



Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson

January 27, 1931 - October 18, 2021

WILSON, Deacon Willie Eugen - Age 90, passed away Monday, October 18, 2021 at Wellbridge of Grand Blanc, MI. Family hour 10:00 AM Saturday, October 30, 2021 at Mt. Calvary Baptist Church, 4805 N. Saginaw St., funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM. Rev. Dr. Henry Fuller, officiating. Interment Flint Memorial Park, G-9506 N. Dort Hwy. Mt. Morris, MI. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10:00 AM Saturday. Deacon Wilson will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 906 W. Flint Park Blvd., and may be viewed from 12:00 PM-6:00 PM Friday, with family present to receive friends from 4:00 PM-6:00 PM. Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson was born January 27, 1931, in Humphreys County, Mississippi, the twelfth child born to Isaiah and Ida (Golden) Wilson. As a young man, he worked on the family farm and attended Simmons High School. In 1951 he was drafted into the U.S. Army, and during the Korean War he served as a communications specialist, demolition specialist and foreign observer until he was honorably discharged in 1953. After returning home he married the love of his life, Loma (Snyder) and their union was blessed with three children: Cornelius, Lona and Gwendolyn.

In 1953, he began working as a nurse's assistant at Fort Custer Army Hospital in Battle Creek, MI. Then in 1956 the family moved to Chicago, IL where he worked as a laboratory technician in animal research and as a surgical recovery aid at Hines Veterans Hospital. During this time, he completed high school at Windell Phillips High School and subsequently graduated with

honors from Crane Junior College in 1962, majoring in chemistry. He moved to Flint, MI in 1966 and soon after began working for General Motors. In 1997 he retired from Buick after 31 years of service.

Deacon Wilson received Christ as his personal Savior in 1943 at Mt. Gideon Baptist Church in Hollandale, MS. In 1967, he became a member of the Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist Church, under the leadership of Pastor Dr. Granville Smith. He was appointed to the Deacon Ministry and was a faithful part of many other ministries including Men's Day, Sunday School, Male Chorus, Transportation, Culinary and Nurses Guilds. He was always a faithful steward, who strove to be proficient in the Word of God, to win souls to Christ and to fulfill the purpose and the call God placed on his life. His favorite biblical passages were Psalms 23, Psalms 24, and Ecclesiastes Chapter 12. Deacon Wilson loved spending time with his family, playing dominoes, bowling, and traveling; most recently traveling to New Mexico to visit his granddaughter. He was passionate about education and instilled the importance of education in his children and grandchildren. He was also a 33rd Degree Mason, and a Shriner, being very active in both organizations.

Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson is survived by: his wife of 68 years, Mrs. Loma (Snyder) Wilson; his children, Mr. Cornelius Wilson of Burton, MI, and Ms. Gwendolyn Wilson of Grand Blanc, MI; grandchildren, Ms. Kesha Harris of Flint, MI, Dr. Tanya Wilson of Indianapolis, IN, Mr. Jerome Ohlrogge of Bremen, Germany, Ms. Rachael Wilson of Las Cruces, NM, and Mr. Scott Ohlrogge of Bremen, Germany; great-grandchildren, Ms. Kadijah Gordon of Flint, MI, Mr. Donta Gordon of Mt. Clemons, MI and Ms. Jayla Harris of Concord, N.C.; two great-great-grandchildren, Mekhi Whitfield and Lauren Gordon, both of Flint, MI; as well as a host of nieces, nephews, and friends. Deacon Wilson was preceded in death by his daughter, Lona Wilson; parents, Isaiah and Ida Wilson; twelve siblings.

The family would like to extend special thanks to Pastor Henry Fuller, the Mt. Calvary Church family, and Wellbridge Compassionate Care.

Cemetery Details

Flint Memorial Park Cemetery

G-9506 N. Dort Hwy.
Mt. Morris, MI 48458

Previous Events

Viewing

OCT **29**. 12:00 PM - 6:00 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

OCT **30**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist Church
4805 N. Saginaw Street
Flint, MI 48505

Funeral Service

OCT **30**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist Church
4805 N. Saginaw Street
Flint, MI 48505

Tribute Wall



“ *Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson*

October 09, 2023 at 07:02 AM



“ *Deborah Johnson sent a virtual gift in memory of Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson*



Deborah Johnson - October 31, 2021 at 12:51 PM



“ *Mr. Willie Wilson...a man I have admired very much since I met him in the 8th grade...he and his family were our neighbors...and me and his son Ray were best of friends. Mr. Wilson was different kind of father in our neighborhood. When he was'nt working..he was present...he loved baseball...and was always teaching us about the fundamentals of baseball. He would always watch us playing sports...He was what I called a present father...he was engaged with Ray...me and my two brothers...he was a overseer...Much Love to the family!!*

Louis Stephens Jr. - October 29, 2021 at 07:11 PM



“ *Illustrious Willie Wilson I l'm so glad I was able to be in your presence when you gave such knowledgeable lectures to which I will never forget. May the Lord watch over your your family and give them comfort in your absence. We will truly miss you.. Illustrious Glenn James*

ILL.Glenn James - October 29, 2021 at 06:04 PM



“ *Sharon Mixon lit a candle in memory of Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson*



Sharon Mixon - October 28, 2021 at 07:33 PM

KH

“ *Illustrious Willie E. Wilson, 33* was a long standing faithful and dedicated member of the International Free and accepted Modern Masons, Inc. & Order of the Eastern Star family. He was respected by every member he had the opportunity to meet. He was loved by all. His presence will now be missed in our sessions but he will continue to have a special place in our hearts and memory for ever.*

We pray for the comfort and peace that only abiding faith in our God through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ can bring to the family; as we offer our condolences.

We now say Farewell to our Illustrious Peer and Brother as he takes his for eternity in the Heavens. Alas our Brother. So Mote It Be!

Illustrious Kenneth L. Hollowell, 33 - Supreme President/ Chief Executive Officer and*

Rose Patricia J. Hollowell - Former Supreme Grand Matron

Kenneth L Hollowell - October 27, 2021 at 11:26 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson.*



October 25, 2021 at 02:55 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson.*



October 25, 2021 at 02:52 PM



“ *Shirley Tolbert lit a candle in memory of Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson*



Shirley Tolbert - October 23, 2021 at 11:10 PM



“ *Connie Taylor lit a candle in memory of Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson*



Connie Taylor - October 23, 2021 at 10:13 PM

RG

“ *Rachelle Moffett Green lit a candle in memory of Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson*



Rachelle Moffett Green - October 23, 2021 at 07:25 PM

SC

“ *Sandra Cabine lit a candle in memory of Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson*



Sandra Cabine - October 23, 2021 at 05:57 PM

JP

“ *Our prayer are with the family of Mr Willie Wilson*



James & Tiny Presnall - October 23, 2021 at 05:48 PM

DS

“ *Uncle Willie will truly be missed. I remember his enthusiastic laughter and love for family. Support given to my son and I over the years, will forever be appreciated. May you rest in paradise.*



Deandra Smith - October 23, 2021 at 10:28 AM

MF

“ *Mackey-Smith Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson*



Mackey-Smith Family - October 22, 2021 at 10:49 AM

ET

“ *Ernestine Taylor lit a candle in memory of Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson*



Ernestine Taylor - October 22, 2021 at 09:36 AM

PH

“ *Patti Holder lit a candle in memory of Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson*



Patti Holder - October 21, 2021 at 10:27 PM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson.*



October 21, 2021 at 08:18 PM


Delores
Keith

“ *Delores Keith sent a virtual gift in memory of
Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson*



Delores Keith - October 21, 2021 at 10:42 AM

FS

“ *Faye Starling sent a virtual gift in memory of
Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson*



Faye starling - October 21, 2021 at 10:32 AM

IH

“ *ILL George Hill lit a candle in memory of
Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson*



ILL George Hill - October 21, 2021 at 01:29 AM

MH

“ *Marsha Hill lit a candle in memory of Deacon
Willie Eugen Wilson*



Marsha Hill - October 21, 2021 at 01:28 AM

SS

“ *Sophia Staples lit a candle in memory of Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson*



Sophia Staples - October 21, 2021 at 12:36 AM

EC

“ *Our love, prayers and condolences to Sis. Loma Wilson and family. Deacon Wilson's love of the Lord and unwavering faith was evident in his testimonies and witness to the goodness of God upon his life. He was sincere and very caring as he demonstrated his love and concern regarding the well-being of others. Deacon Wilson will truly be missed.*



Earl and Diane Crowder - October 20, 2021 at 07:47 PM

TS

“ *Trina Stewart lit a candle in memory of Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson*



Trina Stewart - October 20, 2021 at 07:05 PM

AH

“ Alice Hollis lit a candle in memory of Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson



Alice Hollis - October 20, 2021 at 09:29 AM

KJ

“ Rest well Grandaddy Wilson ❤️



Keshanda Jones - October 19, 2021 at 11:32 PM

JR

“ Jo Richmond lit a candle in memory of Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson



Jo Richmond - October 19, 2021 at 10:07 PM

RY

“ Rose Young sent a virtual gift in memory of Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson



Rose Young - October 19, 2021 at 07:14 PM

TL

“ *Toni K. Adams & Mary Lyle lit a candle in memory of Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson*



Toni K. Adams & Mary Lyle - October 19, 2021 at 06:22 PM



“ *Vera Styles sent a virtual gift in memory of Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson*



Vera Styles - October 19, 2021 at 05:39 PM

AL

“ *Sending my love to the Wilson family! Deacon Wilson was such a kind man who had the biggest heart for worship. He loved the Lord fiercely and wasn't afraid to let the world know! He'll be missed.*

Andre Louis - October 19, 2021 at 12:26 PM

BF

“ *Sending Our Love and Prayers To The Wilson Family*



Billings Family - October 19, 2021 at 10:53 AM

BW

“ My heart was deeply sudden when I saw this notice of Deacon Wilson. Such a sweet person with a kindred spirit. To Sister Wilson you and the entire family have my deepest condolences and are in my prayers. Dea. Wilson will be truley missed.



Betty Wesley - October 19, 2021 at 04:07 AM

DS

“ Praying for the family of Deacon Wilson. He was a gentle soul. I'm going to miss his testimonies. He loved his church and his church family. He said he always had something to be thankful for. Sending love to Mrs. Loma Wilson and the family. GOD is an ever present help... Love Deidre Spight~Woodson.



Deidre Spight-Woodson - October 18, 2021 at 09:54 PM

CR

“ Carolyn Randolph-Witcher sent a virtual gift in memory of Deacon Willie Eugen Wilson



Carolyn Randolph-Witcher - October 18, 2021 at 03:17 PM