



Mr. Billy Haley

January 27, 1950 - December 7, 2023

Mr. Billy Ray Haley was born January 27, 1950 in Berry, Alabama. He was the son of Willie and Mary Haley.

He became a resident of Saginaw, Michigan in the 70's. Billy was a retiree of General Motors Corporation after 45 years of service working in the foundry including ten years in Defiance, Ohio. He was a believer in Christ to where he would take care of his fellow man. If you needed something he would help you, especially for family and friends. Billy loved to travel to Ohio and Alabama on a yearly basis until his legs and back were too weak to do so. His hobbies were spending time with family and friends, barbequing, watching westerns, sports, listening to the blues and keeping his car and wheels shinning.

After a brief illness, Billy was called home to be with the Lord on December 7, 2023 at Ascension St. Mary's Hospital at the age of 73 years. He leaves to cherish many memories his devoted wife of 50 years, Shirley Haley; son, Micheal Troy Craft; daughter, Tisa Haley; one granddaughter, Selena Haley Land; three grandsons, Tavaris Ware, Michael Craft and Anthony Ray Land; four great-grandchildren; two sisters, Marie Pipkins and Bobbie Haley both of Columbus, OH; one brother, Tommie Haley, Berry, AL; one brother-in-law, Thomas (Ricardo) Gillespie; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends which he loved very much, including special friend, Darlene Johnson.

Mr. Billy Ray Haley was preceded in death by his father, Willie Haley; mother, Mary Haley, sisters, Lela Ervin, Neil Whitson and Mable Haley.

The family would like to thank Hoyt Nursing and Rehab Center for the four years of taking care of Billy, and the staff at Ascension St. Mary's for trying to save him.

"May The Work I've Done Speak For Me"

Funeral service will take place at 11:00 a.m. Saturday, December 16, 2023 at New Life Ministries, 1401 Janes Ave., Saginaw, MI 48601. Dr. Craig Tatum will officiate with interment in Forest Lawn Cemetery, 3210 S. Washington, Saginaw, MI 48601 Friends may call at Evans & Browne's Funeral Home, 441 N. Jefferson Ave., Saginaw, MI 48607 Friday, December 15, 2023 from 2:00 until 6:00 p.m.

Cemetery Details

Forest Lawn Cemetery

3210 S. Washington Avenue
Saginaw, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 15. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Evans & Browne's Funeral Home
441 North Jefferson Avenue
Saginaw, MI 48607

Funeral Service

DEC 16. 11:00 AM (ET)

New Life Baptist Church Ministries
1401 Janes Street
Saginaw, MI 48601

Tribute Wall

EM

“*Ernestine Martin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Billy Haley*



Ernestine Martin - December 16, 2023 at 12:02 PM

LH

“*Father God I pray for everybody that is experiencing grief today. I pray for all of us that look ahead with tears and struggle to see beyond our loss. Lord be close, and embrace us in your arms with both peace and hope. Bless all of us who mourn and feel that with this loss our lives are incomplete. Father God fill our empty hearts with pleasant memories, with the sound of laughter, sunshine and happier days spent with uncle Billy.*

Father heal our brokenness with the soothing balm of your gentle touch, that we might know wholeness & peace. Immerse us in your love and lead us through this darkness, into your arms, and into your light. Help us to recover from the pain of loss. Give us faith, comfort and a strong heart to be able to eventually go on with our daily lives.”

Lord we pray and ask for those who give comfort, that you be in both the words they use and all that's left unspoken; fill each heart with your love and peace.

I ask this in accordance with your Word. In the name of the one who bore our griefs and carried our sorrows, I ask that you would grant every need of our mourning family, according to your riches in glory in Christ Jesus. Amen.”

Lance Haley - December 16, 2023 at 09:54 AM

SD

“ To the Haley family, Aunt Shirley and cousin Tisa. Uncle Billy was so good to everyone with his affectionate smile and laughter, will certainly be missed but never ever forgotten. Aunt Shirley and Uncle built a lifetime of memories and shared events. God called him home to be with him now, He was a blessing to us all. Love, Sheila and Christian and James God Bless you're family!



Sheila Davis-Collins - December 16, 2023 at 12:49 AM

LC

“ LaShanna Culpepper sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Billy Haley



LaShanna Culpepper - December 15, 2023 at 11:15 PM

DT

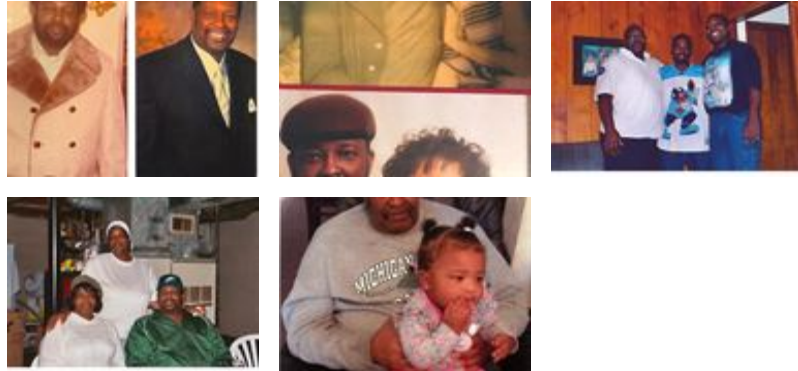
“ DENECHO TURNER sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Billy Haley



DENECHO TURNER - December 15, 2023 at 05:51 PM



“ 62 files added to the album Life Tributes



Browne's Mortuary - December 15, 2023 at 11:57 AM

DJ

“ *Darlene Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Billy Haley*



Darlene Johnson - December 14, 2023 at 07:56 AM

DW

“ *For The Family Of Mr. Billy Haley. Rest In Heavenly Peace.*



Doretta J Williams - December 13, 2023 at 06:42 PM

BW

“ *Sending my prayers and condolences to the Haley Family. So vey sorry for your loss.* ”



Barbara Watkins - December 13, 2023 at 07:51 AM

PS

“ *Paulette Sullivan-McCall lit a candle in memory of Mr. Billy Haley* ”



Paulette Sullivan-McCall - December 12, 2023 at 09:39 PM

AF

“ *Alice Rainey Wilson And Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Billy Haley* ”



Alice Rainey Wilson and Family - December 12, 2023 at 07:48 PM

DJ

“ *Doris Jones sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Billy Haley* ”



Doris Jones - December 12, 2023 at 04:19 PM

CP

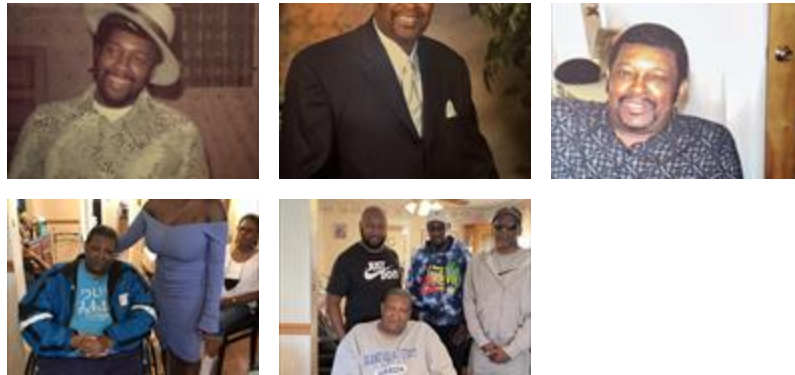
“ *Charisse Parker lit a candle in memory of Mr. Billy Haley*



Charisse Parker - December 11, 2023 at 06:41 PM

TH

“ *10 files added to the tribute wall*



Tisa Haley - December 11, 2023 at 05:21 PM

CP

“ *Charisse Parker lit a candle in memory of Mr. Billy Haley*



Charisse Parker - December 08, 2023 at 10:53 PM

MS

“ *Sending my sincere condolences to the Haley and Whitson family. May the good Lord, give you all the strength to endure this loss.*



Mary Ann Stewart - December 08, 2023 at 03:19 PM

VW

“ *Vonnie Ware lit a candle in memory of Mr. Billy Haley*



Vonnie Ware - December 08, 2023 at 02:47 PM

ST

“ *Stella Taylor lit a candle in memory of Mr. Billy Haley*



Stella Taylor - December 07, 2023 at 08:43 PM