



Mr. Milford Raines

February 21, 1938 - August 20, 2022

In Loving Memory Of

Milford “Mickey” Raines was born on February 21, 1938 to the late Willie C. Raines and Erma Waller Raines in Detroit, Michigan. He was the youngest of William and Raymond (deceased.)

Mickey was educated in the neighborhood Detroit Public Schools. After graduating from Central High School in 1956, he later decided to enlist in the US Army.

In 1961, he married the love of his life Phyllis E. Whitmon. She preceded him in death after being married for 57 years. From this union three children were born, Kevin (who preceded him in death), Monique and Jason.

After receiving an honorable discharge from the US Army, he returned home to start his career at the US Post Office where he worked for several years before joining the Detroit Police Department. Mickey worked for several years at the 10th precinct and was later promoted to Investigator. He retired from the police department after 32 years.

Mickey’s favorite pastime was playing bid whist and listening to music from the 60s and 70s. His famous line was “A man gotta be what he is.”

After the death of his wife, his health begin to decline. On Saturday morning August 20, 2022, the Lord called Mickey home.

Previous Events

Visitation

Friday, Aug. **26**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

O. H. Pye, III Funeral Home
17600 Plymouth Road
Detroit, MI 48227
(313) 838-9770
info@pyefuneralhome.com

Cemetery Chapel Service

Saturday, Aug. **27**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Acacia Park Cemetery
31300 Southfield Road
Beverly Hills, MI 48025

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Milford Raines*

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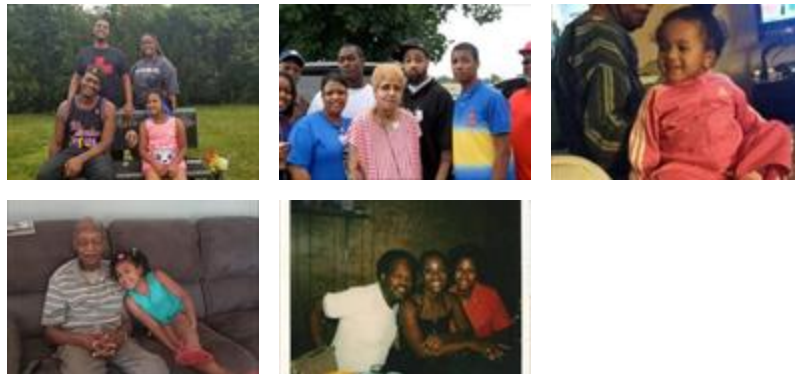


“ *We would like to extend our condolences to the family. May God comfort you through his word the Bible and the gift of prayer. Sharing your sadness. Thinking of you all.*

Evans family - August 30, 2022 at 11:11 AM



“ *35 files added to the tribute wall*



Monique Raines Wynn - August 25, 2022 at 02:43 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Milford Raines.*



August 25, 2022 at 10:11 AM

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“ *Your brother William Raines & Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mr. Milford Raines.*



Your brother William Raines & Family - August 24, 2022 at
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