



Mr. James Lee Whitfield Jr.

February 9, 1951 - August 15, 2014

James L. Whitfield Jr. was born on February 9, 1951 to the late James Lee Whitfield Sr. and his lovely wife, Liza Whitfield in Tuscaloosa, AL. At the age of seven years old he was introduced to Christ by his grandparents, the late Charles and Henrietta Claycomb and later baptized at City Temple SDA Church. James loved the Lord so much, that you would hear him often quoting bible scriptures and telling others about the word of God. He always carried his bible everywhere he went as he felt that God's word kept him stable. He received his education in the Detroit Public Schools system. He worked for a number of automobile manufacturers; Fleetwood, Detroit Diesel and Chrysler until his lengthy illness.

In 1968, James was married and to that union two lovely daughters Krystal and Tamra entered the world. He loved his children so much that even when they became adults, he always wanted to know exactly where they were and how they were doing. James always preached the gospel to everyone he met and let them know Jesus was coming soon and they needed to prepare themselves. You would often see him constantly and consistently studying the bible.

James departed this life on August 15, 2014 and his hope was to have everyone in his family know the Lord and to walk upright before Him. He will never be forgotten for he knew that he will see his loved ones again as long

as they followed God's prescription for living, "The law of loving your neighbor as yourself." He loved everyone and made friends everywhere he went.

All James' struggles are over now.

Cemetery Details

Chapel of Memorial Gardens

48300 Willow Road
Belleville, MI 48111

Previous Events

Visitation

Friday, Aug. **29**. 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, Aug. **30**. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

O. H. Pye, III Funeral Home
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Funeral Service

Saturday, Aug. **30**. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. James Lee Whitfield Jr.*

January 21, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ *I Miss my brother my only sibling,we were in the hospital at the same time but was released in time to see him before he was put to sleep by the nurse in charge in the hospital in fact his doctor Krystal was with me my nephew Jamal was with me as well and my sweet granddaughter Keyla pick me up i was so confused i was glad to be there to pray for him and the Lord to save him and looking forward to the day when Jesus so we go to heaven together to be with Jesus,and now we must bury my 85 year old mom who did not suffer and refuse to have life support.My father has passed and now I am left the only one left. Luv all of you until me meet again.Luv u all Betty*

Betty Whitfield - April 08, 2020 at 02:30 AM



“ *Christina Lucas lit a candle in memory of Mr. James Lee Whitfield Jr.*



Christina Lucas - December 06, 2014 at 07:47 PM

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“ I am thinking of you Betty and your mother Mrs. Eliza Whitfield. I didn't know James kids and grand kids but my heart goes out to them. May God give the whole family great strength. I do have great memories of James when we all were very young. Life long friend Betty Dunbar and family. .

Betty Dunbar - August 27, 2014 at 08:24 PM



Thank u for prayers and support luv the Whitfield Family

Betty Whitfield - August 29, 2014 at 09:57 AM



Thank u so much

Betty Whitfield - April 08, 2020 at 02:31 AM

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“ *Senging loving thoughts and prayers to my Detroit family. Although I had not seen him in a while I constantly thought of him. I will miss him. Love all of you, cuz Rosie from Ohio*

Rosie Tooson-Truss - August 23, 2014 at 04:30 PM



Thank you much for your thought prayers and memories. Luv Betty

Betty Whitfield - August 27, 2014 at 09:40 AM

BW

“ *James was my ony sibling who is resting in peace.I thank God so much for the years he has given us together I will being forward to the day we will be united again in heaven for he wanted to be saved he loved the Lord dearly. Love your sister Betty Whitfield*

Betty Whitfield - August 20, 2014 at 02:40 PM

EB

find comfort in knowing your loved ones now rest in the arms of Jesus, where we are all striving to one day be. you and family has always and will continue to be in my prayers!!

Eloise Brown - August 23, 2014 at 07:19 PM

BW

Thank you so much Eloise we will talk later Luv u Liz

Betty Whitfield - August 27, 2014 at 09:10 AM