after completing his studies, he began his journey to Michigan, first settling in Saginaw, where he joined Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc. on July 13, 1985. Shortly thereafter, he accepted a position with General Motors, which led him to Flint, Michigan, where he began his career in engineering.

After dedicating 10 years to General Motors, L. Louis transitioned into

entrepreneurship. He founded Garrett Consulting Company, later expanding his work through Nexus, specializing in quality engineering, and SDI, focusing on supplier development. His passion for engineering extended beyond his own work, as he also took pride in teaching and sharing his knowledge with others.

L. Louis Garrett was a present and engaged father and family man, known for his wisdom, humor, and strong sense of pride. He was a private individual who valued knowledge, independence, truth, and ownership, and he carried those principles into the way he lived his life. He had a deep love for Black history and was intentional about sharing that knowledge with others, whether through conversation, books, or the work he created. He was also deeply connected to his fraternity, holding its principles and brotherhood close to his heart.

He approached life with intention, often trusting his instincts and taking the time to think things through before making decisions. He did not believe in doing things the easy way, but rather doing them his way. He was known for offering guidance and insight, leaving lasting impressions through both his words and his actions.

L. Louis had a natural sense of humor and could be both entertaining and lighthearted in conversation. He enjoyed talking and often brought laughter into the spaces he occupied. He was highly intelligent and creative, with a natural talent for drawing that came effortlessly to him. Above all, he believed in showing rather than telling, expressing care and love through his actions in a way that was deeply felt by those who knew him.

L. Louis Garrett is survived by his daughters, Alexandria Inez Garrett and Catherine Gilmore, and his grandchildren.

L. Louis is also survived by his siblings, Juanita Holman, Yolanda Holman, Chinta Garrett-Spikes, Arthur Holman, and bonus sisters Sherry Miller and Sheretta Netherly. He was preceded in death by his parents, L. Louis Garrett, Sr. and Dorothy Mae Holman, and his aunt, Alice Garrett.

L. Louis was deeply loved and influenced by his special aunts, Mary Lee

Garrett, Lois Dock, Thelma Johnson, and Alice Garrett, who played an instrumental role in raising him.

He will be remembered for his wisdom, his humor, and the way he showed up through his actions. His legacy lives on through the lessons he shared and the impact he made on those who knew him. He will be deeply missed and remembered by those who knew and loved him.

Previous Events

Family hour

MAR 28. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Vernon Chapel AME Church
5802 Dupont St.
Flint, MI

Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Service

MAR 28. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Memorial Service

MAR 28. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

JM

“ Louis Garrett was my Grandfather who I only had spoke to recently, from what I know about him he was Avery good man who worked very hard and I am heart broken that I could not speak to him more before he passed. His at rest now in heaven and as long as he is watching over us I'll do whatever would make him proud.

Julian miles - April 13 at 04:15 PM

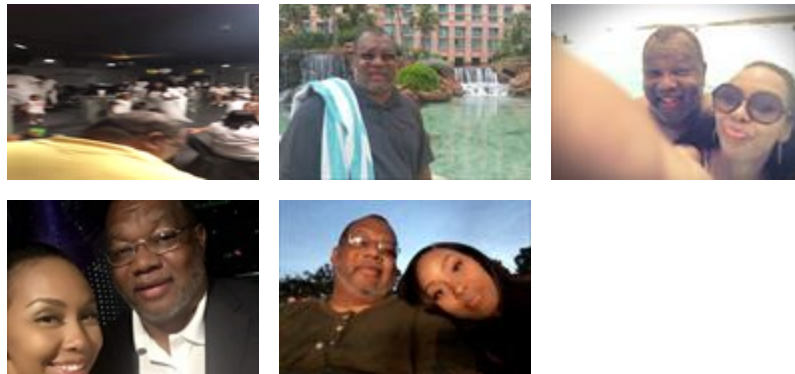
SG

I can't wait to meet you.

Sherry Garrett - April 17 at 08:33 PM

AG

“ A time was definitely had! We all love and miss you. Thank you for that half of my life, L.



ANDREA N. GARRETT - March 28 at 09:39 AM

SG

“ *"There are 3 options in life: lead, follow or get out of the way. Choose one and do it well."* This is one of his quotes he would have at the bottom of his emails back in 2010 and 2011.

Sherry Garrett - March 27 at 09:21 AM

EH

“ *Elbert Hunter lit a candle in memory of Mr. L. Louis Garrett II*



Elbert Hunter - March 27 at 09:02 AM

CL

“ *Cecil & Alberta Lee purchased the Love's Journey for the family of Mr. L. Louis Garrett II.*



Cecil & Alberta Lee - March 25 at 10:48 PM

CL

“ *Cecil & Alberta Lee planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. L. Louis Garrett II.*

Cecil & Alberta Lee - March 25 at 10:48 PM

CJ

“ *Louis and I were more than business associates we were hindered spirits. He was a "Jack of all trades "with an intelligent, curious mind. If learning new things could have kept him here a little longer, he would have been here to age 110! He had ideas about everything but all with the goal of improving the lives and minds of "his" people. Passing on valentine's day shows God knew who he was as a person, someone with a big heart, a love of knowledge and an honest heart,a compassionate heart. A man after God's own heart. I'm sorry for your loss. Please know that he will be missed.*

Cassandra Ann Jones - March 22 at 12:28 PM

CJ

"Kindred spirits "

Cassandra Jones - March 22 at 03:51 PM

SG

Cassandra, thanks for the kind words. He was for sure very intelligent and had a curious mind. He would always say little things to make you think outside the box.

Sherry Garrett - March 22 at 11:42 PM

SG

“ 5 files added to the album Memories



Sherry Garrett - March 13 at 10:31 AM

SG

“ 7 files added to the album Memories



Sherry Garrett - March 03 at 12:17 PM

WJ

“ *Wilbert Long Jr lit a candle in memory of Mr. L. Louis Garrett II*



Wilbert Long Jr - March 02 at 09:50 PM

SG

Wilbert, how have you been?

Sherry Garrett - March 22 at 11:40 PM

TC

“ *Sending my condolences to the Garrett family. Mr. Garrett was my instructor about 15 plus years ago.*



Tanya Carlisle - March 02 at 04:27 PM

SG

Tanya, I'm sure he was a great instructor. Thanks for the condolences. Vey much appreciated.

Sherry Garrett - March 24 at 07:05 PM

SG

“ *Sherry Garrett lit a candle in memory of Mr. L. Louis Garrett II*



Sherry Garrett - February 28 at 05:52 AM

LG

“ *Linda Gulley lit a candle in memory of Mr. L. Louis Garrett II*



Linda Gulley - February 26 at 07:03 PM

SG

Thank you Linda!

Sherry Garrett - March 24 at 07:07 PM

SG

“ *7 files added to the album Memories*



Sherry Garrett - February 26 at 02:28 PM

SG

“ 7 files added to the album Memories



Sherry Garrett-Miller - February 26 at 02:25 PM