



Mr. Troy Raynard Howard

August 19, 1961 - July 3, 2024

HOWARD, Mr. Troy Raynard - Age 62, passed away Wednesday, July 3, 2024 at his residence. Family hour 10:30 AM Tuesday, July 16, 2024 at Foss Avenue Baptist Church, 1159 E. Foss Ave., with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM. Pastor Tanner Jones, officiating. Interment Gracelawn Cemetery, 5710 N. Saginaw St. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10:30 AM Tuesday. Mr. Howard will lie in state in the chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM Monday.

Mr. Troy Raynard Howard was born August 19, 1961 in Flint, Michigan the second child of the George and the late Auguree S. Howard. Known as "TeeRoy" or "Trouble TeeRoy" by his family and friends, Troy was loved by all that came in his acquaintance. Troy graduated from Beecher High School in Flint, MI in class of 1979 and was a member of the Beecher High Marching Band and football team. Troy attended Southern University in Baton Rouge, LA from 1984 to 1987. Troy was employed by General Motors for over 20 years and made lifelong friends during his tenure. Troy had a passion for playing his saxophone for any stage and audience that would allow him to perform with his favorite songs being "Mister Magic", "Reasons", and "Isn't She Lovely". Troy was a devoted companion to the love of his life Arleatha "Tina" Bunch, father, brother and friend. Troy was a unique individual that was known for calling and talking on the phone for hours no matter what time of

day or night because you were on his mind and he simply just wanted to talk to you. Troy would often be heard saying the phrase "Here's the kicker" during a conversation or "You don't even get it". Troy had an undying love and devotion to his family and friends that will eternally be remembered by all those that had the unique opportunity to be a part of his life.

Mr. Troy Howard leaves to cherish his memory: Loving and lifelong companion of 32 years, Arleatha "Tina" Bunch; 3 sons, Leonard R. Hill of MO; Willie Gibson (Martha) of FL and DeQuary Gibson of MI; 1 Daughter, Tineshia R. Howard (Nick) of LA; 6 grandchildren, Darian, Dorian, Leah, Christian, Prince and Trey; Father, George Howard of MI; 2 Brothers: George J. Howard of LA and Randy D. Howard of TN; Brother-in-laws and sister-in-laws, and a host of nieces, nephews, family and friends.

Mr. Howard was preceded in death by his Mother, Auguree S. Howard and a host of Aunts, Uncles and cousins.

The family would like to express special thanks to Pastor Tanner R. Jones of the Story Church of Flint, MI, the Foss Ave Baptist Church family, Moons Funeral Home, and all family members and friends that came to our aide during this time.

Cemetery Details

Gracelawn Cemetery

5710 N. Saginaw St.
Flint, MI 48505

Previous Events

Viewing

JUL **15**. 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

JUL **16**. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Foss Ave. Baptist Church
1159 E. Foss Ave.
Flint, MI 48505

Funeral Service

JUL 16. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

CB

“ *Crystal A Burns lit a candle in memory of Mr. Troy Raynard Howard*



Crystal A Burns - July 16, 2024 at 09:08 PM

SW

“ *Shamira Williams lit a candle in memory of Troy Howard*



Shamira Williams - July 16, 2024 at 01:58 PM

SB

“ *Sending love and prayers to the family.*

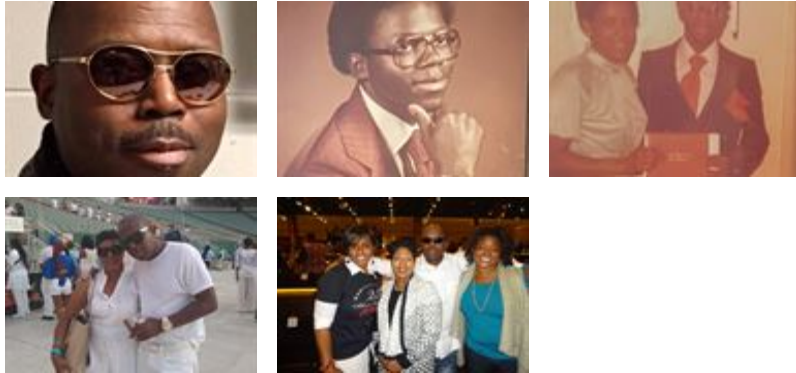
Sascha Brown



Sascha Brown - July 15, 2024 at 07:11 PM



“ 49 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home - July 15, 2024 at 02:38 PM

DO

“ Sending my love prayers and condolences to the family of Mr Troy. May you Rest Well!



Doris - July 14, 2024 at 10:32 PM

EM

“ Sending my prayers and condolences to the family.

Earline McFadden - July 14, 2024 at 08:02 PM

BG

“ Barbara Griffin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Troy Raynard Howard



Barbara Griffin - July 13, 2024 at 06:28 PM

TF

“ *The Wilkerson Family purchased the Ocean Breeze Spray for the family of Mr. Troy Raynard Howard.*



The Wilkerson Family - July 13, 2024 at 06:05 PM

JB

“ *Jacquetta Bryant lit a candle in memory of Troy Howard*



Jacquetta Bryant - July 12, 2024 at 01:16 PM



“ *I just saw him shopping at Sam's only a couple of weeks ago. He was looking healthy, and happy. We were telling each other that we hadn't seen one another since 1978. I thank God for allowing me to see him before he passed. My prayers to his family.*

James Campbell - July 12, 2024 at 06:54 AM

BS

“ *Bishop KIRK AND JACQUILINE WILLIAMS SR.*



BISHOP KIRK Williams Sr. - July 11, 2024 at 07:10 PM

TA

“ Terry Armstead lit a candle in memory of Mr. Troy Raynard Howard



Terry Armstead - July 11, 2024 at 06:36 PM

TM

“ Tony Morris lit a candle in memory of Troy Howard



Tony Morris - July 11, 2024 at 04:29 PM

VF

“ A candle is lit in memory of Mr. Troy R. Howard and prayers are sent to all of the family members.



Violet Warner-Eldridge and Family - July 10, 2024 at 09:22 PM

GJ

“ Our dearest condolences to Troy Howard family great friend Buc for Life Rest in Heaven from Gary and Marcia Jackson

Gary, Marcia Jackson - July 10, 2024 at 10:16 AM

CB

“ *My Prayers and Condolences to Troys Beautiful Wife and The Family! He was such a Nice Respectful Gentleman, R.I.P. Cigar Man! You will Truly be Missed!* 🙏🙏🙏💔



Carolyn Buckley - July 09, 2024 at 09:36 PM

JJ

“ *Praying for the family of Troy Howard. Troy was a childhood friend from elementary school to high school.*



JEAN JOHNSON - July 09, 2024 at 01:12 PM

BC

“ *Sending my prayers and condolences to the Howard family Troy will truly be missed. BETTY & DR. BHATTI MD*



BETTY L COLLINS - July 09, 2024 at 12:18 PM

MD

“ *Mary Dantzler-Grace lit a candle in memory of Mr. Troy Raynard Howard*



Mary Dantzler-Grace - July 09, 2024 at 12:09 PM

TJ

“ *Tari Jones lit a candle in memory of Mr. Troy Raynard Howard*



Tari Jones - July 09, 2024 at 11:32 AM

SY

“ *Sharon Young sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Troy Raynard Howard*



Sharon young - July 08, 2024 at 11:37 PM

CB

“ *My Classmate and Neighbor Troy, so sorry to hear of your passing. My prayer goes out to Mr. Howard, George, Randy, Tina and Rae-Rae, may God give you all strength during this time, in Jesus name I pray.*



Carolyn (Poochie) Brock - July 08, 2024 at 07:22 PM

TF

“ *Terry Finklea-Arnold lit a candle in memory of Mr. Troy Raynard Howard*



Terry Finklea-Arnold - July 08, 2024 at 09:35 AM

TR

“ *Treysi purchased the Small Garden Dish for the family of Mr. Troy Raynard Howard.*



Treysi - July 08, 2024 at 08:30 AM

TR

“ *Treysi planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. Troy Howard.*

Treysi - July 08, 2024 at 08:30 AM

SW

“ *Shirley Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Troy Raynard Howard*



Shirley Williams - July 08, 2024 at 07:52 AM

KC

“ *Kim E. Carpenter lit a candle in memory of Troy Howard*



Kim E. Carpenter - July 07, 2024 at 01:35 PM

TJ

“ Tracy Johnson lit a candle in memory of Troy Howard



Tracy Johnson - July 07, 2024 at 10:26 AM

SP

“ Sheryl Payton sent a virtual gift in memory of Troy Howard



Sheryl Payton - July 06, 2024 at 10:00 PM

MD

“ Make Dantzler-Grace lit a candle in memory of Troy Howard



Make Dantzler-Grace - July 06, 2024 at 08:58 PM

SH

“ Sandy Hairston lit a candle in memory of Troy Howard



Sandy Hairston - July 06, 2024 at 09:48 AM



“ Evelyn Abdul-Azeez lit a candle in memory of Troy Howard



Evelyn Abdul-Azeez - July 06, 2024 at 07:52 AM



“ Cynthia Threlkeld-Jordan lit a candle in memory of Troy Howard



Cynthia Threlkeld-Jordan - July 05, 2024 at 08:30 PM