



## Mr. Gene Wesley Pass

August 30, 1947 - February 11, 2014

### The Journey:

Gene Wesley Pass was born in Hurtsboro, Alabama on August 30, 1947 to Ezetta and Coleman Pass who preceded him in death, along with one son Gene Maurice Pass, two brothers Willie Franklin Speed, Williams Henry Speed and one sister Lula Bell Williams. Gene was the fifth of eight siblings born to this union.

Gene accepted Christ at an early age and was baptized at Calvary Baptist Church in Garrison, Alabama. Gene graduated from Russell County Training School.

In 1967 Gene moved to Detroit, he later joined Mount Vernon Missionary Baptist Church. Gene was a faithful member, he loved singing in the choir and especially the male choir, his favorite songs were "Down Through The Years God's Been Good To Me" and "The Gospel Train Is Coming." Gene was later ordained as a Deacon and was an officer of Mount Vernon Missionary Baptist Church Executives Board. He loved serving God and people, he worked with various activities within the church.

Gene retired from Chrysler after working as a line operator and an inspector for thirty-eight years. He later went to work for Cardinal Health. Gene worked nine years until he became ill.

Gene loved all sports, but his main hobbies were fishing, bowling and playing baseball. He was a very loving, caring, person with a kind heart and a humble spirit.

On Tuesday, February 11, 2014, Gene departed from his earthly life to his eternal life.

# Cemetery Details

## Forest Lawn Cemetery

11851 Van Dyke Ave.  
Detroit, MI 48234

# Previous Events

## Visitation

Friday, Feb. **21**. 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

## Funeral Service

Saturday, Feb. **22**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Mt. Vernon Missionary Baptist Church  
15125 Burt Road  
Detroit, MI 48223

## Family Hour

Saturday, Feb. **22**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Mt. Vernon Missionary Baptist Church  
15125 Burt Road  
Detroit, MI 48223



# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Gene Wesley Pass*

January 21, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ *Gene was a great asset to the team here at Cardinal Health! I will always remember his contagious laughter and joy. He is missed!*

**Laura Begian** - February 21, 2014 at 10:49 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. Gene Wesley Pass.*



February 20, 2014 at 12:40 PM