



Mr. Lester James Patrick Sr.

July 21, 1941 - June 2, 2021

PATRICK, Mr. Lester James, Sr., - Age 79, passed away Wednesday, June 2, 2021 at Hurley Medical Center. Family hour 10:00 AM Wednesday, June 9, from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM, Pastor Willie C. Towner, officiating. Interment Sunset Hills Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the Funeral Home 10:00 AM Wednesday. Mr. Patrick will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home and may be viewed from 12:00 PM-6:00 PM Tuesday. Mr. Lester James Patrick Sr., age 79, was born July 21, 1941 in Decatur, Mississippi, the eldest of 12 born to Isaiah Sr. and Vera Mae (Towner) Patrick. Although he arrived as a fraternal twin, he was undoubtedly one-of-a-kind. Lester met the love of his life, Viola (Jackson) Patrick in 1961. They later wedded in 1966. They remained in Holy Matrimony for 55 years. To this divine union, 6 children were lovingly raised as a family of devotion, compassion and unconditional love. Lester accepted the Lord and Savior at a young age. Longing to see more of the world outside of Mississippi where he had labored always by his fathers side. He then set his sights on a brand new journey when they migrated to Flint, Michigan in the late fall of 1968. His main objective was to make a better life and provide his family the opportunities he never had. Shortly after arriving in Michigan, he obtained gainful employment with General Motors Corporation where he served for 34 years before retiring in 2004. some of his favorite pastimes included watching old westerns, The Price Is Right, CNN, however

his was favorite watching all sporting events, with MLB at the top of the list. As a devoted Detroit Tigers Fan he often enjoyed watching the game with his twin brother, Jessie especially a double-header and The World Series. Lester was a humble man, compassionate, family oriented, a man of few spoken word, but his presence in a room spoke volumes. He was the one whom always spared no expense to help someone in need. His wife, children, grandchildren and siblings meant the world to him. Aside from professional sports, he also had a love for aircrafts and music. His favorite son was "Lean On Me." Lester enjoyed spending time with his family especially including his siblings.

Although he was the eldest of 12, he and his twin, Jessie Patrick fit like a hand in a glove. They were more than brothers, they were best friends. Mr. Lester James Patrick Sr. leaves to cherish his memory: wife, Viola Patrick; 4 daughters, Yvonne (Orrendo) Embry, Brenda Watson, Virginia Patrick and Betty (Andre) Brandon; 2 sons, David (Sandra) Jackson and Lester (Sabrina) Patrick Jr.; grandchildren, David Jr., Tyron, Andrea, all Flint, Tavilla, Tarina (Marshall) Green of Atlanta, GA, Anthony Jr. Keyanna, Quashawnda, Brianna, Antonio, Jovan, Chimere, Sylvia, Kim Jr., La'Tivia (Deon) Johnson, LaKresha, Andre Jr., Elijah, Aaliyah, Ah'Lanah, Jabril, Zakiyy, Ja'Ree, Lester (Mya) Patrick III; 31 great-granddaughter; 2 sisters, Erma J. Thames of Union, MS and Eva M. (Herman) Rogers of Springhill, MS; 5 brothers, twin, Jessie J. (Mattie) Patrick of Flint, Isaiah (Linda) Patrick Jr. of Jackson, MS, Bobby Ray Patrick, Willie D. (Martha K.) Patrick and Billy J. (Iris) Patrick, all of Decatur, MS; a host of nieces, nephews and cousins; 2 aunts, Irene Nicholes of Newton, MS and Alma Janes Mosley of Detroit; 2 uncles, Rev. S.B. Towner of Flint and Costello (Patricia) Towner of Decatur, MS; a host of other relatives and friends.

Mr. Patrick was preceded in death by his granddaughter, Elanna Arriyanna Patrick; parents, Isaiah Sr. and Vera Mae Patrick; sister, Gertie Mae Patrick; brothers, Edmund "Carlos" Patrick, I.V. Patrick and Claude Patrick; son-in-law, Anthony Watson Sr.; brothers-in-law, Earl Thames and Mickey Thames; nephew, Antonio Rogers. The family would like to express special thanks to

All American Home Care, Dr. Elmahdi Saeed and two of his loving children, Elaine and Lester Jr. whom were his caregivers.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Hills Cemetery

G-4413 Flushing Rd.
Flint, MI 48504

Previous Events

Public Viewing

JUN 8. 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, Inc., Flint
906 W. Flint Park Blvd.
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Family hour

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Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Mr. Lester James Patrick Sr.*



Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home - June 09, 2021 at 07:08 AM

PF

Our condolences from the Patrick family in Dayton, Ohio

Patrick family - June 09, 2021 at 10:59 AM



“ *Mr. Lester James Patrick Sr.*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM

MG

“ *My condolences to the family and friends of Mr. Patrick. My prayers are with you all during these grieving times. God bless*



McKinsey Golfin - June 10, 2021 at 06:29 PM



“ *I Love you all.*
Travis Patrick



Travis Patrick - June 09, 2021 at 01:43 PM



“ *Rest in Peace Uncle!!*

Your niece Vontay

vontay - June 09, 2021 at 12:51 PM



We love baby girl!💕🥰

Eva Patrick Rogers - June 09, 2021 at 05:51 PM



“ *Tanya Jefferson sent a virtual gift in memory of*
Mr. Lester James Patrick Sr.



Tanya Jefferson - June 09, 2021 at 09:34 AM

DB

“ Darline Baker lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lester James Patrick Sr.



Darline Baker - June 09, 2021 at 08:42 AM

BT

“ Beverly Tucker sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Lester James Patrick Sr.



Beverly Tucker - June 09, 2021 at 06:20 AM

CF

“ Carolyn Thames Dunlap & Family purchased the Large Basket Garden for the family of Mr. Lester James Patrick Sr..



Carolyn Thames Dunlap & Family - June 08, 2021 at 03:00 PM

ER

“ Love you always "Big Brother "❤️❤️❤️



Eva Patrick Rogers - June 07, 2021 at 11:56 PM



“ *Marjorie Chapman sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Lester James Patrick Sr.*



Marjorie Chapman - June 07, 2021 at 10:45 PM



“ *Lester James Hunt purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mr. Lester James Patrick Sr..*



Lester James Hunt - June 07, 2021 at 09:57 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Lester James Patrick Sr..*



June 07, 2021 at 06:47 PM



“ *Orlando & Sonya Embry lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lester James Patrick Sr.*



Orlando & Sonya Embry - June 07, 2021 at 12:06 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Lester James Patrick Sr..*



June 07, 2021 at 10:39 AM



“ *Neighbors lit a candle in memory of Mr. Lester James Patrick Sr.*



Neighbors - June 07, 2021 at 08:40 AM



“ *Praying for our family, May God give everyone Strength and Comfort! Rest in Eternal Peace.*



Eric and Angela - June 07, 2021 at 05:35 AM



“ *My most heartfelt condolences to the family, may God give you the strength to endure the days ahead*



Valerie Humphries - June 06, 2021 at 02:43 PM

TJ

“ *Tanya Jefferson sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Lester James Patrick Sr.*



Tanya Jefferson - June 05, 2021 at 11:18 AM

HC

“ *Prayers for the family. I enjoyed working at Flint Metal Fab with Lester for many years. He was a nice guy. RIH 🙏*

Hilda C - June 04, 2021 at 06:04 PM