



Mr. Robert T. Boyler Sr.

March 14, 1939 - October 19, 2022

BOYLER, Mr. Robert T. Sr - Age 83, passed away Wednesday, October 19, 2022, at his residence. Family hour 10:00 AM Saturday, November 5, 2022, at Vernon Chapel AME Church, 5802 Dupont St., with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM Pastor Doug Banks Host Pastor, Pastor George Wilkinson officiating. Please note face covering is required. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10:00 AM Saturday. Mr. Boyler will lie in state at Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed during the family hour only. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to: Complete Health Group, c/o Robert Boyler Sr., P.O. Box 4332, Flint, MI 48504. Robert (Bob) T. Boyler Sr. was born March 14, 1939 in Raleigh, North Carolina to the late Cornelia Williams. Bob graduated from Ligon High School in Raleigh, NC where he played basketball under the nickname of "Booty Ray". Shortly after graduation, Bob moved to Washington, DC. While in DC, he graduated from Cortez Peters Business College and worked for Lords Mens Wear. During his stay in Washington, DC, he married the late Hilda P. Boyler – Mathus and to this union, they were blessed with two children, Robert T. Boyler II and Apryl D. Boyler. The family later relocated to Flint, Michigan where Bob introduced high fashion clothing stores; Town Squire and House of Slacks. His east coast style, brought a different flair to Flint and surrounding areas. He suited and booted many that were going to church, Papas Bag, Piece Of The Rock, Harold's Lounge, Studio 416, the Omen Temple and many other places. Town Squire grew from family values,

traditions and high school rivals. Bob was known in community for his talks about leadership, business, work ethics and entrepreneurship. He supporting families in crisis and lent a hand for school functions. As a Flint resident, he was a member of Vernon Chapel AME Church, and was involved at Charity and Bethel United Methodist Churches. Bob was not all work and no play. He enjoyed attending church, summer concerts at The Aretha Franklin Amphitheater, formerly Chene Park, Flint's Jazz On Wheels every Friday at the Old Farmers Market and enjoyed Tacos on Saturdays at El Especial. He also played a mean game of golf. He served as Executive Director of Dort Oak Park Neighborhood House, was on the Board of Directors for Salem Housing Task Force, the NAACP Fair Share Committee and received a key to the city of Flint, MI. He also served as a Mason. Robert (Bob) T. Boyler Sr. leaves to cherish his memory: children, Robert T. Boyler II and Apryl D. Boyler; nieces Ursula Leake, Rev. Lolita P. Turner, nephew Dan Leak III, cousins Rufus "Tee" Isley, Sherri Isley Jackson and Nicole Isley McClure, aunts Joyce Moorman, Bernice (William) Boylorn-Sanders and sister in law Annie P. Turner. He also leaves his beloved fur grandsons, Showers and Scar. Bob was preceded in death by his mom Connie Leake, brother Dan Leake Jr. and sister in law Wilhelmina Leake, grandmother Annie Boyler, aunt Cornelia Williams, ex wife - friend Hilda P. Boyler – Mathus, friends Robert Seay, George Lowe, Fred Jones and Burl "BJ" Johnson. The family would like acknowledge, special friends George Butler, Jerry Gaines Abdallah, Cleo Thompson, Larry White, Charles Mitchell, Dr. Tara Sutton and E. Hill D Loney. The family would like to thank our repast sponsors, Isaac Lockhart, Thurman Taylor, Sherman Taylor, Terence "T" Greene and desserts by Ernestine. We would also like to acknowledge Zelton Johnson DDS, Michigan Medicine Cardiologist and Vascular, Drs. James Froehlich, Julie Mertz and Robert Beaulieu, Complete Health Group, The Valley Of Area On Aging, Mercy Plus Healthcare, Horizon Physical Therapy and JAG the Haberdasher.

Previous Events

Family hour & viewing

NOV 5. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (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>

Service

NOV 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

Vernon Chapel AME Church
5802 Dupont St.
Flint, MI

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Robert T. Boyler Sr.*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Bob was in a fashion industry stacked against Black bodies at the time. He always was about the proper fit as the Town Squire, he brought to Flint.*

Rest in Love

Paula L. Macklin

Paula Macklin - November 06, 2022 at 01:35 PM



“ *My Deepest Condolences, Love And Prayers To The Entire Boyler Family. Rest Peacefully In Heaven Mr. Robert Boyler Sr.* 🙏❤️



Ruthi Hill - November 05, 2022 at 10:21 AM



“ *Pamela Buck lit a candle in memory of Robert Boyler*



Pamela D Buck - November 05, 2022 at 08:56 AM

CB

“ LOVED ME SOME MR BOYLER PRAYING FOR YOU ROB AND APRIL LOVE Y'ALL

Christine Brown - November 04, 2022 at 03:26 PM

CB

“ Christine Brown lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert T. Boyler Sr.



Christine Brown - November 04, 2022 at 03:25 PM

VP

“ My deepest sympathy goes out to Rob and April for the loss of your sweet, sweet father. May the peace of God be with you both, and the extended family.

Venetia Petteway - November 03, 2022 at 10:58 PM

PF

“ Pamela Franklin lit a candle in memory of Robert Boyler



Pamela Franklin - November 02, 2022 at 10:22 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Robert T. Boyler Sr..*



November 02, 2022 at 01:12 PM



“ *Darren, Traci & Wendy Dantzler purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Mr. Robert T. Boyler Sr..*



Darren, Traci & Wendy Dantzler - November 01, 2022 at 08:54 PM



“ *TWANA JEFFERSON lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert T. Boyler Sr.*



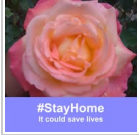
TWANA JEFFERSON - November 01, 2022 at 03:53 PM



“ *FRED PEELER III lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert T. Boyler Sr.*



FRED PEELER III - October 30, 2022 at 02:07 PM



“ *Pauletta Epps lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert T. Boyler Sr.*



Pauletta Epps - October 30, 2022 at 12:19 PM



“ *Phyllis Jones lit a candle in memory of Robert Boyler*



Phyllis Jones - October 29, 2022 at 05:10 PM



“ *Dolorise Dee) Moman sent a virtual gift in memory of Robert Boyler*



Dolorise (Dee Dee) Moman - October 29, 2022 at 10:09 AM



“ *Derrek & Regina Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert T. Boyler Sr.*



Derrek & Regina Williams - October 28, 2022 at 12:41 AM

RF

“ *Deepest condolences to*Rob My. Friend* and the entire family.....
My prayers are with you 🙏🙏🙏🙏*

RENEE HILL-SYKES & FAMILY - October 27, 2022 at 09:16 PM

HA

“ *Dear Rob and Apryl, we were truly saddened to learn of the passing of your awesome Dad. Please know that our hearts are heavy with your loss. To be absent from the body is to be present with the Lord. May you be comforted by the thought that he is at peace and resting in the arms of the Father. We are praying for the two of you. Herman and Stephanie (Robb) Anthony and our entire family.*

Herman and Stephanie Anthony - October 27, 2022 at 05:59 PM

HM

“ *Herman McCain lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert T. Boyler Sr.*



Herman McCain - October 27, 2022 at 04:20 PM

SH

“ *Shelia Hayman sent a virtual gift in memory of Robert Boyler*



Shelia Phondria Hayman - October 27, 2022 at 01:51 PM

A.

“ Praying for the Boyler Family Mr. Boyler was a Great man and done so much for his community.

A.Callaway - October 27, 2022 at 10:51 AM

CA

“ Rob, My family and I are praying for you and your family. We are sadden by your loss.



Cheryl Adkins - October 27, 2022 at 07:06 AM

MF

“ Manning Family lit a candle in memory of Robert Boyler



Manning Family - October 26, 2022 at 11:34 PM

EB

“ Eddie & Linda Booth lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert T. Boyler Sr.



Eddie & Linda Booth - October 26, 2022 at 09:06 PM

BB

“ My sincere condolences and prayers to the family.

Brenda Brown - October 26, 2022 at 04:18 PM

BB

“ *Brenda Brown lit a candle in memory of Robert Boyler*



Brenda Brown - October 26, 2022 at 03:47 PM

EM

“ *Ella Moore sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Robert T. Boyler Sr.*



Ella Moore - October 26, 2022 at 01:11 PM

AC

“ *Attorney Hewitt Chatman lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert T. Boyler Sr.*



Attorney Hewitt Chatman - October 26, 2022 at 12:42 PM

WS

“ *Rob and Apryl: Please know you have our heartfelt prayers and sympathy. "Only" God knew in nine months you'd be grieving the loss of another parent! Because He knew, He sent His Son, Jesus, and Jesus sacrificed His life on the Cross of Calvary long ago, so you could have peace in the midst of this storm "now." "The Lord bless you and keep you...and give you peace."- Numbers 6:24-26 Charles & Willene Sumpter of Vernon Chapel*

Willene Sumpter - October 26, 2022 at 12:42 PM



“ *Rob praying for you.*

Theresa Miller - October 26, 2022 at 07:21 AM



“ *Theresa Miller lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert T. Boyler Sr.*



Theresa Miller - October 26, 2022 at 07:20 AM



“ *Jean Durrett lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert T. Boyler Sr.*



Jean Durrett - October 26, 2022 at 02:36 AM



“ *My sincere condolences to the family of Mr. Robert Boyler*



Valerie Marshall - October 25, 2022 at 09:41 PM

JM

“ My sincere condolences to Rob and Apryl upon the passing of Bob 🌸 I lived next door to the Boyler’s for over 25 years and were practically family! Uncle Bob as my son would call him, was a great example of a successful Black Businessman! You were a great neighbor to me when my parents were no longer able to live in the house. He kept an eye on everything that was going on Lol 😂 You will truly be missed my friend and neighbor RIH Bob 😭😭



Jackie, George and Takashi

Jackie Mallett Murry - October 25, 2022 at 07:20 PM

LT

“ Apryl and Robby, my deepest sympathies to you both for my Uncle Bob. He was a great man and the spiritual pillar of our family. Aunt Ann and I loved him, and he will always be remembered.

Your niece and Sister-in-Law

Rev. Lolita Turner aka to others, but the nickname my Uncle Bob gave me was Gitta bug. And Mom’s nickname he gave her was Fannie....

Lolita Turner - October 25, 2022 at 05:50 PM

GB

“ Gloria Banks lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert T. Boyler Sr.



Gloria Banks - October 25, 2022 at 04:59 PM

TC

“ *My sincere condolences to Rob & April for the loss of your beloved father. May God give you strength during this trying time.*

Candy Claxton-Frelix

Teresa Claxton-Frelix - October 25, 2022 at 03:26 PM

DM

“ *Dolorise (Dee Dee) Moman lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert T. Boyler Sr.*



Dolorise (Dee Dee) Moman - October 25, 2022 at 01:41 PM

CW

“ *Rob and Apryl, you both are in my prayers. Stay close to each other as you go through these difficult moments.*



Crystal Williams - October 25, 2022 at 10:31 AM

ZJ

“ *zelton Johnson lit a candle in memory of Robert Boyler*



zelton g Johnson - October 25, 2022 at 07:42 AM

BW

“ *Brenda Williams lit a candle in memory of Robert Boyler*



Brenda R. Williams - October 24, 2022 at 08:41 PM

VB

“ *My condolences and prayers to you Rob Boyler and family* 🙏❤️



Vickie Broome - October 24, 2022 at 06:00 PM

LP

“ *Leroy And Brenda Purifoy lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert T. Boyler Sr.*



Leroy and Brenda Purifoy - October 24, 2022 at 05:59 PM

DB

“ *David Bush lit a candle in memory of Robert Boyler*



David Bush - October 24, 2022 at 05:59 PM

RW

“ My sincere condolences go out to April and my friend/classmate (Rob). You both showed a great example, of being there for your parents. I pray for peace and comfort for both of you. RWest



RWest - October 24, 2022 at 05:29 PM

DL

“ Rest In Peace 🙏



Deborah Lincoln - October 24, 2022 at 05:18 PM

SE

“ My condolences to my friend/classmate Rob and the entire Boyler Family and Friends.

Remembering you in thoughts and prayers during this time.

Rest Peacefully 🦋🕊️



Shirley Edwards-Jackson - October 24, 2022 at 10:31 AM

RS

“ Bob was a great man of God. Praying for the family.



Rev. Dr. Tara Sutton - October 23, 2022 at 08:57 AM

AP

“ Anthony Paxton lit a candle in memory of Robert Boyler



Anthony D. Paxton - October 22, 2022 at 05:58 PM

TY

“ May the peace of Christ be with you all. Rob don't hesitate to reach out to me if you need anything. Love you, your friend Tisha!



Tisha Young - October 22, 2022 at 04:36 PM

BS

“ BARBARA SMITH lit a candle in memory of Robert Boyler



BARBARA SMITH - October 22, 2022 at 02:56 PM

TY

“ Tony Debra Young lit a candle in memory of Robert Boyler



Tony and Debra Young - October 22, 2022 at 10:45 AM

DH

“ Dearest Rob.. I'm so sorry to hear about the passing of your dad.. may God be with you at this very sad time.. I cherish the memories of us eating tacos together.. Love and condolences to you and family.. Lois Harrison

Delores Harrison - October 22, 2022 at 08:30 AM

LY

“ Rob and April praying for you to have peace during this difficult time 🙏



Lynn - October 22, 2022 at 12:13 AM

GB

“ Gwendolyn Bronson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert T. Boyler Sr.



Gwendolyn Bronson - October 21, 2022 at 11:26 PM



“ Praying for the family



Terry Gates - October 21, 2022 at 10:27 PM

PB

“ PAM BROWN lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert T. Boyler Sr.



PAM BROWN - October 21, 2022 at 05:48 PM

AH

“ Anthony And Carol Hill lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert T. Boyler Sr.



Anthony and Carol Hill - October 21, 2022 at 04:12 PM

JW

“ Jaymes Wesley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Robert T. Boyler Sr.



Jaymes Wesley - October 21, 2022 at 02:25 PM

RA

“ ReGina Adams lit a candle in memory of Robert Boyler



ReGina Adams - October 21, 2022 at 09:49 AM

KC

“ *Kim Carpenter lit a candle in memory of Robert Boyler*



Kim E. Carpenter - October 21, 2022 at 03:05 AM

EW

“ *Elder Woods lit a candle in memory of Robert Boyler*



Elder Charles Woods - October 21, 2022 at 01:30 AM

JM

“ *In loving memory of my Beloved Nephew Robert.
Rob and April you have my deepest condolences. Robert will always be with us within our hearts. Love Aunt Joyce Moorman, Raleigh,NC* 🙏❤️🕊️



Joyce Moorman - October 21, 2022 at 01:16 AM

TJ

“ *Tanya Jefferson lit a candle in memory of Robert Boyler*



Tanya Jefferson - October 20, 2022 at 11:20 PM

WS

“ I just learned that my nephew, Robert Boyler has gained his wings to his heavenly home. We had such a long great talk last week about different things in the past not knowing it would be the last time that I would hear his voice. Rob and April my prayers and condolences are with you. He was a great joy to talk with, we will truly miss him..Even though we lived in different states we stayed in touch. Rest In Peace nephew. L

William and Bernice Boylorn Sanders - October 20, 2022 at 10:12 PM

MT

“ Ms. Thompson sent a virtual gift in memory of Robert Boyler



Ms. Cleo Thompson - October 20, 2022 at 09:39 PM

DS

“ Rob and April I'm sorry to learn of the passing of your Dad. My thoughts and prayers are with you both at this time. Mr. Boyler is in the care of our LORD. Absent from the body present with the LORD. Rob you were an obedient Son, take solace in knowing that did all that was required and over that. Your Dad lived a exquisite life and part of that was because of you. GOD is able.



Deidre Spight-Woodson - October 20, 2022 at 08:33 PM

MD

“ *Mary Dantzler-Grace lit a candle in memory of Robert Boyler*



Mary Dantzler-Grace - October 20, 2022 at 04:26 PM

TC

“ *My sincerest condolences to the entire family. Rob I know you took great care of your father, but let God take care of him now. RIP Mr. Boyler*

Teresa Claxton-Frelix

Teresa Claxton-Frelix - October 20, 2022 at 03:15 PM

GF

“ *Very pleasant and nice person. He always greeted ppl with a smile and asked how you where doing.*



Glynis Rice and Family - October 20, 2022 at 01:34 PM

RA

“ *Rosia Anderson lit a candle in memory of Robert Boyler*



Rosia Anderson - October 20, 2022 at 10:27 AM

ML

“ *Monica Leverette lit a candle in memory of Robert Boyler*



Monica Leverette - October 20, 2022 at 10:23 AM

MW

“ *Mary Williams lit a candle in memory of Robert Boyler*



Mary A. Williams - October 20, 2022 at 09:35 AM

DW

“ *Diane Williams sent a virtual gift in memory of Robert Boyler*



Diane Williams - October 20, 2022 at 09:34 AM

RW

“ *Mr. B was one of the most genuine father figures I knew. Whenever I was over he always had encouraging words for me and asked what was my next plan in life. It was an honor to know him and to become best friends with his son.
Rest in Peace Sir.*

Rod W.

Rod Wettlin - October 20, 2022 at 09:27 AM

SB

“ *My God, my God, he was such a sweet person, and will truly be missed. My prayers for Rob & April. Much love* ❤️

Breed

Sonia Denise Breed - October 19, 2022 at 10:02 PM