



Willie Thrasher,

May 22, 1918 - April 23, 2006

THRASHER, Mr. Willie Lloyd, Jr. - Age 87, passed away, Saturday, April 22, 2006 at his residence. Family hour 1:30PM Friday, April 28, 2006 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., with funeral service commencing immediately at 2PM. Interment Great Lakes National Cemetery, 4200 Belford Rd, Holly, MI. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the funeral home 1:30PM Friday. Mr. Thrasher will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, and may be viewed from 4PM-8PM Thursday. Mr. Willie Lloyd Thrasher, Jr. was born May 22, 1918 in Boomer, West Virginia, the son of Rev. Willie L. and Esther Thrasher, Sr. He was a resident of Flint. Mr. Thrasher was a Veteran of the United States Army, serving in World War II as a Chief Warrant Officer. He was employed at General Motors Corporation, and was a member of UAW Local # 659. For a number of years he was a professional photographer. He loved and participated in bowling and golf. Mr. Thrasher enjoyed helping people, serving as an activist for the hearing impaired for years, and also a pension and insurance mediator. He received numerous awards and acknowledgements, such as the Congressional Certificate of Merit, "Man of the Year", awarded by the Central Flint Optimist Club, Valley Area Agency On Aging for 11 years of services, just to mention a few. Mr. Willie Lloyd Thrasher, Jr. leaves to cherish his memory: wife, Mary F. Thrasher; son, Michael Andre Thrasher; grandchildren, Michael A. Thrasher II, Travis L. Thrasher, and William Thrasher, all of Asheville, NC; 3 sisters, Katherine Atwater of Boomer, WV,

Fannie May of Mt. Morris, MI, Myrtle Pea of Flint; brother, Jimmy Thrasher of San Diego, CA; numerous nieces and nephews, other relatives and friends. Mr. Thrasher was preceded in death by parents, Rev. Willie L. and Ester Thrasher, Sr. The family would like to express special thanks to the Howard and Kemp families.

Tribute Wall



“ *Willie Thrasher,*

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