



## Ardell Epperson

September 27, 1942 - February 12, 2006

Funeral service will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Friday, February 17, 2006 at Tabernacle Baptist Church, 810 Cathay, Rev. T. J. London, pastor. Rev. Floyd A. Logan will officiate with interment in Forest Lawn Cemetery. Friends may call on Thursday from 2:00 until 8:00 p.m. at the Browne's Mortuary 441 N. Jefferson Avenue. Mr. Ardell Epperson, Sr. passed away Sunday, February 12, 2006. He was born on September 27, 1942 in Pine Bluff, Arkansas to the late Detroit and Leida Epperson. Coming to Saginaw in 1964, Mr. Epperson married Betty Breamsy on November 27, 1992. He was a member of New Hope Missionary Baptist Church where he served on the Deacon Board and sang in the Mass Choir until his health failed. He was a member of UAW Local #668 and enjoyed fishing, hunting and gardening. He leaves to cherish his memory his loving and devoted wife, Betty Epperson; two sons, Ardell (Amy) Epperson, Jr. and Bryant (Toyah) Epperson all of Saginaw; four daughters, Eustacia (Walter) Ellis of Milwaukee, WI, Lisa (Chris) Sykes of Westerville, OH, Anita and Barretta Epperson both of Saginaw; stepchildren, Vincent, LaDeno and Anthony (Michelle) Breamsy all of Saginaw, Howard Martin of Atlanta, GA and Lafayette Martin of Saginaw; 18 grandchildren; one great-grandchild; five sisters, Jessie (Byron) Newsom, Lena (George) Webb, Dorothy (Robert) Foster, all of Saginaw, Geraldine (William) Doxie of Bridgeport, MI and Laverne (Michael) Davis of Little Rock, AR; three aunts, Corine Cooper of Mineral Well, Texas, Frankie and Eva Stoudamire, both of Pine Bluff, AR; mother and father-in-law, Leo and Inez Jackson of Pine Bluff,

AR; three sisters-in-law, JoAnn (Roysaland) Halton of Memphis, TN, Felicia (Aaron) Lee and Judy (Clarence) Rooker, all of Pine Bluff, AR; five brothers-in-law, Benny (Christine) Forrest, Willie Forrest, Joe Lee Jackson, Clifton (Felicia) Jackson and Robert (Evangela) Jackson all of Pine Bluff, AR. Mr. Epperson was preceded in death by his parents, brother, Joe Epperson and sister, Lenora McCulloh. The family would like to express a special thanks to Heartland Hospice.

# Tribute Wall

BK

“ *To the Epperson Family:*

*May God be with you during your loss. I had the opportunity to be a student in Deacon Epperson Sunday School class at Galilee Baptist Church. He knew God's word and taught it well. To the Family my thoughts and prayers are with you. May God comfort you and give you Pleace.*

*God Bless!*

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**Betty King** - February 12, 2006 at 12:00 AM

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“ *To the Epperson family i just wanna say that i know we are going through hard times right now but we are just going to have to put it all in god's hands and everything will be o.k.*

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**arnesha epperson** - February 12, 2006 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Anita,*

*I am so sorry to hear about the loss of your father. I will be praying for you and your entire family.*

*Thea Turner Burress*

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**Thea Turner Burress** - February 12, 2006 at 12:00 AM

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“ Although I only had the opportunity to meet Ardell a couple of times, I know that he was a kind and caring man who had a strong faith in Christ and genuine love for his family and friends. May he rest in peace.

*Mrs. Epperson, You are a truly remarkable woman. You are an inspiration and a role model for all who know and come in contact with you. May God continue to strengthen and bless you at this time - and always.*

*My thoughts and prayers as well as those from all the employees of the Saginaw Township Community Schools are with the Epperson Family.*

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**Rick Reagan** - February 12, 2006 at 12:00 AM

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“ Rejoice in knowing that Ardell knew God while he lived and is now rejoicing with the angels in heaven.

*We can all smile that him and daddy (Richard) are fishing together:-)*

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**Terence L. Mathious** - February 12, 2006 at 12:00 AM



“ sorry to hear about this may god bless the family and keep your heads up and stay strong

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February 12, 2006 at 12:00 AM