



Mr. Everett Eugene Thomas Jr.

July 25, 1933 - October 6, 2014

The Life and Legacy of Everett Eugene Thomas Jr.:

Everett Eugene Thomas Jr., affectionately called Genie, was born on July 25, 1933 to beautiful parents, Everett and Mamie Thomas in Detroit, Michigan. He was the oldest of three children, Gladys Anderson and Hershel Thomas (who preceded him in death). He was educated in the Detroit Public Schools system. In 1951 he joined the United States Army where he served in the Korean War until July 1954. He was a Parachute Trooper and a proud one.

Everett married Mary McClain in 1962, there were 4 children. Mary and son Charles (who preceded him in death). In 1979 Everett married Geraldine Anderson (who preceded him in death). She had four children.

Everett was ordained a Deacon at New World Community Church in Detroit, Michigan, under the leadership of the late Pastor James Powell in 1994, and licensed by the late Pastor William H. France in 1996 at NWCC. Everett loved reading his Bible. His favorite book in the Bible was Proverbs. His favorite scripture was:

Proverbs 3:5 "Trust in the Lord with all you heart, and lean not on your own understanding: in all your ways acknowledge him, and he shall direct your path. NKJ

Everett was employed at Ford Motor Co. for 31 years. He retired in 1993. He

was a faithful employee and well-liked by all. After retiring from Ford, he took on a part-time job at Detroit Metro Airport. He also worked for Checker Cab as a part-time driver from 1963 to 1978. He spent the last year and a half of his life in North Carolina with his two sons and one daughter.

Everett loved to fish and he loved nature. In his spare time, he loved gathering with the old-timers (his friends).

Cemetery Details

Detroit Memorial Park West

25200 Plymouth Road
Redford Twp., MI 48239

Previous Events

Visitation

Friday, Oct. **17**. 4:00 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

Saturday, Oct. **18**. 12:00 PM - 12:30 PM (ET)

O. H. Pye, III Funeral Home
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Funeral Service

Saturday, Oct. **18**. 12:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Everett Eugene Thomas Jr.*

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