



Mr. Joe Parker

October 14, 1930 - June 18, 2016

Celebrating The Life Of Joe Parker:

Joe Parker was born on October 14, 1930 in Dumas, Arkansas to the late Charlie Parker and Matilda Cornelius.

Joe Parker was granted his angel wings on June 18, 2016 at Beaumont Hospital in Dearborn, Michigan. His final days were spent surrounded by family and friends that he had touched in so many ways throughout his very memorable life.

He attended public schools in Dumas, Arkansas. He later met his wife, Willie B. Boykins, the mother of eight children. Joe later moved to Michigan to give his family a better life. He began working in construction and was later granted a position of being a foreman in helping to build the tallest building in Detroit which is the Renaissance Center.

He re-married Gloria Parker in 1973, a loving and devoted wife up until his last breath.

He was a very family oriented man who devoted his life to his wife and children and was a role model to his friends and family.

He was the oldest of four children and the love they had for one another was

unflawed and unconditional. Family was everything to Joe and he showered them with love and affection through jokes, gifts and just being there when he was needed.

Joe and Gloria's hobbies were playing spades and solitaire. He also loved playing checkers, in which he was always the winner.

Cemetery Details

Detroit Memorial Park West

25200 Plymouth Road
Redford Twp., MI 48239

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Joe Parker*

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