



Mr. Perry "P Dog" Russell

August 31, 1954 - September 11, 2025

RUSSELL, Mr. Perry - Age 71, passed away Thursday, September 11, 2025, at Henry Ford Hospital, Genesys, Grand Blanc. Family hour 10:00 AM Tuesday, September 23, 2025, at Good Church, 1034 E. Holbrook Ave, Flint., with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM. Family and friends will assemble at the church 10:00 AM Tuesday. Mr. Russell will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed Monday from 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM with family present from 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM to receive friends. Mr. Perry Monroe Russell affectionately known as "P dog" was born on August 31, 1954, in Flint, MI and entered eternal rest on September 11, 2025. He was the beloved son of the late Marjorie Thompson and Johnnie Neal. Perry attended the Flint Northern and was a proud Viking. He was employed by Tempco General Motors, and Stewart St. Liquor Store where he was given the name "Paisano" used to express camaraderie and a sense of brotherhood. It is a word that reflects the close-knit bonds of family and community, especially among those with a shared heritage, it described Perry perfectly. He also worked at a small parts plant in Greenville, TN before returning to Flint, due to his illness. Perry was an avid athlete and could play and excel at any sport. Football, baseball, basketball and swimming. He played in Flint City Leagues, Class A, Michigan Open and Berston Field House. Not only did he play but he also coached his brothers and neighborhood kids on McClellan St. Perry played quarterback on the flag football championship team "The Buccaneers" formerly known as the

Hammerdroppers where he was the quarterback. He also played softball as a shortstop. He was truly an OG athlete, known for his skills. Which included being a Dapper dresser. As such, when he could no longer play you could find him watching the Detroit Lions, Detroit Pistons, and the Detroit Tigers. Perry also was a great card player. When playing Bid Whiz or Spades you wanted to be his partner. He also enjoyed watching the Food Channel because he loved to eat. Perry loved his family and was a devoted father, grandfather, brother, and uncle and enjoyed spending time with them. Perry made you feel special, and you could always feel his love for you with a smile, and he gave the best hugs. He left a lasting impression on the lives of those he touched and throughout Flint. He will truly be missed by all who knew him. Perry was a member of Good Church (formerly Holbrook Ave. Church of God) under the leadership of Leo & Janell Robinson and Leo & Miosha Robinson II. Perry leaves to cherish his memory: Devoted daughter LaQuiesha (Quinny) Young of Davison, son- Andre Nicks, Brothers; Ronnie (Michele) Russell of Flint, Kevin (Patricia) Russell of Eastpoint, Rev. Wendell (Sheryl) Thompson of Flint. Grandchildren- Devoted grandson Jaylen Fletcher and granddaughters, MiAngel and Maliyah Harris, stepchildren Chanel, Tatiana, Drakkari, Keiara, Monesha, Mildrenae and Edward Young. Mother of his daughter and close friend Christine (Tina) Young.

He also leaves behind a host of nieces, nephews, friends, and church family. Perry was preceded in death by his parents Marjorie Thompson and Johnnie Neal, sisters: Darlene House, Maryland Stone, and brother-in-law Donnie Stone. Grandparents: Ida Mae and Monroe Russell. The family would like to express our thanks to PACE, Sugarbush, Genesys Henry Ford Hospital, and special thanks to the traveling nurses as well as Good Church- and the entire Robinson family.

Previous Events

Public Visitation

SEP **22.** 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, Inc., Flint
906 W. Flint Park Blvd.
Flint, MI 48505
(810) 789-6666
lemoonfhflint@gmail.com
<https://lawrenceemoonfuneralhome.com>

Family Present

SEP **22.** 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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Family hour

SEP **23.** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Funeral Service

SEP **23**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

LC

“ To Ronnie an the entire Russell family Perry was a good man he was a great athlete never had a chance to to play with him always played against him , he was a great competitor, he will be missed RIP Perry.

Leonard Copeland - September 28, 2025 at 10:51 PM

RP

“ Roe Annette Partee lit a candle in memory of Mr. Perry "P Dog" Russell



Roe Annette Partee - September 26, 2025 at 02:37 PM

LP

“ Perry Russell (better known as Russ) he was a dear friend to me. And one of the most popular man around Flint. Kindness his great personality and his sense of humor was a plus. And his style always got your eye. Perry was always willing to help others. He will be missed deeply. RIP

Linda Platt - September 23, 2025 at 11:21 PM

LP

“ Perry was a good guy always willing to help others. I had not seen him in a while but I missed him. We roller skating together for many years back in the day at Rolletts My Prayers are with the entire Russell family.

Love Linda Platt

Linda Platt - September 23, 2025 at 11:03 PM

MT

“ *My condolences to Ronnie and Wendell and family*

Michael Thompson - September 22, 2025 at 10:16 PM

MO

“ *Marcella Oden lit a candle in memory of Mr. Perry "P Dog" Russell*



Marcella Oden - September 22, 2025 at 07:54 PM

FJ

“ *Fred Anthony Jr lit a candle in memory of Mr. Perry "P Dog" Russell*



Fred Anthony Jr - September 22, 2025 at 05:58 PM

CS

“ *My condolences to Ronnie ,Wendell and the family 🙏🙏🙏*



Cliffon Sykes - September 22, 2025 at 01:45 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. Perry "P Dog" Russell.



September 22, 2025 at 12:34 PM



“ Geraldine Harper Turner lit a candle in memory of Mr. Perry "P Dog" Russell



Geraldine Harper Turner - September 22, 2025 at 11:52 AM



“ Margie Edmonds (Anthony) lit a candle in memory of Mr. Perry "P Dog" Russell



Margie Edmonds (Anthony) - September 21, 2025 at 09:21 PM



“ PATRICIA WARNER lit a candle in memory of Mr. Perry "P Dog" Russell



PATRICIA WARNER - September 21, 2025 at 08:13 PM

PW

“ RIH



PATRICIA WARNER - September 21, 2025 at 08:05 PM

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PATRICIA WARNER - September 21, 2025 at 07:50 PM

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PATRICIA WARNER - September 21, 2025 at 07:45 PM

BH

“ Praying for the family. So sorry for your loss



Bobby and Cherri Hogginbotham - September 21, 2025 at 03:57 PM

BA

“ Cameron and I will never forget you. The love that you showed my son was beyond compare. When Cameron was a child, you were his Uncle/Dad in every way. Rest in peace! ❤️🙏



Brenda Anderson - September 21, 2025 at 08:56 AM

TT

“ Traci Threlkeld lit a candle in memory of Perry Russell



Traci Threlkeld - September 21, 2025 at 08:35 AM

EB

“ Earnestine Williams



Earnestine Williams Burnett - September 19, 2025 at 02:46 PM

OG

“ *OnaKay Goza lit a candle in memory of Mr. Perry "P Dog" Russell*



OnaKay Goza - September 19, 2025 at 04:26 AM



“ *Lola Marshall sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Perry "P Dog" Russell*



Lola Marshall - September 19, 2025 at 03:50 AM

GJ

“ *"Rest in peace in heaven" coworker at Tempco GM supplier great guy from Gary and Marcia Jackson*



Gary , Marcia Jackson - September 18, 2025 at 08:57 PM

ZW

“ *I'm just realizing who this was we grew up together at Bethlehem temple on Spencer we were friends that's why it really sadden me because I have seen them Russell brothers in so long that why I'm sending my condolences and prayers to the Russell family RIH Perry* 🙏🕯️

Zackery K White - September 18, 2025 at 05:03 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Perry "P Dog" Russell.*



September 18, 2025 at 02:11 PM



“ *Forever Our Angel Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Perry "P Dog" Russell.*



September 18, 2025 at 08:05 AM



“ *Perry was One of The Best Dressed Men at Flint Northern, with His Nice Suits, Yes in High School, that was Him, My Buddy! I hadn't seen Him in a while, but Whenever Our paths would cross, He would Always give Me that BIG Smile that I will Always remember, My Prayers and Condolences to The Family, as He takes His Rest now 🙏🙏🙏❤️*

Carolyn Buckley - September 18, 2025 at 02:23 AM



“ *Norphlet Reeves Jr sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Perry "P Dog" Russell*



Norphlet Reeves jr - September 17, 2025 at 11:28 PM

LH

“ WOW!!!.Perry..you were one of the few that we youngsters looked up to. Showed us how to dress to impress; play football; basketball; swim; skate; push an Hav-A-Bar ice cream cart; deliver Flint Journal Newspapers; and to always be ready to defend "McClellan Street. So many memories!!....rest well Big Bro!!! ...Praying for my forever Brothers "Snap; Webb; & Lil Otis"

Latrell Warren Holmes - September 17, 2025 at 02:13 PM

HH

“ Howard Hughes lit a candle in memory of Perry Russell



Howard Hughes - September 17, 2025 at 12:48 PM

SN

“ Sandy Neal lit a candle in memory of Mr. Perry "P Dog" Russell



Sandy Neal - September 17, 2025 at 10:38 AM

MD

“ Mary Dantzler-Grace lit a candle in memory of Mr. Perry "P Dog" Russell



Mary Dantzler-Grace - September 17, 2025 at 09:48 AM

JF

“ Our prayers and and condolences to the Perry family. James Burton became acquainted with Perry 3 years ago at Sugarbush Assisted Living. Their rooms were next door to each other. James wants the family to know that Perry was his buddy and most certainly his friend. They ate together and enjoyed watching sports and other programs in the living area. James constantly asked the staff, at Sugarbush, about Perry; wanted to know when he would be returning from the hospital. He was concerned and sorely missed his buddy. James' family, also loved Perry and would often bring him dinners along with James'. Perry didn't say very much but whenever asked if he wanted a Catfish dinner, he would look at you with a big grin and say, "yeah." That was the one time he elevated his voice (Lol). Perry is missed. Our prayers is that God will grant peace, comfort, and strength to the family and all who loved Perry, as only He can, during this period of bereavement.



James Burton and Family - September 17, 2025 at 02:34 AM

GP

“ Gloria Proby lit a candle in memory of Mr. Perry "P Dog" Russell



Gloria Proby - September 16, 2025 at 11:57 PM

JS

“ *Jacqueline Scott lit a candle in memory of Mr. Perry "P Dog" Russell*



Jacqueline Scott - September 16, 2025 at 02:58 PM

CB

“ *Christine Brown lit a candle in memory of Perry Russell*



Christine Brown - September 16, 2025 at 11:29 AM

SJ

“ *To The Russell & Thompson FAM':
You have My Deepest Condolence.
It saddens my heart to see him go but you
already know,....I ❤️ U ALL!
#WeSharemany memories #Skating!*



Sharon Jackson - September 16, 2025 at 09:47 AM

MH

“ *Michael S. Harper lit a candle in memory of Perry Russell*



Michael S. Harper - September 16, 2025 at 09:21 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Perry "P Dog" Russell.*



September 16, 2025 at 09:17 AM



“ *My Condolences to the entire family during their time of bereavement!*



AC Dumas - September 16, 2025 at 08:53 AM



“ *Gina Lee lit a candle in memory of Perry Russell*



Gina Lee - September 16, 2025 at 08:39 AM



“ *Cynthia Threlkeld lit a candle in memory of Mr. Perry "P Dog" Russell*



Cynthia Threlkeld - September 15, 2025 at 11:07 PM

KR

“ Kermit & Genell Reeves lit a candle in memory of Mr. Perry "P Dog" Russell



Kermit & Genell Reeves - September 15, 2025 at 06:54 PM

VD

“ I chose to light a blue candle for you Perry because it represents Calm and Serenity which represents how I feel were one of your unique qualities that only GOD himself blessed you with. Blue also represents Trust and Loyalty and I truly can say you have because I personally trusted you with quite a few things that I struggled with and needed someone to talk to and I don't care what time of night or day that I called you, You always took time to talk to me and allowed me to just cry it out and last but not least the color blue also represents Stability and wisdom, you always knew what to say or not say in the mid nineties you had such an amazing GLOW about you I had to ask someone "What's going on with Perry because he looks good and I want whatever it is that he's had but I want some too 😭. Nobody could answer me so I asked you and you pointed up to the heavens and said"NOTHING BUT THE WORD" which started my journey back to GOD so I thank you so much my friend I love you and I'm going to always cherish our friendship from childhood to adulthood... Love you always... Virginia Sanders ❤️❤️❤️



Virginia Dantzer - September 15, 2025 at 05:14 PM

WK

“ *Condolences to the Russell Family. May God Bless you with Peace and Strength in this difficult time! Goodbye old friend. May you rest in Peace!*



Willie Kirby - September 15, 2025 at 05:08 PM

VD

“ *REST IN GOD'S ETERNAL HEAVENS PERRY YOU WERE A GOOD FRIEND AND BROTHER IN CHRIST AND I WILL ALWAYS CHERISH THE MEMORIES THAT I HAVE OF THE FRIENDSHIP THAT WE SHARED* ❤️



Virginia Dantzler - September 15, 2025 at 04:46 PM

BS

“ *The Luckado family lit a candle in memory of Perry Russell*

Belle Luckado Stocker - September 15, 2025 at 03:03 PM

JH

“ *James and Carolyn (Cardwell) Hudson lit a candle in memory of Perry Russell*



James and Carolyn (Cardwell) Hudson - September 15, 2025 at 01:44 PM

TF

“ *The Cardwell Family lit a candle in memory of Perry Russell*



The Cardwell Family - September 15, 2025 at 01:42 PM