



## Mr. Roy C. Giles

August 7, 1944 - July 26, 2020

GILES, Mr. Roy C. - Age 75, passed away Sunday, July 26, 2020 at Kith Haven Nursing Home. Family Hour 10:30 AM Tuesday, August 4, 2020 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM. Rev. Christopher Taylor, officiating. Interment Lovedale Memorial Cemetery, 5175 E. Bristol Rd., Burton, MI. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the Chapel 10:30 AM Tuesday. Mr. Giles will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home and may be viewed 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM Monday. Roy Chester Giles was the fifth of eight children born to the late Floyd Sr. and Nobie (Brown) Giles. He made his transition Sunday, July 26, 2020. Roy Chester Giles was born August 7, 1944 in Prescott, Arkansas. He moved to Flint, Michigan with his family at a young age. As a special needs youngster, he received his schooling through the Genesee Intermediate School District.

Blessed with the friendship of the late Reverend Reuben Russell, then pastor of Vernon Chapel A.M.E. Church, Roy obtained employment at the United States Postal Service as a Mail Handler. He worked many years until his retirement.

Roy and family united with Antioch Missionary Baptist Church when they moved to Flint. When transportation became an issue, he united with New Zion Missionary Baptist Church as well as St. Mark Missionary Baptist Church. Transportation and living arrangements bought him back to membership at Antioch in 2016, however health issues prevented him from

regular church attendance.

Roy loved his family and tried to keep up with what was going on with everyone. He was constantly on the phone with his siblings, nieces, nephews and cousins until his vision kept him from dialing the phone. The family rule was if you did not want something repeated, then don't tell Roy!!!

Roy Chester Giles leaves to cherish his memory: son, Derrick Poe Sr. of Flint; 3 grandchildren, Terry Graham of Midland, TX, Derrick Poe Jr. and Tiaria Poe, both of Flint; 3 sisters, Gladys (Jeremiah) Duncan of Burton, MI, Annie Duncan of Flint and Kathleen Giles of Detroit, MI; 2 brothers, William (Wanda) Giles of Flint and Donald (Delois) Giles of Lithonia, GA; 2 sisters-in-law, Jemima Giles of Loganville, GA and Jacqueline Giles of Flint; uncle, Reverend Roosevelt (Birdie) Brown of Mt. Morris, MI; aunt, Elnora Burton of Flint; special sister, Patience Saines of Virginia; 2 special long time Comstock Avenue neighbors, Mrs. Rutherford and Mrs. Cummings; as well as a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.,

Roy was preceded in death by his parents, Floyd Sr. and Nobie Giles; 2 brothers, Floyd Giles Jr. and Deacon James Giles; brother-in-law, Charlie Duncan.

The family would like to express special thanks to Pastor Christopher Taylor and the Antioch Missionary Baptist Church family, Pastor Jacob Hawkins and the New Zion Missionary Baptist Church family.

# Cemetery Details

## Lovedale Memorial Cemetery

G-5175 E. Bristol Rd.  
Burton, MI

# Previous Events

## Viewing

**AUG 3.** 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

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## Service

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**AUG 4.** 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Mr. Roy C. Giles*



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**Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home** - August 04, 2020 at 07:46 AM



“ *Mr. Roy C. Giles*

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October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Lula Lewis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Roy C. Giles*



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**Lula Lewis** - August 08, 2020 at 11:51 AM



“ *He was one the most kindest, sweetest, and gentlest souls I know. I love my cousin and he will be missed. Rest in heaven.*

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**Elaine McGill** - August 07, 2020 at 02:51 AM



“ Rest well, Uncle Chet! Love - "Meek" ”

Tomica Young - August 05, 2020 at 02:55 PM



“ Jeanette Brown lit a candle in memory of Mr. Roy C. Giles ”



Jeanette Brown - August 04, 2020 at 07:53 PM



“ Rest in Peace Uncle Chet,  
love you,  
Sheila Giles Henry ”

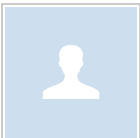


Lafaye Giles - August 03, 2020 at 10:56 PM



“ So sorry for your loss. Cousin Chester was a good man. To the family, May your suffering be minimal and your memories plentiful. ”

Brenda Brown - August 03, 2020 at 10:01 PM



“ B lit a candle in memory of Mr. Roy C. Giles ”



b - August 03, 2020 at 09:59 PM

EG

“ Earnestine Gray sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Roy C. Giles



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**Earnestine Gray** - August 03, 2020 at 05:42 PM

TR

“ When I was a little girl Cousin Chet always came to visit us on LeErda. And before he would leave he would give us a ride on his Ten-Speed-:) He was always in good spirits and ALWAYS made time for us!! LOVE YOU ALWAYS COUSIN!!!

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**Temeka Robinson** - August 03, 2020 at 04:04 PM



“ Teresa Claxton Williams sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Roy C. Giles



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**Teresa Claxton Williams** - August 03, 2020 at 03:59 PM

CR

“ Carl & Verma Rosborough sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Roy C. Giles



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**Carl & Verma Rosborough** - August 03, 2020 at 03:56 PM

BW

“ *Betty Wesley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Roy C. Giles*



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**Betty Wesley** - August 03, 2020 at 12:03 AM

JA

“ *To my Giles family I wish onto you strength and comfort knowing that "Chester" is at peace with all our family members that preceded him. His legacy of being a loving family member to everyone will never be forgotten.*  
*Blessings,*  
*Janice*

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**Janice Adams** - August 02, 2020 at 09:15 PM

TB

*May God bless the Giles family and the loving memory of Chester forever be remembered... Tim/Blanche*

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**Timothy Brown** - August 03, 2020 at 06:33 PM

LG

“ *With deepest sympathy. Our warmest thoughts go out to the Giles Family. We're saddened by the grief you all are feeling now. Fred & I are praying that the love of God, family and friends will help to see you through, and that time will bring you brighter days.*  
*Love,*  
*Freddie & Linda Gaddis*  
*Bolton, MS*

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**Linda Gaddis** - August 02, 2020 at 08:54 AM



“ *Bright and Beautiful Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Roy C. Giles.*



August 01, 2020 at 05:56 PM



“ *Aisha Nicole purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mr. Roy C. Giles.*



**Aisha Nicole** - August 01, 2020 at 11:35 AM



“ *Eric, lit a candle in memory of Mr. Roy C. Giles*



**Eric**, - July 31, 2020 at 06:05 PM



“ *Carlene, Eric, Phil lit a candle in memory of Mr. Roy C. Giles*



**Carlene, Eric, Phil** - July 31, 2020 at 06:03 PM

VL

“ Prayers and condolences to the family of Roy Giles. Mr Roy will be missed. He was a sweet, kind, gentle soul.



Vivian Lowe - July 31, 2020 at 10:06 AM

DJ

“ The Family Of Roy C. Giles:

We would like you to know that we are thinking of you during this time of tremendous loss.

Chester was a beautiful and special man in our lives and his presence will be sorely missed.

Sharing in your sorrow with love and friendship ~ know that God's love and grace are always with you, even in your hour of darkness.



Dennis & Shirley Jackson - July 30, 2020 at 07:49 PM

DM

“ Douglas And Mayrene McGruder lit a candle in memory of Mr. Roy C. Giles



Douglas and Mayrene McGruder - July 30, 2020 at 05:53 PM

YH

“ Yvonne Harris sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Roy C. Giles



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**Yvonne Harris** - July 30, 2020 at 03:08 PM

LL

“ Lavern Lock lit a candle in memory of Mr. Roy C. Giles



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**Lavern Lock** - July 30, 2020 at 02:16 PM



“ Teresa Claxton Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Roy C. Giles



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**Teresa Claxton Williams** - July 30, 2020 at 01:52 PM

FP

“ Flora Poe sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Roy C. Giles



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**Flora poe** - July 30, 2020 at 01:42 PM

YH

“ To my long outstanding Giles Family.  
Please except my deepest Condolences to the passing of Roy. A  
Angel in his own ways , a friend to many . But a loving always  
helpful human being who has taken up his dutifully wings and  
departed to the awaiting Gates of HEAVEN. May you all find Peace  
and love but Understanding to such an awesome person as Roy. If  
you know Roy as we knew him . You'll hear the sounds of a  
beautiful laughter surrounding among yourselves as we say farewell  
you mighty warrior. And to each of you it is I ( Doll Baby ) I LOVE  
you all Still So much. But one thing I know is the fruits of the Spirit is  
with each of you Now. Always Yvonne Wafford Harris. Huntsville Al  
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**Yvonne Harris** - July 30, 2020 at 01:30 PM

NS

“ Nate & Lisa Stuart lit a candle in memory of  
Mr. Roy C. Giles



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**Nate & Lisa Stuart** - July 30, 2020 at 11:55 AM

RJ

“ *The Thomas family and the remaining siblings: Betty, Romi, Jackie & Tonie; wish to offer the Giles family our deepest sympathies. We all grew up on Harriet St, between Root and Chippewa and when we were much younger our mother would not allow us to go past Root St, but we would always see Chester when he took his daily walk past our house.*

*In Rev 21:4 - "And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain: for the former things are passed away".*

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**Romi Jean Jones** - July 30, 2020 at 09:58 AM

LA

“ *La Jean Duncan, Gadsden AI lit a candle in memory of Mr. Roy C. Giles*



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**La Jean Duncan, Gadsden AI** - July 29, 2020 at 11:52 PM

AL

“ *To The Giles family we offer our sincere condolences to you at this difficult time. We were neighbors on Harriet St*



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**Aileen Louis** - July 29, 2020 at 08:52 PM

LG

“ We grieve with you for Chet. May he Rest In Peace. Lovie and Lewis

Lovie Giles - July 29, 2020 at 08:06 PM

TS

“ To The Entire Giles and Brown Families,  
We have all suffer tremendous loss over the pass few months. And now our beloved “Chet”. Chet was a true warrior and the families “Sweetheart”. Boy how he could light up a room with his sincere love and friendliness. To his brothers and sisters, we know that your hearts are aching. But we know you all know that Chet is resting in peace with the Lord. Know as well, you are in the prayers and hearts of the family.  
Love y’all! Your cousins,  
The Lock’s,  
Alvern, Theresa and Tristian

Theresa Stephens-Lock - July 29, 2020 at 01:55 PM

LL

To The Giles Family!! My heart is Truly Aching to hear about the lost of my dearest cousin Check. He will truly be missed, I Pray the Lord will give each of you Comfort and Strength during your time of bereavement. I know he's resting now, no more pain and suffering. Keeping the Family in Prayer, LOVE YOU ALL💔💔💔🙏🙏. R. I. P Cuz!!!  
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Lavern Lock - July 30, 2020 at 02:14 PM

LG

“ On behalf of the Gibson family - JC, Lillie, Lueida, Barbara, Bonnie, Valrey, and Rita we offer our deepest sympathy in the loss of your loved one. We were neighbors to the Giles Family for many years on Harriet street. We know how you feel, as we have experienced several deaths in our family as well. We pray God will give the entire family Strength to endure. Isaiah 41:10 tells us to not fear, for God is with us. Do not be dismayed, for I am with you, for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you; I will uphold you with my righteous right hand.



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**Lueida Grady** - July 29, 2020 at 11:42 AM

SB

“ We the long time neighbor of the Giles on Comstock Avenue send our condolences to the family of Chet Giles whom we lived next door to for more than 35 years. The neighborhood hasn't been the same without your presence. Rest well Chet.

*Cynt, Sandra, Poppa, Sonia and our late mother Flo.*

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**Sonia Breed** - July 29, 2020 at 08:41 AM

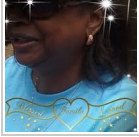
MS

“ Mr. Kevin L. Giles Sr. lit a candle in memory of Mr. Roy C. Giles



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**Mr. Kevin L. Giles Sr.** - July 28, 2020 at 04:24 PM



“ *Marcella-Brown James lit a candle in memory of Mr. Roy C. Giles*



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**Marcella-Brown James** - July 28, 2020 at 10:19 AM



“ *Fredricka "Ricky" Gist lit a candle in memory of Mr. Roy C. Giles*



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**Fredricka "Ricky" Gist** - July 27, 2020 at 05:12 PM



“ *John Butler lit a candle in memory of Mr. Roy C. Giles*



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**John Butler** - July 27, 2020 at 10:56 AM