



Mr. Harry Parker

September 2, 1940 - June 8, 2013

Harry Vyanter Parker was born to the late Elizabeth and Joseph Parker on September 2, 1940 in Penhook, VA. Harry was the youngest of 14 children, 11 of whom preceded him in death. He departed this life on Saturday, June 8, 2013. He was educated in the Rocky Mount Schools system.

As a young man, Harry left the south for a life in New York, where he met and married Elaine Taylor in 1962. To that union was born two sons, Aaron and Gregory Parker. Then in 1967, he met and married Joyce Martin. With that marriage, he nurtured and loved their daughters, Bobbie Allen and Rhonda Washington.

Harry was a truck driver for 48 years until he retired. He then decided to return to driving charter buses for Wilmac Tours until his illness. Harry, or Coyote as he's known by his family and friends, was full of life and loved by many. He accepted Christ at a early age but was baptized 15 years ago at Prayer House in Detroit, MI. His love for driving put him in Guinness Book of World Records for driving one million miles in eight years.

Daron Kemp was born August 31, 1955 to Oscar and (the late) Margaret Kemp in Detroit, Michigan. He was the eldest of six children.

He was educated in the Detroit Public Schools system and attended Henry

Ford Community College.

He was employed by Milford Fabricating Company for more than twenty years until his retirement.

In 1982 he married his teenage sweetheart Barbara Keys and to this union three children were born, Brandon and twins Shirlene and Darlene.

Daron accepted Christ in 1985 and joined Third New Hope Missionary Baptist Church and was baptized under the leadership of Pastor Edward L. Branch.

He lived a happy life and enjoyed photography, building radio controlled cars, playing video games, outdoor grilling and spending time with his family. He especially enjoyed caring for his grandson Braylen until his health would no longer allow him to do so.

Daron was a kind, caring and helpful man who helped anyone who asked him.

After a six year illness, Daron was tired and the Lord called him home to rest where he was surrounded by his family on June 9, 2013 at 3:23 P.M. in Botsford Hospital.

Although he is absent in the flesh he is present with our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ and in our hearts.

Previous Events

Visitation

Friday, Jun. **14.** 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

Saturday, Jun. **15.** 5:00 PM - 5:30 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

Saturday, Jun. **15.** 5:30 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Harry Parker*

January 21, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ *With all our Love, “Harry” will remain in our hearts forever & our thoughts and prayers are with you. Harry was the best driver we ever had also the first of the “Wilmac Tours” drivers that the customers loved very much. Actually if he weren’t the driver for our trips the group complained and didn’t want to ride with anyone else. We will always love you and miss the fun, loving, wonderful, peaceful, and prosperous, prosperous, prosperous; “West Virginia Big Bucks Weekend Getaways.” Hit it Harry (Cherry); Harry & Hazel – Hazel & Harry (Hazel); “God Bless” (Mama Wise); Your Dear Friend (Alfee); Still waiting (Alicia). The “Bingo Group” traveling with “Emma Body and Deborah Chase”*

Deborah Chase - June 14, 2013 at 12:36 AM



“ *The Schulze's lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harry Parker*



The Schulze's - June 13, 2013 at 11:06 PM

“ THE DASH BETWEEN THE DATES

*Memorial Day was over now,
All had left and I was alone,
I began to read the names and dates
Chiseled there on every stone.*

*The dates which showed whether it was Mom or Dad or daughter or
baby son,
The dates were different but the amount
The same, there were two on every one,
It was then I noticed something,
It was but a simple line:
It was the dash between the dates Placed there, it stood for time.*

*All at once it dawned on me
How important that little line.
The dates placed there belonged to God,
But that line is yours and mine.*

*It's God who gives this precious life
And God who takes away;
But that line between He gives to us
To do with what we may.*

*We know God's written the first date down
Of each and every one,
And we know those hands will write again,
For the last date has to come.*

*We know He'll write the last date down,
And soon, we know, for some.
But upon the line between my dates*

I hope He'll write "well done."

Our Deepest sympathy to the family and friends of Harry. He will be missed. God bless.

Mr. & Mrs. Arthur Schulze

The Schulze's - June 13, 2013 at 11:05 PM

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“*Michelle Van Tassel lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harry Parker*”



Michelle Van Tassel - June 12, 2013 at 06:03 AM