



Mr. Raymond "Butch" Neal Jr.

February 12, 1945 - October 16, 2020

NEAL, Mr. Raymond Jr. "Butch" - Age 75, passed away Friday, October 16, 2020 at his residence. Mr. Neal will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home from 1:00 PM-6:00 PM Thursday, October 22, 2020. Mr. Raymond Neal Jr. affectionately known as "Butch", "Ray", "Neal" and "The Godfather" was born February 12, 1945 in Flint, Michigan, the only child of Mamie Benton and James Williams. Raymond was a resident of Flint and a member of Antioch Missionary Baptist Church. He was a graduate of Flint Central High School and obtained an Associate Degree. Raymond was employed at Grand Blanc Metal Center, a division of General Motors Corporation as a Skilled Tradesman and was a member of UAW Local #1292. He enjoyed attending the NCCA Final Four Tournaments. Raymond also enjoyed being a member of the Masonic Lodge. After retirement he served as a Crossing Guard for the Flint Public School System. He owned and operated the Reliable Monuments Company. Raymond volunteered as an Election Inspector. He loved reading Western novels and spending time with family and friends. Raymond was very witty, a great dancer and focused, informed and innovative.

Mr. Raymond Neal Jr. leaves to cherish his memory: 2 daughters, Shawnda (Sam) Gipson of Dallas, TX and Sonja (Terry "T.J.") Jackman of Atlanta, GA; 3 step-sons, Timothy Murchison, Clifton Murchison, both of Lansing, MI and Sharron Manager of Atlanta, GA; grandchildren, Shanara Collins of Atlanta, GA, Sterling "Tino" Collins of Dallas, TX, Trey Neal of Atlanta, GA, Paige

Murchison of Lansing, MI and Aureon Manager of Atlanta, GA; great-grandchildren, Tristin Collins, Kireiya Carson, Juden Collins, Saiya Collins and Bronx Arister; 2 god-sons, Oliver McGee and Andre McGee; a host of aunts, uncles, cousins, other relatives and friends.

Mr. Neal was preceded in death by his mother, Mamie Benton; father, James Williams; grandparents, Robert Benton and Aguilar Benton.

The family would like to express special thanks to Dr. Henry Mendoza MD, Jaquelyn Parks, Joyce Parks, Linda Carter, Brenda Carter, Gwendolyn Wafford, Darnell Cole and the entire Benton family.

Previous Events

Will lie in state

OCT **22**. 1:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Raymond "Butch" Neal Jr.*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Mary McGee lit a candle in memory of Mr. Raymond "Butch" Neal Jr.*



Mary McGee - October 30, 2020 at 04:05 PM



“ *To the Family,*

May your hearts be filled with wonderful memories of joyful times shared with Ray. Remember - The sun will shine again tomorrow.

JT Holmes and Friends of Max Brandon Park

John Holmes - October 27, 2020 at 02:40 PM



“ *Raynetta Speed lit a candle in memory of Mr. Raymond "Butch" Neal Jr.*



Raynetta Speed - October 26, 2020 at 02:00 PM

LW

“ *Larry Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Raymond "Butch" Neal Jr.*



Larry Williams - October 24, 2020 at 08:55 PM

PP

“ *Pat Parks-Deason sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Raymond "Butch" Neal Jr.*



Pat Parks-Deason - October 24, 2020 at 11:58 AM

JH

“ *Joy Harrington-Mathis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Raymond "Butch" Neal Jr.*



Joy Harrington-Mathis - October 23, 2020 at 11:10 PM

PP

“ *To Cousin Raymond Neal's, aka Butch's daughter's and Step-Son's. So sorry for your loss. We will keep you in prayer. May Butch Rest In Peace. Love, cousins John and Pat Parks-Deason*

Pat Parks-Deason - October 23, 2020 at 04:07 PM

DE

“ Deborah sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Raymond "Butch" Neal Jr.



Deborah - October 22, 2020 at 09:28 PM



“ Lula Lewis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Raymond "Butch" Neal Jr.



Lula Lewis - October 22, 2020 at 05:44 PM

SB

“ Steven Blake lit a candle in memory of Mr. Raymond "Butch" Neal Jr.



Steven Blake - October 22, 2020 at 03:59 PM

SL

“ Sheila Legardye sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Raymond "Butch" Neal Jr.



sheila legardye - October 22, 2020 at 01:19 PM

DJ

“ *Delois And Teddy Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Raymond "Butch" Neal Jr.*



Delois and Teddy Jackson - October 21, 2020 at 09:58 PM

DC

“ *To the Family,*

Please know that I am praying for all of you during this difficult time. May you be strengthened and encouraged. God will always be your faithful provider.

Dorothy

DOROTHY Cocroft - October 21, 2020 at 09:06 PM

JP

“ *Neal, may you Rest in Peace. You will be missed. Sending Condolences to Troy and Tesa, and the grandchildren, he loved you all.*



Your cousin

Jacqueline Parks

Jacqueline Parks - October 21, 2020 at 07:59 PM

DC

“ *DOROTHY Cocroft lit a candle in memory of Mr. Raymond "Butch" Neal Jr.*



DOROTHY Cocroft - October 21, 2020 at 04:43 PM

DA

“ *Derrick And Angela Anderson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Raymond "Butch" Neal Jr.*



Derrick and Angela Anderson - October 21, 2020 at 02:50 PM

JB

“ *James & Lisa Blakley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Raymond "Butch" Neal Jr.*



James & Lisa Blakley - October 21, 2020 at 10:47 AM

SB

“ *Steven Blake lit a candle in memory of Mr. Raymond "Butch" Neal Jr.*



Steven Blake - October 20, 2020 at 08:47 PM

DJ

“ To the family and friends of Raymond “Butch” Neal:

We are going to miss our phone calls from Ray. May we all find comfort in the beautiful memories that we have of him. Sending our caring thoughts and deepest sympathy. RIH our Dear Brother 🦋

Dennis & Shirley Jackson - October 20, 2020 at 05:54 PM

JP

“ Cousin it was my pleasure to assist you in getting to Dallas to walk Troy down the aisle when she married Sam, and I also had the pleasure to assist you in getting to Atlanta for Tesa’s Wedding to T.J. I know that brought you much joy. May you RIP knowing that your daughters are in good hands. We will all miss you.

Joyce Parks - October 20, 2020 at 04:34 PM

AH

“ Deepest Sympathy from your Aunt Annie Mae Holland, May you Rest In Peace.



Annie Mae Holland - October 20, 2020 at 04:27 PM

OM

“ R.I.P from your Godson.

Oliver McGee - October 20, 2020 at 12:50 PM

CB

“ Colette Brown lit a candle in memory of Mr. Raymond "Butch" Neal Jr.



Colette Brown - October 19, 2020 at 10:16 PM

JB

“ Jeanette Brown lit a candle in memory of Mr. Raymond "Butch" Neal Jr.



Jeanette Brown - October 19, 2020 at 07:16 PM

VR

“ Verma L Rosborough sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Raymond "Butch" Neal Jr.



Verma L Rosborough - October 19, 2020 at 06:08 PM

MA

“ Mr & Mrs James August lit a candle in memory of Mr. Raymond "Butch" Neal Jr.



Mr & Mrs James August - October 19, 2020 at 05:27 PM

BW

“ *Bennie Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Raymond "Butch" Neal Jr.*



Bennie Williams - October 18, 2020 at 10:27 PM

KI

“ *My condolences to the family of Ray Neal.*



Kimberly Itson - October 18, 2020 at 03:24 PM

GB

“ *Gloria Boone lit a candle in memory of Mr. Raymond "Butch" Neal Jr.*



Gloria Boone - October 18, 2020 at 01:07 PM

JN

“ *Jerry & Cynthia Nard lit a candle in memory of Mr. Raymond "Butch" Neal Jr.*



Jerry & Cynthia Nard - October 17, 2020 at 02:23 PM



“ *Iris Hare lit a candle in memory of Mr. Raymond "Butch" Neal Jr.*



Iris Hare - October 17, 2020 at 10:39 AM