



## Mr. William Lloyd Battle Sr.

March 6, 1931 - April 25, 2015

BATTLE SR., Mr. William Lloyd - Age 84, passed away Saturday, April 25, 2015 at his residence. Family hour 10:30 a.m. Tuesday, May 5, 2015 at Mt. Sinai Missionary Baptist Church, 1215 E. Downey St., with funeral service commencing at 11 a.m. Rev. Morris Collins, Sr. officiating. Interment Great Lakes National Cemetery, G-4200 Bedford Rd., Holly, MI. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10:30 a.m. Tuesday. Mr. Battle will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 12 p.m. - 8 p.m. Monday.

Mr. William Lloyd Battle, Sr. was born in Ethel, Arkansas, the son of Mr. Will Battle and Mrs. Annie Ivory on March 6, 1931. He was educated in Dewitt, Arkansas Public School System. William joined the U. S. Army, where he served during World War II: Korean Conflict, from 1951 – 1953. After serving his country, he moved to Flint, MI in 1955. William was gainfully employed with Buick Motor Company and Flint V8 Engine Plant, both are divisions of General Motors, where he devoted over 20 years.

Mr. William Lloyd Battle, Sr., better known as “Lloyd”, met Ms. Joy Nell Jenkins and they were united in Holy Matrimony for over 49 years. From this union 3 children were born. He was a member of Mt. Sanai Missionary Baptist Church. William faithfully served on the Male Chorus and the Senior Choir Ministry until his illness. “Lloyd” was a very friendly man who loved people. In his later years, he did volunteer work around the area nursing home facilities.

“Lloyd” was not a fisherman, but he loved to eat fish. He will truly be missed. He leaves to cherish his memory: wife, Mrs. Joy Battle; 2 daughters, Shirley Ann Gillard and Antionette Battle both of Flint, MI; 2 sons, Minister William (Kathy) Battle Jr. of Indianapolis, IN and Michael (Michelle) Battle of Flint, MI; step-children, Vernon (Regina) Jenkins of Dallas, TX, Anthony (Ivory) Jenkins of Battle Creek, MI, Jeffery (Lena Morrow) Jenkins of Murfreesboro, TN; 23 grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren; 9 nieces; 10 nephews; cousins, Charles Hudson of Flint, MI, Maurice Scruggs of Lansing, MI, and Ursula of Dallas, TX; sister-in-law, Vergie (Eddie) Dailey of Flint, MI; brothers-in-law, Rev. John (Juliah) Jenkins, Rev. Otis (Charlene) Jenkins, Clyde (Sheila D. Davis) Jenkins all of Flint, MI, and Mel (Pat) Jenkins of Mountain View, CA; a host of other relatives and friends, too many to name.

Mr. William Lloyd Battle Sr. was preceded in death by: parents, Mr. Will Battle and Annie Ivory-Battle; step-father, Mack Ivy; and brother, Charles H. Battle. The family would like to express special thanks to Pastor Morris Collins and Mt. Sanai Missionary Baptist Church family, Debra Shaw and the Right At Home Staff, and Absolute Hospice Staff.

# Cemetery Details

## Great Lakes National Cemetery

G-4200 Belford Rd.  
Holly, MI 48442

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

MAY 4. 12:00 PM - 8:00 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

MAY 5. 10:30 AM (ET)

Mt. Sinai Missionary Baptist Church  
1215 E. Downey St.  
Flint, MI

## Service

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MAY 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

Mt. Sinai Missionary Baptist Church  
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Flint, MI

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. William Lloyd Battle Sr.*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *My prayer goes out to the Battle and Jenkins Families, don't let death consume the memories and love you shared with Mr. William Battle, Sr*



Carolyn "Poochie" Brock - May 04, 2015 at 02:33 PM



“ *To the Battle Family.  
When i saw this I was taken a back he was a friend of mine rather I bumped into him every blue moon or every now and then, he was always the same. it's been a while now but he will be missed, and you have my deepest sympathy.*



*Minister Anna "Perry" Johnson*

Anna Perry Johnson - May 01, 2015 at 09:03 PM



“ *RE-NAYE SANDERS lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Lloyd Battle Sr.*



RE-NAYE SANDERS - April 28, 2015 at 02:50 AM



*TO THE FAMILY THAT I FEEL HAVE BEEN MY FAMILY SINCE 75. YOU ALL HAVE MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY. I WILL KEEP YOU ALL IN MY PRAYERS, LOVE YOU!!!*

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**RE-NAYE SANDERS** - April 28, 2015 at 03:08 AM

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*“ To the Battle family,  
I am sorry for the loss of your dear love one. Soon it will be a time where death will be done away with. In the Bible, Rev 21 : 4 says: "And he will wipe out every tear from their eyes, and death will be no more, neither will mourning, nor outcry, nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away." I hope these words give your family comfort. With Sympathy*

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**A Mabry** - April 27, 2015 at 09:01 PM