



## Rev. Otha James Hill

March 3, 1961 - October 1, 2023

HILL, Rev. Otha James - Age 62, passed away Sunday, October 1, 2023, at his residence. Family hour 10:00 AM Thursday, October 12, 2023, at Antioch Baptist Church, 1083 E. Stewart Ave., with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM. Interment Sunset Hills Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd., Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10:00 AM Thursday. Rev. Hill will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM Wednesday. Rev. Otha James Hill was born March 3, 1961, in Flint, Michigan, the son of Rev Willie and Sammie Hill. Otha graduated from Flint Northwestern High School, "Class of 1979." He then attended American Baptist Theological Seminary in Tennessee. Otha was called and accepted his calling into the ministry under the late Pastor Lewis Randolph at the age of 16. He enjoyed preaching, teaching, and visiting the sick & shut-ins. Otha went to the jails and homeless shelters spreading the word about how good God is. He loved reading, studying the word and spending time with his family was very important to him. Otha always reminded his brothers and sisters he was the oldest and the big brother. Rev. Otha James Hill leaves to cherish his memory: 2 sisters, Chandra Yates and Janice Hill, both of Flint; 2 brothers, Steven (Paulina) Hill Sr. of Moncks Corner, SC and Rev. Jerry Hill; 3 nieces, Channetta Yates of Flint, Kenya McCaskill and Latoya Minnifield, both of Moncks Corner, SC; 2 nephews, Deantoiné Walker of Columbia, TN and Steven Hill Jr. of Moncks Corner, SC; a host of other relatives and friends including special friends, Rev.

Orlando Goodman of Flint, Rev. T. Alexander Knapp of Shreveport, LA; god-sister, Kathy Peck Warfield of Columbus, OH. Rev. Hill was preceded in death by his parents, Rev Willie and Sammie Hill; grandparents, Steve and Marliisa Hill, Sam and Reba Silas; 7 uncles; 4 aunts; numerous cousins and friends. The family would like to express special thanks to Lena and Valerie Marshall, Mary and Kathy Johnson family, Hurley Medical Center Care Coordination Department, Velma Rosborough; Rev. Christopher Taylor and Antioch Missionary Baptist Church family; and Mr. Lawrence E. Moon.

# Cemetery Details

## Sunset Hills Cemetery

G-4413 Flushing Rd.  
Flint, MI 48504

# Previous Events

## Viewing

OCT **11.** 12:00 PM - 6:00 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

OCT **12.** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Antioch Missionary Baptist Church  
1083 E Stewart Ave  
Flint, MI 48505  
(810) 789-2931

# Tribute Wall

EM

“ *Eric Mems lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill*



Eric Mems - October 17, 2023 at 10:05 PM

PB

“ *Patricia Brown lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill*



Patricia Brown - October 14, 2023 at 06:39 PM

ML

“ *Mother Ruth Lott lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill*



Mother Ruth Lott - October 12, 2023 at 11:07 AM



“ *Jacqueline Bridges lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill*



Jacqueline Bridges - October 12, 2023 at 12:11 AM



“ God bless the Hill family during this time of loss. May you all be granted great memories and be surrounded with love. Love always  
Valerie Marshall



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Valerie Marshall - October 11, 2023 at 08:31 PM



“ Sending hugs & love to the hill family...He's gonna be greatly missed I'm his neighbor & he would come down sit on the patio with me & talk & sing for hours...Sheila W

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Sheila Washington - October 11, 2023 at 07:06 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Rev. Otha James Hill.



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October 10, 2023 at 05:12 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rev. Otha James Hill.



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October 10, 2023 at 04:55 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Rev. Otha James Hill.*



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October 10, 2023 at 04:52 PM



“ *My Deepest Sympathy and Prayers to You and Your Family.*



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**Sandra Hughes-Hatter** - October 10, 2023 at 04:23 PM



“ *Kenneth Marks lit a candle in memory of Otha Hill*



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**Kenneth Marks** - October 10, 2023 at 03:14 PM



“ *Gloria Jackson lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill*



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**Gloria Jackson** - October 10, 2023 at 10:11 AM

MP

“ Otha, I have Priceless Memories of all the fun we had in Jackson Mississippi and Flint. Rest Easy Cousin.  
Metri Silas Payne

Metri Payne - October 10, 2023 at 01:38 AM

AO

“ Alice Odneal lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill



Alice Odneal - October 09, 2023 at 06:40 PM

AO

“ To the family of Rev.Otha Hill I send my deepest thoughts and prayers to you he was my classmate in many grades he will be missed by the Flint Northwestern Wildcats C/O 1979 he will forever be a Wildcat. God's Blessings

Alice Odneal - October 09, 2023 at 06:40 PM

DS

“ Deidre Spight-Woodson sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill



Deidre Spight-Woodson - October 09, 2023 at 03:52 PM

TC

“ Teresa Claxton-Frelix lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill



Teresa Claxton-Frelix - October 09, 2023 at 03:12 PM

DS

“ Deidre Spight-Woodson lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill



Deidre Spight-Woodson - October 09, 2023 at 02:20 PM

GS

“ Otha I love you cousin and you are going to be missed. I have so many memories 😞 Get your rest you with your Mom and Dad.



Gayle Silas - October 09, 2023 at 11:42 AM

SE

“ Sending heartfelt condolences to the Family and Friends of Rev. Otha J. Hill:

*God has called one of His anointed preacher, teacher and singer home to be with Him. Rev. Hill was truly a gifted servant of God who will definitely be missed.*

*May God's infinite love and healing be with you today and in the coming days ahead, and know that you're in my prayers.*

*Rest in God's Arms* 🕊️🛖



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**Shirley Edwards-Jackson** - October 09, 2023 at 10:13 AM

CM

“ My condolences to the Hill family and friends may God give you all strength at this time of sorrow 🙏



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**Charlotte McCoy** - October 09, 2023 at 07:17 AM



“ *Rev. Otha James Hill*

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October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM

HD

“ *May God Give The Hill Family Strength, From Sister Helen Donald*



Helen Donald - October 08, 2023 at 06:56 PM



“ *The family of Mrs, Lena Marshall sends their deepest sympathy to the family of Rev, Oatha J. Hill. May you find comfort during these hard times when remembering your dear brother. Love always*



Lena Marshall - October 08, 2023 at 03:05 PM

KJ

“ *Khris Johnson sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill*



Khris Johnson - October 07, 2023 at 06:43 PM

KJ

“ *My condolences to Chandra and family! Praying God gives you peace during your hours of bereavement. Your brother had an outstanding voice and I would love to hear him sing at Antioch. 🙏*



Khris Johnson - October 07, 2023 at 06:42 PM

CB

“ Christine Brown lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill



Christine Brown - October 07, 2023 at 05:18 PM

JG

“ Jeanette Grady lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill



Jeanette Grady - October 07, 2023 at 05:09 PM

RD

“ Rev Robert D. Jones, Detroit sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill



Rev Robert d. Jones, Detroit - October 07, 2023 at 02:47 PM

MM

“ Marcie Knapp Moore lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill



Marcie Knapp Moore - October 07, 2023 at 11:26 AM

TH

“ *My condolences to the Hill family*



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**Tracy Hairston** - October 06, 2023 at 11:35 PM

MM

“ *Marsha Marble sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill*



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**Marsha Marble** - October 06, 2023 at 09:51 PM

CB

“ *To the entire Hill Family; My condolences Rev Hill was a very GOOD TEACHER, FRIEND, he will be truly missed. LOVE and PRAYERS are with you.*



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**Colette Brown** - October 06, 2023 at 07:06 PM

GL

“ *Gail LaFleur lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill*



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**Gail LaFleur** - October 06, 2023 at 02:38 PM

RP

“ Praying for the Hill Family, For Strength, GOD IS ABLE, The Partee Family, 💕💕💕 Uall



Roe Partee - October 06, 2023 at 11:38 AM

AO

“ Arnenia Odum lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill



Arnenia Odum - October 06, 2023 at 12:43 AM

NO

“ NaRotha Ogden lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill



NaRotha Ogden - October 05, 2023 at 11:11 PM

TA

“ Teresa ReRe Anthony-Johnson sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill



Teresa ReRe Anthony-Johnson - October 05, 2023 at 11:01 PM

EL

“ *Elder Michael & Phyllis Leslie lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill*



**Elder Michael & Phyllis Leslie** - October 05, 2023 at 10:20 PM

JP

“ *Joan Pointer lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill*



**Joan Pointer** - October 05, 2023 at 08:29 PM

BS

“ *Betty Sprinkle lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill*



**Betty Sprinkle** - October 05, 2023 at 05:59 PM



“ *Sheila Johnson-Toins lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill*



**Sheila Johnson-Toins** - October 05, 2023 at 03:14 PM

BE

“ *Bridget Edwards lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill*



**Bridget Edwards** - October 05, 2023 at 01:55 PM

RE

“ *Rena' Easter sent a virtual gift in memory of Otha Hill*



**Rena' Easter** - October 05, 2023 at 09:17 AM

EC

“ *Earl And Diane Crowder lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill*



**Earl and Diane Crowder** - October 05, 2023 at 02:02 AM

F'

“ *Our deepest condolences to Rev. Otha Hill's family and friends.*



**Flint NWSH C/O '79** - October 04, 2023 at 11:09 PM

EC

“ *Our Condolences to the Hill Family. Otha was a man of God. A dedicated preacher of the gospel. He practiced what he preached, he will be missed. RIH Rev. Otha*



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**Evangelist-Dr. Carolyn Davis & Children** - October 04, 2023 at 11:05 PM

DD

“ *Dani Dye lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill*



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**Dani Dye** - October 04, 2023 at 06:14 PM



“ *Lula Lewis sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill*



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**Lula Lewis** - October 04, 2023 at 05:55 PM

HR

“ *Harold Robbs and Family.*



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**Harold Robbs** - October 04, 2023 at 03:49 PM



“ *Wanda Baker sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill*



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**Wanda Baker** - October 04, 2023 at 01:59 PM

JG

“ *Jeanette Grady lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill*



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**Jeanette Grady** - October 04, 2023 at 01:02 PM

VR

“ *Verma Rosborough sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill*



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**Verma Rosborough** - October 04, 2023 at 11:36 AM

CH

“ *Cynthia Higgins lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill*



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**Cynthia Higgins** - October 04, 2023 at 10:05 AM

SW

“ Sherry L Williams sent a virtual gift in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill



Sherry L Williams - October 04, 2023 at 09:30 AM

AM

“ Annette Marks lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill



Annette Marks - October 04, 2023 at 08:50 AM

CS

“ Chastity Sumpter lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill



Chastity Sumpter - October 04, 2023 at 08:00 AM

FF

“ Freda Ratliff-Williams & Family lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill



Freda Ratliff-Williams & Family - October 03, 2023 at 07:39 PM

JW

“ Praying for the family of Otha Hill may the Lord give you the strength you need during this difficult time. Jeanette AnthonyWiley and Family



Jeanette Wiley - October 03, 2023 at 04:35 PM

CJ

“ Cynthia Jones lit a candle in memory of Otha Hill



Cynthia Y. Jones - October 03, 2023 at 02:36 PM

JC

“ Having the same last name (I was Jackie Hill at the time), It seems Otha and I always had our lockers right next to each other, and we were always in the same homeroom during our high school years. He was a great man, an awesome preacher and he could "sang"! May he RIHP. My prayers and condolences to all of the family May God bless and keep you.

Jacqueline Chaney - October 03, 2023 at 02:24 PM

JC

“ Jacqueline Chaney lit a candle in memory of Otha Hill



Jacqueline Chaney - October 03, 2023 at 02:20 PM

SB

“ My condolences to Otha’s family. 🙏💚💛



Sandra K Brown - October 03, 2023 at 01:59 PM

TJ

“ Tanya Jefferson sent a virtual gift in memory of Otha Hill



Tanya Jefferson - October 03, 2023 at 01:22 PM

LM

“ Lola Marshall sent a virtual gift in memory of Otha Hill



Lola Marshall - October 03, 2023 at 01:04 PM

TC

“ Teresa Claxton lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill



Teresa Claxton - October 03, 2023 at 11:49 AM

SM

“ Sharon Mixon lit a candle in memory of Rev. Otha James Hill



Sharon Mixon - October 03, 2023 at 09:35 AM

SS

“ To the Hill Family Otha was a good man and fellow classmate-May you look to the hills for strength and lean on his understanding, so sorry for your loss.



Sophia Staples - October 03, 2023 at 03:40 AM

AR

“ You will be missed.



Aj Rauls - October 02, 2023 at 10:12 PM

JB

“ Jeanette Brown sent a virtual gift in memory of Otha Hill



Jeanette Brown - October 02, 2023 at 09:52 PM

JB

“ *My condolences goes to the entire Hill Family. Otha was a great teacher of the gospel, great friend as well. Antioch Baptist Church and I will truly miss him.*

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**Jeanette Brown** - October 02, 2023 at 09:52 PM

JJ

“ *Jovita Johnson lit a candle in memory of Otha Hill*



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**Jovita Johnson** - October 02, 2023 at 09:19 PM

VJ

“ *Sending my condolences to Chandra and the family!!!*



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**Valerie Jackson** - October 02, 2023 at 07:57 PM