



## Mr. William Russell Kellum Sr.

January 28, 1935 - October 5, 2019

KELLUM, Mr. William Russell Sr. - Age 84, passed away Saturday, October 5, 2019 at his residence. Family hour 1:30 PM Saturday, October 12, 2019 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral service commencing at 2:00 PM, Pastor Antwain T. Alexander, officiating. Interment Sunset Hills Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the Chapel 1:30 PM Saturday. Mr. Kellum will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home and may be viewed from 12:00 PM-8:00 PM Friday, with family present to receive friends from 4:00 PM-6:00 PM.

Mr. Kellum was Honorably Discharged from the United States Army.

Mr. William Russell Kellum Sr. "Bill" was born January 28, 1935 in Osceola, Arkansas, the son of Ed and Elmyra (Taggard) Kellum. Russell was employed as a Skilled Tradesman that loved to build things at Grand Blanc Metal Center, a division of General Motors Corporation where he retired and was a member of UAW Local #1292. He enjoyed watching the Pittsburgh Steelers and Pittsburgh Pirates. Russell also enjoyed driving Cadillacs, playing cards and was a Domino Player Extraordinaire. He loved his pet Dobermans, Steeler and Angel.

Mr. William Russell Kellum Sr. "Bill" leaves to cherish his memory: wife, Patricia Ann Kellum of Flint; 4 daughters and 5 sons, Linda K. Campbell of

Memphis, TN, Eric Kellum (Bertha) of Colorado Springs, CO, Arnold Kellum Sr. (Felicia) of Cape Girardeau, MO, Demetta Reeves of Flint, Michael Kellum Sr. (Michelle) of Cape Girardeau, MO, Shlawnda Austin (Anthony) of Powder Springs, GA, Homer Reeves of Flint, Richarde Reeves Sr. (Janelle) of Los Angeles, CA and Jaquita Kellum of Raleigh, NC; 8 grandchildren, Tyrus Kellum Sr., Tara Campbell, Jermaine Lampkin, Arnold Kellum Jr., Emily Kellum, Michael Kellum Jr., Makya Kellum and Richarde Reeves Jr.; 6 great-grandchildren, Tyrus Kellum Jr., Dy'Ashiah Blackmon, Jayda Kellum, Jasmine Kellum, Arnold Kellum III and Bryson Campbell; 2 brothers, Jettie "Shug" Kellum of Flint and Robert Fisher of Memphis, TN; mother-in-law, Hailey Mae Bates of Leighton, AL; sisters & brothers-in-law, Barbara Jean Farmer, William Long (June), Allen Winston of Alabama, Clifton Byrd of Mississippi, Ardell Byrd, Shelia Jones, Doris Bates, Terrence Bates and Pamela Bates, all of Alabama; a host of nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

Mr. Kellum was preceded in death by his son, William Kellum Jr.; parents, Ed and Elmyra Kellum; 4 sisters; 6 brothers; mother of his children and former wife, Fay Dorothy Kellum Davis; sister-in-law, Lois Kellum; aunt, Elnora Sherrod; uncle, Willie Kellum.

The family would like to express special thanks to his nephew, Dwayne Gillespie (Jackie), Pastor Antwain Alexander and the Kingdom First Church Of God In Christ family "Where Love Freely Flows."

# Cemetery Details

## Sunset Hills Cemetery

G-4413 Flushing Rd.  
Flint, MI 48504

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

OCT 11. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home Chapel, Flint  
906 W. Flint Park Blvd.  
Flint, MI 48505  
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lemoonfhflint@gmail.com  
<http://www.lawrenceemoonfuneralhome.com>

## Family Present

OCT 11. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. William Russell Kellum Sr.*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Marilyn Figueroa lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Russell Kellum Sr.*



Marilyn Figueroa - October 13, 2019 at 10:45 PM



“ *Elsie Smith lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Russell Kellum Sr.*



Elsie Smith - October 13, 2019 at 08:29 PM



“ *Ivan Wright lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Russell Kellum Sr.*



Ivan wright - October 12, 2019 at 03:10 PM

BJ

“ *Brenda. Jefferson lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Russell Kellum Sr.*



Brenda. Jefferson - October 11, 2019 at 05:07 PM

JM

“ *Jeannie Mayberry sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. William Russell Kellum Sr.*



Jeannie Mayberry - October 11, 2019 at 01:28 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. William Russell Kellum Sr..*



October 11, 2019 at 11:15 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. William Russell Kellum Sr..*



October 11, 2019 at 10:59 AM

MA

“ *Marydg@comcast.net lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Russell Kellum Sr.*



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**Marydg@comcast.net** - October 10, 2019 at 11:45 PM

GT

“ *Pat and the Kellum Family..May God continue to comfort strengthen and bless you.William was such a great and humble man that I had the pleasure of knowing.*

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**Gloria Jordan Thompson** - October 10, 2019 at 08:15 PM

LW

“ *Linda Wilkerson lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Russell Kellum Sr.*



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**Linda Wilkerson** - October 10, 2019 at 07:40 PM

GB

“ *My Family God Bless You...*



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**Gloria Blacksure** - October 10, 2019 at 06:06 PM

GB

“ To my Family in this hour of grief I send prayer's up to God for our Family that He will hold you up during the Homegoing of your Dad & my Uncle.

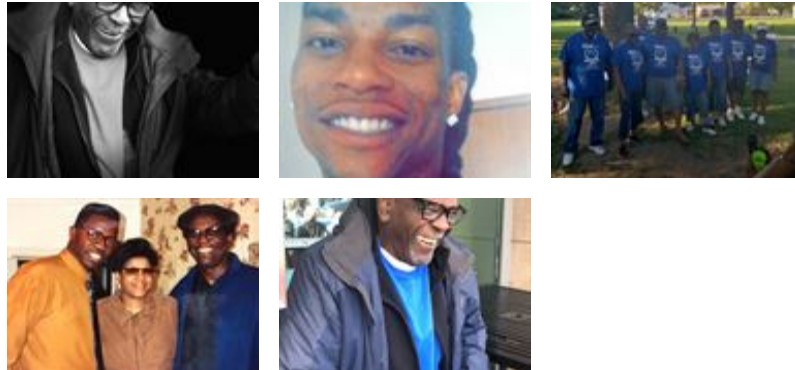
Ashley, Linda, Eric & Keith I love you all very much & words can not express my feelings from hearing of the passing of Uncle Russell. He was very inspiring to me in my life. Many talks about my Dad with him & that I will always cherrish.

God sayw fit that He called him Home to take his rest for on this Earth you passed your tests. A wonderful person that was full of laughter around everyone. I will miss you, but I won't forget you. Thank you Uncle for all the good memories your neice. R.I.P. 🌹

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**Gloria Blacksure** - October 10, 2019 at 05:58 PM



“ 60 files added to the album Life Tributes



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**Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home** - October 10, 2019 at 03:37 PM



“ *Laura Hall lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Russell Kellum Sr.*



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**Laura Hall** - October 10, 2019 at 03:33 PM

PR

“ To the Kellum Family:

*I was sorry to hear about the passing of your loved one. Death is liken to a thief that comes and takes away our love ones. Or due to old age and sickness we lose that precious gift of life that leads to death.*

*However, have you ever asked: Is death the end of it all? Or is there something else after death? The bible clears up any question we might have about death. It also shows that there is a real hope for persons who have faith.*

*Yours truly,  
Patricia*

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**Patricia Rison** - October 10, 2019 at 10:52 AM



DH

“ *Those we love don't go away, They walk beside us everyday. Unseen, Unheard, But always near. So loved, So missed,, So very dear.... His Kodak smile will always bring sunshine when there are dark days.. We love you our Kellum family 🌸❤️*

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**DARLENE HOLMES** - October 10, 2019 at 08:56 AM

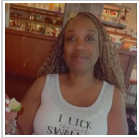


BH

“ *Betty Hobson-Rosborough lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Russell Kellum Sr.*



**Betty Hobson-Rosborough** - October 09, 2019 at 06:59 PM



“ *Missionary Simmons lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Russell Kellum Sr.*



**Missionary Simmons** - October 09, 2019 at 01:19 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. William Russell Kellum Sr..*



October 09, 2019 at 09:00 AM

TU

“ *Terry Upton lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Russell Kellum Sr.*



**Terry Upton** - October 08, 2019 at 07:19 PM

SR

“ MY DEEPEST CONDOLENCE TO ERIC AND HIS ENTIRE FAMILY  
MAY GOD BE WITH YOU ALL DURING THIS SORROWFUL TIME  
"TO BE ABSENT FROM THE BODY IS TO BE PRESENT WITH  
THE LORD 🙏🙏 FROM SHELIA RANDLE AND FAMILY

Shelia Randle - October 08, 2019 at 07:09 PM



“ So sad, We had the pleasure of meeting Bill and Pat at our last  
camp outing. Was looking forward to camping with the both of them  
next season. Everyone is family at ODA.

*From Mike Heather Cole Trevor Valerie and Vieviene King*

Mike WK - October 08, 2019 at 06:14 PM

LJ

“ Lois Jefferson lit a candle in memory of Mr.  
William Russell Kellum Sr.



Lois Jefferson - October 08, 2019 at 04:51 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the  
family of Mr. William Russell Kellum Sr..



October 08, 2019 at 09:37 AM

DB

“ TO THE KULLEM FAMILY SO SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS FROM ANDRE GREEN 2nd AND FAMILY GOD BLESS YOU ALL .



Denise Bridges - October 08, 2019 at 08:46 AM



“ So sorry to here about Bill praying for you and your family



Carolyn Mayo - October 07, 2019 at 09:56 PM

GD

“ My thoughts and prayers are going out to the family. I am so sorry for your loss.

Gina DeShong - October 07, 2019 at 03:09 PM

HC

“ Praying for the Kelly's Family  
Hettie Collins-Ridgecrest



Hettie Collins - October 07, 2019 at 12:57 PM

LM

“ To the Kellum Family, I am So , Sorry For  
Your Loss . Russell will be Missed Very Much.



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**lena mccaw** - October 07, 2019 at 11:10 AM

DJ

*To the Kellum Family I send you all my deepest sympathy for the lost of  
your dear husband, a dear father grandfather and Friend to many may  
the God of comfort comfort you all*

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**Dorothy day jackson** - October 10, 2019 at 07:34 AM