



Mr. Willie Lee Fortner Jr.

April 11, 1955 - April 3, 2017

FORTNER. Mr. Willie Lee Jr., - Age 61, passed away Monday, April 3, 2017 at McLaren-Flint.

Family hour 1:30 PM Tuesday, April 11, 2017 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral service commencing at 2:00 PM, Rev. Johnny Kidd, officiating. Interment Sunset Hills Cemetery, G-4413 Flushing Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the Chapel 1:30 PM on Tuesday. Mr. Fortner will lie in stated in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home and may be viewed from 12:00 PM-8:00 PM on Monday.

Mr. Willie Lee Fortner Jr. aka "Bill" was born April 11, 1955 in Livingston, Alabama, the son of Mrs. Queen Esther and Willie Lee Fortner Sr. Mr. Fortner transitioned from his earthly life into his eternal life on April 3, 2017 at McLaren-Flint. He moved to Chicago, IL at a young age and attended Chicago Public Schools. Willie loved working on cars and helping at his uncle's garage. After graduation from Morgan Park High School he began taking Skilled Trade classes where he excelled as an Automobile Body and Fender Specialist, graduating first in his class. He began working for General Motors Corporation retiring after 31 years of service. His greatest love was accepting Christ at a young age. Willie's hobbies included but were not limited to gardening, fishing, playing cards, cooking and traveling.

Mr. Willie Lee Fortner Jr. leaves to cherish his memory: wife, Evette Scott Fortner; daughter, Ms. Ayanna E. Fortner; son, Mr. Willie L. Fortner V, all of Grand Blanc, MI; Mr. & Mrs. Willie Lee Sr. and Queen Esther Fortner; sister, Erna Castleman; brother, Gaston Fortner; aunts, Mrs. Willie (James) Moore, Mrs. Eartha (Lee) Moore, all of Chicago, IL, Annie Ruth Hopson, Louise Darner, Jessie Ree Fortner, all of Mississippi and Charlayne Fortner of East. St. Louis, IL; uncle, Jessie (Essie) Fortner of Belleville, IL; mother-in-law, Beulah Scott of Chicago, IL; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

Mr. Fortner was preceded in death by his sisters, Verna Louise Fortner and Angela Gail Fortner and brother, James Floyd Fortner.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Hills Cemetery

G-4413 Flushing Rd.
Flint, MI 48504

Previous Events

Public Viewing

APR **10**. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home Chapel, Flint
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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Willie Lee Fortner Jr.*

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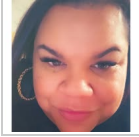
Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home - April 10, 2017 at 09:44 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Willie Lee Fortner Jr..*



April 07, 2017 at 04:18 PM



“ *My family will truly miss Mr. Fortner. My girls loved to spend time with him in the back yard and ask him lots of questions about everything and he was so patient with them and enjoyed answering them.* ”



Rebecca Williams - April 05, 2017 at 08:50 AM



“ *Mother Rosetta Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Willie Lee Fortner Jr.* ”



Mother Rosetta Williams - April 05, 2017 at 02:53 AM