



Mr. Rufus L. Davis

May 9, 1916 - July 2, 2013

DAVIS, Mr. Rufus L. - Age 97, passed away Tuesday, July 2, 2013 at Hurley Medical Center. Family hour 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, July 9, 2013 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral service commencing at 11 a.m. Interment Lovedale Memorial Cemetery, G-5175 E. Bristol Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the funeral home 10:30 a.m. Tuesday. Mr. Davis will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, and may be viewed from 12 noon-8 p.m. Monday.

Mr. Rufus Lee Davis was born May 9, 1916 in Lee Plantersville, Mississippi, the son of Irene Taylor and Arnie Davis. He accepted Christ when he was 12 years old. Rufus served 3 years in the United States Army during World War II (Asiatic Pacific Theatre), The Philippines, New Guinea and Japan. While in the military he served as a Cook and Mess Sargent and was Honorably Discharged. He also was a cook for 8 years before joining the Army. Rufus worked for 27 years at Chevrolet V-8 Engine Plant, a division of General Motors as a Janitor.

Mr. Rufus L. Davis leaves to cherish his memory: wife, Elnora Maxwell-Davis of Mt. Morris, MI; 3 step-children, Barbara (Curtis) Wallace, Clenton McDaniel and Anthony (Helen) Maxwell; 6 nieces, Jessica, Debra, Beverly, Claudette , Olivia and Sandra Griffin; 3 nephews, David, Richard and Eldridge Jr.; cousin,

Mae Francie Davis of Plantersville, MS; 3 sisters-in-law, Velma Walker, Rose Jones and Ola Woods; a host of other relatives and friends including special friends, Sis. Betty Jones and Dea. Charles Watkins.

Mr. Davis was preceded in death by his mother, Irene Brandon; father, Arnie Davis; sister, Jimmy; 4 brothers, Eldridge, Sam (Hazel), John (Lucille) and Jesse (Ella Mae); and 1st wife, Irene Davis.

The family would like to express special thanks to grandson, Torry Jones who was there every step of the way.

Cemetery Details

Lovedale Memorial Cemetery

G-5175 E. Bristol Rd.
Burton, MI

Previous Events

Public Viewing

JUL 8. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Family hour

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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Mr. Rufus L. Davis*



Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home - July 02, 2013 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mr. Rufus L. Davis*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Dear Davis Family and Friends,
I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your dear loved one. Please accept my sincere condolences. I too have lost several loved ones in death, and the pain is fresh, even with the passage of much time. Thankfully, I have found relief in knowing that "The Most High God" is the "Hearer of Prayer", and a source of tremendous comfort in times of grief and distress.(Psalms83:18,Psalms65:2) Please be assured , death will soon be "swallowed up forever" and we will have the opportunity to see our dead loved ones again.(Isaiah 25:8) My family and I wish you and yours peace.(Phillipians4:7)*

Lisa - July 03, 2013 at 11:09 AM

DH

Uncle Rufus you were the last of my fathers brothers and now I have no more uncles. May you find peace in the sky with the family. Rest In Peace....gone but never forgotten.

Love,

Your niece Deb - July 7, 2013

Debra Humphrey - July 07, 2013 at 01:11 PM