



Mr. Prentis Davis

May 27, 1920 - April 9, 2015

In Loving Memory Of Prentis Davis:

I am the resurrection, and the life: he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live: And whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die.

John 11:25-26

Prentis Davis was born May 27, 1920 in Jasper County Georgia. He was the firstborn of eleven children to the late Minnie and Ernest Davis.

At an early age Prentis and his family relocated to Detroit, MI, where he was educated in the Detroit Public School system. He later united in holy matrimony to the love of his life, the late Mildred Robinson.

Not only was Prentis a devoted husband, father, brother and uncle, he also worked for Ford Motor Company and dedicated more than 30 years of service to the City of Detroit, Water and Lighting Department where he later retired.

For most of his long lived life, Prentis was the Patriarch of the Davis family, assisting and shouldering responsibility whenever needed to his siblings, nieces and nephews. Prentis like his mother, also had a green thumb, he enjoyed buying and planting flowers around his home.

His love for sports kept him glued to the sports station most evenings and weekends, in which he had every channel imaginable. His favorite sport was baseball that he also enjoyed playing during his youth.

Those that knew him back in the day, knew he had exquisite taste in clothes and automobiles.

On Thursday, April 9, 2015, Prentis took his last breath in the comfort of his home where he lived for more than 44 years, with his dog Buddy nearby. He will be GREATLY MISSED!

Cemetery Details

Woodlawn Cemetery

19975 Woodward Ave.
Detroit, MI 48203

Previous Events

Visitation

Wednesday, Apr. **15**. 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

Thursday, Apr. **16**. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

O. H. Pye, III Funeral Home
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Funeral Service

Thursday, Apr. **16**. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Prentis Davis*

January 21, 2023 at 09:34 PM



“ *Charlotte Evans-Allen lit a candle in memory of Mr. Prentis Davis*



Charlotte Evans-Allen - April 16, 2015 at 05:32 PM



“ *Rodney & Arletha Robinson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Prentis Davis*



Rodney & Arletha Robinson - April 15, 2015 at 07:10 PM



“ *Levancie Brown and Family purchased the Simple Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mr. Prentis Davis.*



Levancie Brown and Family - April 15, 2015 at 11:23 AM