



Mr. Willie B. Buford

September 10, 1928 - October 2, 2013

BUFORD, Mr. Willie B. - Age 84, passed away Wednesday, October 2, 2013 at Kith Haven Nursing Home. Family hour 1:30 p.m. Monday, October 7, 2013 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral service commencing at 2 p.m. Rev. W.E. Whitaker, Sr., officiating. Interment Great Lakes National Cemetery, G-4200 Belford Rd., Holly, MI. Family and friends will assemble at the funeral home 1:30 p.m. Monday. Mr. Buford will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Sunday.

Mr. Willie Berry Buford was born September 10, 1928 in Oxford, Mississippi, the son of Robert and Addie (Cohran) Buford. He graduated high school in Oxford, MS and attended Okolona College in Okolona, MS. Willie retired after 36 years of service from Buick Plant 36, a division of General Motors and was a member of UAW Local #599. He loved several sports; pool, basketball, football and golf in which he taught his children the game. Willie also loved to travel with his cousins, Charles and Ella Banks. He was a very fun loving person that enjoyed people.

Mr. Willie Berry Buford leaves to cherish his memory: wife, Barbara (Harris) Buford; 3 daughters, Addnetta (James) McClinton, Rosalind Buford and Monica (Harvey) Williams; 4 sons, Willie J. Buford, Alvin (Mary) Buford of Kansas City, MO, Kenneth (Linda) Buford of Moline, IL and Sherrod Pige; 19

grandchildren, Angela Buford of Flint, Tameka (Darrell) Thompson of Grand Blanc, MI, Trevor (Latoya) Buford of Douglasville, GA, Tanya, Nicole, Derry, Jaquaya, all of Flint, Riana of Washington, DC, Kanayko, Willie C. Buford, Markeda, Steven, Dennis, Lanika McClinton, Kristine McClinton, Harvey, Montrell of Brooklyn, NY, Paul, Crystal, Quadra and Keontae; 37 great-grandchildren; 4 sisters, Edna, Theresa, Johanna and Zola; 3 brothers, James, Emmett and Macon; a host of nieces including special niece, Maggie (Walt) Williams; a host of nephews including special nephew, Fred McGowan; a host of aunts, uncles, cousins other relatives and friends including special friends, traveling buddy, Charles Banks and his Hasselbring Center buddies.

Mr. Buford was preceded in death by his granddaughter; great-grandson; parents, Robert and Addie (Cohran) Buford; 3 sisters; 3 brothers; nieces and nephews.

The family would like to express special thanks to Grace Hospice Care, Dr. Pias, Tina, Gina, Melinda, Rose, the Chaplain and so many more. We appreciate and love all of you. The entire Buford family, cousins, nephews, nieces, the McGowan and the Williams families. Thank you so much.

Cemetery Details

Great Lakes National Cemetery

G-4200 Belford Rd.
Holly, MI 48442

Previous Events

Public Viewing

OCT 6. 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, Inc., Flint
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Family hour

OCT 7. 1:30 PM (ET)

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Service

OCT 7. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Mr. Willie B. Buford*



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



“ *Mr. Willie B. Buford*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *THE (BARNEY FAMILY) WOULD LIKE TO EXPRSS OUR CONDOLENCE MAY GOD CONTINUE TO BLESS EACH AND EVERYONE YOU.*

TINEY BARNEY - October 10, 2013 at 02:02 PM



“ *Charlie Morris lit a candle in memory of Mr. Willie B. Buford*



Charlie Morris - October 07, 2013 at 11:09 AM

ML

“ Prayers to the Buford Family



Michael & Phyllis Leslie - October 06, 2013 at 08:57 PM

TT

“ I love you Granddaddy - your legacy & life lessons will always be remembered and appreciated. You made me to woman that I am. I walk tall knowing that you are in Heaven smiling down on us all! You will never be forgotten. LOVE YOU!

Tameka Buford Thompson - October 05, 2013 at 04:24 PM

BG

“ Bonnie Grass lit a candle in memory of Mr. Willie B. Buford



Bonnie Grass - October 04, 2013 at 10:20 PM

BO

“ To: Mrs. Barbara Buford and Family ,

I will never forget the day I met Mr. Buford at Hasselbring Center always walking in with a smile on his face. He was such a wonderful man to know. You and your family are in my prays.

*Love,
Bridgett Overton*

Bridgett Overton - October 04, 2013 at 03:42 PM

BO

“ *Bridgett Overton lit a candle in memory of Mr. Willie B. Buford*



Bridgett Overton - October 04, 2013 at 03:27 PM

JM

“ *Jean Montgonmery lit a candle in memory of Mr. Willie B. Buford*



Jean Montgonmery - October 03, 2013 at 04:34 PM