



## Mr. Akbar Shabazz

November 21, 1947 - September 22, 2024

**\*KEEP THE FAITH\***

Akbar Shabazz was born November 21, 1947, to the late Lofton and Martha Parker. He attended the Alabama school system.

In 1965 he was drafted in the army and was deployed to Vietnam. Upon, being honorable discharged in 1976 he received a recognition of sacrifice and heroism which is called The Purple Heart.

In 1977 he moved to Detroit and accepted employment at U.S.66 Rubber. He was also a security guard and maintenance worker.

Akbar was preceded in death by his parents, Lofton and Martha Parker; a sister, Ruthie Parker; four brothers, Roosevelt Parker, Walter Lee Parker, Isaac Parker, and Eddie Parker.

He leaves to cherish his memory: two daughters, Fatima Shabazz and Melissa Christian; one son, Kareem Dorsey; two granddaughters, Toni Burgess and Alayah Jones; and one grandson, Alijah Jones; two sisters Carolyn Brock and Valencia Evans; 3 brothers, Lofton Parker Jr. (Faye), Charles Parker, and Larry Parker (Nickey); five aunts, one uncle, one great-aunt and a host of other family and friends.

\*KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK\*

# Cemetery Details

## Mt. Hope Memorial Gardens

17840 Middlebelt Road  
Livonia, MI 48152

# Previous Events

## Visitation

Thursday, Oct. **3**. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

O. H. Pye, III Funeral Home  
17600 Plymouth Road  
Detroit, MI 48227  
(313) 838-9770  
info@pyefuneralhome.com

## Family Hour

Friday, Oct. **4**. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

O. H. Pye, III Funeral Home  
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## Funeral Service

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Friday, Oct. 4. 10:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *What a dear friend! We had offices at Wynne Unit in Huntsville and found him a very wise and trusted confidant. He advised me on Muslim faith and protocol. Miss you so much!* ”

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**Chaplain Stan Cuyler** - July 17, 2025 at 09:51 PM



“ *Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Akbar Shabazz.* ”



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September 26, 2024 at 09:19 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Akbar Shabazz.* ”



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September 26, 2024 at 08:51 AM