



Mr. Nelson Leroy Mills Jr.

February 11, 1960 - July 5, 2014

No obituary found for this tribute.

Cemetery Details

Great Lakes National Cemetery

4200 Belford Rd.
Holly, MI 48442

Previous Events

Visitation

Wednesday, Jul. **9**. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

O. H. Pye, III Funeral Home
17600 Plymouth Road
Detroit, MI 48227
(313) 838-9770
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Family Hour

Thursday, Jul. **10**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Paul Lutheran Church
202 East Fifth Street
Royal Oak, MI 48067

Funeral Service

Thursday, Jul. **10**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Nelson Leroy Mills Jr.*

January 21, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ *I just found out yesterday of Nelson's passing. I worked with him a million years ago at JCPenney. He was a great friend and person. I still remember his wedding and that great big smile. You will be missed my friend. Our sincere condolences to Monica and family.*
Kelly & Margaret McCarty

kelly mccarty - August 08, 2014 at 08:30 PM



“ *Dear Mills Family,*

We are so lost and sadden. Nelson has been apart of our Family since High School. We met Nelson through Bernard Moss. He has been so instrumental in our entire Family. We would call Nelson after moving to Tennessee and let him know our Parents Appliances went out. Nelson would say just send them on in and he would advice them on what to do or when to replace items they needed. Nelson would call us sometimes just to say hi.

We will miss his larger then life smile. His meek, soft and kindness he showed towards everyone in our Family.

Nelson Family, Thank you for sharing such a wonderful Husband, Father, Son and Brother.

*David and Sheila Witherspoon and Family
Columbia, TN*

Witherspoon Family - July 10, 2014 at 06:50 PM

BS

“ Dear Mrs. Mills and family,

My best friend is Clint Bond, so naturally, I met Nelson many years ago. Other than the purchases I made from him over the years, I would drop in from time to time to see how he was doing and I talked to him about a month ago and he sounded good...and relaxed...which was good to know. When Clint called me with the sad news, I almost fell over!

Nelson was a kind and gentle man and I am proud to have known him. I am so deeply saddened and sorry for your tremendous loss. Prayers and good thoughts go out for you and your family. He will always be remembered by me, with much gratitude for the kindness and friendship he extended to me. He was a good man.

Most sincerely,

Bill Stinson

Bill Stinson - July 09, 2014 at 11:08 PM

ML

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with his wife and children; May God gives you the comfort and strength at this time of bereavement.*

Marcinda Lewis

Marcinda Lewis - July 09, 2014 at 05:36 PM

BM

“ 3 files added to the album Memories



bernie moner - July 09, 2014 at 03:21 PM



“ Sacred Duty Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Nelson Leroy Mills Jr..



July 09, 2014 at 09:57 AM

JS

“ Monica, daughters and the entire Mills Family:
Our thoughts and prayers are with you and remember there is "no pain that Jesus can't heal"
Be Encourged!
Jessica Williams-Sutton & Debra Williams

Jessica Sutton - July 09, 2014 at 09:49 AM

LA

“ LaConda lit a candle in memory of Mr. Nelson Leroy Mills Jr.



LaConda - July 09, 2014 at 09:11 AM

EM

“ *Eric Mays lit a candle in memory of Mr. Nelson Leroy Mills Jr.*



Eric Mays - July 09, 2014 at 09:06 AM

EM

“ *Brother Nelson,
God took you to soon my friend but his plans are what has to be so he obviously had a better plan for you in his kingdom next to him. May the Lord hold you closely and you have peace Nelson. You were always quick with a smile or a good story to bring out the laughs, or just some good advice when things were hard. I worked with you for 12 years, you weren't just a good co-worker or the guy at work I use to fight with about the Bulls & Pistons you were a great friend and those years and the wonderful memories will never be forgotten thank you Nelson, I was blessed to have you as my friend.*

My prayers go out all your friends and loved ones and to the entire Mills family, I offer my deepest heart felt condolences.

*With Love,
Eric Mays or as you'd say Big-E.*

Eric Mays - July 09, 2014 at 09:05 AM

HS

“ Words seem inadequate to express the sadness we feel about Nelson’s passing. Over the years we had the privilege of working with him many times. We often appreciated his practical nature, levelheadedness, knowledge and willingness to help.

Nelson, you will be missed.

*Gilbert & Kris Hardy
Hardy Services*

Hardy Services - July 09, 2014 at 08:43 AM

RP

“ To Monica and Family,

Nelson was by far one of the nicest people I have ever met. He and my brother (Bernard Moss) were best friends so my husband and I got to see Nelson several times a year. He provided us with outstanding guidance and direction in purchasing our appliances and electronic needs. He will always be remembered as we move around our house, since he sold us everything. He will always remain in our hearts and you will always be in our prayers.



Randy & Elissa Moss Peel

Randy & Elissa Moss Peel - July 08, 2014 at 07:30 PM

CP

“ To the entire Mills family, our deepest heart felt condolences. For the short time I knew Nelson and his family, we worked together at Hawthorne, I felt like I knew him my entire life. He was like a brother to me and we just hit it off. You talk about an honest, sincere and humble human, he was all of the above. Nelson would do anything for anybody and not ask questions. Brother I will surely miss you, but will always remember the laughs and good times shared. Especially playing Heads Up this past New Years eve. Your family and mine know what I'm laughing about. I can hear you now with that memorable "I know, I know" that you would say when we would have our talks about hitting the Big One and taking care of each other. God Bless you and the entire family, you will surely be missed my friend! Love you, Chris and Donna Peurach and Family.

Chris Peurach - July 08, 2014 at 07:15 PM

KM

“ Mr. Mills,

St. Paul Lutheran Church will not be the same without you. We will miss you.

*The Malczynski's
Jerry, Kathleen and Hope*



Kathleen Malczynski - July 08, 2014 at 07:01 PM

LE

“ My family & I give our deepest condolences. You & your family are in our thoughts. We will continue to keep you in our prayers. The Eichelberger Family



LeToembra Eichelberger - July 08, 2014 at 05:07 PM

BE

“ Unk....you were truly a blessing to me. Time just seems to go so fast and sometimes we don't understand why certain events occur but God knows best. The only thing in this world that remains constant is change and this change will take some serious adjustment for me.

I remember the old days of "Top Secret", the coolest car on the street and the fun we had watching people trying guess what was under the hood and what gear you had in the rear end. It was such a mystery to people trying to figure out why your car was so fast. I will never forget your response to people with that trade marked Nelson smile you would say....."Top Secret baby"

You will be dearly missed.

Your Nephew Bernie

Bernie - July 08, 2014 at 04:18 PM

GC

“ *My condolences and Prayers to the Family !*



Greg Cowan - July 08, 2014 at 02:55 PM

SP

“ *Monica and family,*

Your husband's strength now lives in you.

*Love,
Shonte' Pruiett (Daniel & Aminah)*

Shonte Pruiett - July 08, 2014 at 02:53 PM

MA

“ *my prayer are with you and your family
melody*



melody allen - July 08, 2014 at 01:51 PM

BS

“ *I got a chance to see his micheal jordan
collection , He love so much, very nice people
person. Will be miss very much.*



Bernice Sharpe - July 08, 2014 at 01:45 PM

VR

“ *Brother Nelson,*

I can't believe I am writing this right now. I should be on the phone with you talking about how everthing is going. How your surgery was succesful and how much stronger you feel. We should be planning getting together soon and now I'm planning to see you one last time.

I worked with Nelson at Hawthorne Appliances for 9 years. We would always go to lunch together and talk about hitting the lottery so we can retire. We always said if either one of us hit, we would make sure the other was taken care of. One of my greatest joys of Nelson was watcing him watch a Chicago Bulls game. Either he was the happiest when they were winning and the most miserable when they were losing. I got more enjoyment watching you watch the game.

You were the best friend anyone could ask for. You were there when I got married and you were there for my childrens birthdays. You were a great father and husband to your family. You married one of the most sweetest and caring woman and you had two of the most beautiful daughters and I know you are very proud of them. On this Thursday, I have to say good bye to my friend, my "brotha Nelson". I will miss you more than you know. I will miss talking to you, laughing with you and most of all hearing you say "Whats up brotha Vic".

The Lord took you to soon and I can ask him why but who am I to question the Lords decision. You are in a good place and your soul I will never forget. Love and miss you my friend.

Victor Rodopoulos and Family

Victor Rodopoulos - July 08, 2014 at 01:36 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Nelson Leroy Mills Jr..*



July 08, 2014 at 01:34 PM