



Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.

November 23, 1952 - September 14, 2022

Our beloved father, grandfather, brother, uncle, and friend, Mr. Curtis Lovell Turner , Sr.

peacefully made his transition from his earthly home in Defiance, Ohio to eternal life with the

Lord on Wednesday, September 14, 2022, age 69 years. He was born on November 23, 1952

in Saginaw, Michigan, to the union of L.C. Turner, Sr. and Eddie Mae Rawls-Turner.

Accepting Christ at an early age, he was raised under the leadership of Pastor R.B. Corley, Sr.

at TrueVine Missionary Baptist Church. Curtis graduated from Saginaw High School, "Class of

1972". He had an immaculate work ethic. Curtis always kept a job, a clean ride, and money in his

pocket. He worked for Central Jr. High School as a Sanitation Specialist until he pursued a

career with General Motors. He retired in 2009 after 38.4 years. And as much as he loved

working, Curtis loved retirement even more.

In retirement, he took up "full-time grand-parenting." Curtis loved his grandkids

and there was nothing he would not do for them. He enjoyed spending quality time with his family, taking the grands to school and practice, picking them up, and teaching them how to ride their bikes while he exercised. He loved to walk. In his pastime, he also enjoyed fishing, listening to music, going to basketball and football games - especially to see his two favorites (Saginaw's own, Darwin Ham and LaMarr Woodley). He truly enjoyed the life he lived and lived it to the fullest.

Curtis will be missed dearly by his family. He leaves to cherish his memory and legacy his two sons, Dontarrie (Martha) Johnson Sr. and Curtis (Gabreale) Turner II; seven grand-children, Natasha "Ta Ta" Johnson, Donita Johnson, Dontarrie Johnson Jr., and Malik William Johnson, Aniyjinay "Niy Niy" Turner, Cassidy "Cass" Turner, and Curtis "Chubbs" Turner III; two brothers, L.C. Jr. "Slick" and William "Baldy" Turner; four sisters, Kathy Watkins, Bobbie (Larry Sr.) Clemmons, Diane and Floretta Turner. A host of other relatives and friends, including special nephews, DeRonnie Turner and Adrian Cooper Jr. and special nieces DeShawnda Turner, DeNecho Turner, Krystal Marshall and Joy Laury; special friends, Charles "Charlie Mac" McMillan and Emma King; special children, Tracy Lowe, Shawannah Lowe, Brandi Brown, and Brittney Brown; special grandchildren, Myah Lowe, Serenity Lowe, Shariyah

Hines, Kavion
Franklin, and Jayden Wooden.

Curtis Turner, Sr. was preceded in death by his parents L.C. Sr. and Eddie Mae Turner; brother-in-law, Eddie Watkins; sister-in-law, Martha Turner; close cousin, Arthur Ray Turner; and god-parents, Herman and Ernestine Jackson.

The family would like to express a special thanks to Promedica Defiance and Toledo Hospital, the Oncology, Surgery, and Rehabilitation teams, Pastor Chevez D. Marshall and the Mt. Sinai Missionary Baptist Church family, and Evans & Browne's Funeral Home, Saginaw.

Family hour will take place at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, September 24, 2022 at Mt. Sinai Missionary Baptist Church, 1210 N. 8th Street, Saginaw, MI 48601, with funeral service commencing at 11:00 a.m. Pastor Chevez Marshall will officiate.

Previous Events

Family Hour

SEP 24. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Mt. Sinai Baptist Church
1210 N. 8th Street
Saginaw, MI 48601

Funeral Service

SEP 24. 11:00 AM (ET)

Mt. Sinai Baptist Church
1210 N. 8th Street
Saginaw, MI 48601

Tribute Wall

MS

“ Thank you Curt for always being stand up and accepting me into your home, as well as being a good friend to my Father. May God bless your family and your soul. -Miguel Santiago



Miguel Santiago - December 08, 2022 at 02:32 PM

LS

“ May God Continue to Bless the Family! God Got you! Louise Simpson and Family!!



Louise Simpson - October 14, 2022 at 11:30 PM

CS

“ Cindy Schroeder lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Cindy Schroeder - October 12, 2022 at 11:20 AM

DT

“ Delphine Tillman-Martin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Delphine Tillman-Martin - September 28, 2022 at 01:35 AM

LM

“ *Larry Martin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.*



Larry Martin - September 26, 2022 at 06:55 PM

WH

“ *Walter/Dorothy Harris lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.*



Walter/Dorothy Harris - September 24, 2022 at 10:19 AM

LW

“ *Lillie Williams-Grays sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.*



Lillie Williams-Grays - September 23, 2022 at 02:09 PM

BB

“ *Bill/Helena Badger sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.*



Bill/Helena Badger - September 22, 2022 at 05:19 PM

DE

“ *I'm going to miss you Uncle Curtis...I love you*



Dee-Dee - September 22, 2022 at 03:38 PM



“ *Blue & White Sympathy Floor Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr..*



September 22, 2022 at 02:24 PM

CM

“ *Charles L. McMillan lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.*



Charles L. McMillan - September 22, 2022 at 11:20 AM

JW

“ *Jean Willis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.*



Jean Willis - September 22, 2022 at 10:21 AM

DT

“ Prayers to the Turner family and may God comfort you with his love and mercy.



Deloris Townsend - September 22, 2022 at 12:50 AM

FC

“ Faye Cole lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Faye Cole - September 22, 2022 at 12:50 AM

WS

“ Willie Earl & Carrie Thomas, Sr. lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Willie Earl & Carrie Thomas, Sr. - September 22, 2022 at 12:10 AM

JR

“ JONITA REEVES sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



JONITA REEVES - September 21, 2022 at 06:10 PM

JC

“ JEANETTE CHAMPION lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



JEANETTE CHAMPION - September 21, 2022 at 02:31 PM

DC

“ Deborah Champion lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Deborah Champion - September 21, 2022 at 02:17 PM

FJ

“ Felicia Jones lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Felicia Jones - September 21, 2022 at 12:43 PM

SH

“ Prayers and condolences to the Turner family & extended families.



Stephanie Hall - September 21, 2022 at 11:15 AM

GD

“ *Condolences to the family. Curtis was a great classmate and person! "SHS class of 72" has loss another soldier.*



George Drain - September 21, 2022 at 10:39 AM

DS

“ *Denise R. Steele lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.*



Denise R. Steele - September 21, 2022 at 09:32 AM

JS

“ *Jamie Sanders-Hicks lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.*



Jamie Sanders-Hicks - September 21, 2022 at 07:55 AM

AF

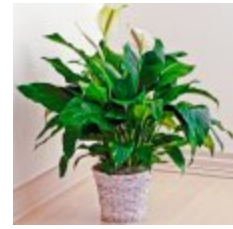
“ *The Anderson Family*



Anderson Family - September 21, 2022 at 04:16 AM



“ *Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr..*



September 20, 2022 at 10:10 PM



“ *Ramona Palmer Atri lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.*



Ramona Palmer Atri - September 20, 2022 at 12:30 PM



“ *Larry And Ora P. McBride lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.*



Larry and Ora P. McBride - September 20, 2022 at 09:43 AM



“ *Barbara Hollis-Lawson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.*



Barbara Hollis-Lawson - September 19, 2022 at 06:07 PM

CC

“ Cheryl Cooper lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Cheryl Cooper - September 19, 2022 at 03:48 PM

LT

“ Linda (Arnett) Taylor sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Linda (Arnett) Taylor - September 19, 2022 at 03:41 PM

CA

“ RIP my brother



Clarence Abernathy - September 19, 2022 at 10:21 AM

LP

“ Lakeisha Pelt lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Lakeisha Pelt - September 18, 2022 at 10:59 PM

CJ

“Wow this is such a shock, I ask about him when ever I see one of his sister's or brother's . We had so much fun down in Defiance, Ohio the picnics, parties, dances, To L.C. Dee Dee and the family you have my deepest condolences and prayer's, remember all the good times and memories you all shared together. May God's grace and mercy bring you all through this most difficult time. He's in no more pain he is resting in god's hands. and he will truly be missed by all whom knew him and loved him.



From Cousin Cynthia Johnson and family

Cynthia Johnson - September 18, 2022 at 09:44 PM

MH

To the Turner & extended famlies,my condolences to you. Every time Custis came to true vine Baptist church, he always spoke to me with a lovely & beautiful smile.he would ask how's your family doing? I would reply,just find thanks for asking.then I would ask him when was he getting married? He always say,I have to find some one.but he loved his grands.may the lord bless each & every one of you!!!!!!

Mary Harvey - September 22, 2022 at 03:20 PM

PM

“Pamela Monroe sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Pamela Monroe - September 18, 2022 at 03:41 PM

DB

“ *Diane Bond lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.*



Diane Bond - September 18, 2022 at 02:45 PM

LW

“ *Louis Weems lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.*



Louis Weems - September 18, 2022 at 08:35 AM

EG

“ *Elaine Greer lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.*



Elaine Greer - September 18, 2022 at 12:52 AM

LV

“ *My sincerest sympathy to the Turner family. Curtis was a long time friend of mine. May he rest in perfect peace.*



Linda Veasley - September 17, 2022 at 07:39 PM

DM

“ *Deborah Morris-Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.*



Deborah Morris-Williams - September 17, 2022 at 07:37 PM

CH

“ *Charlotte Louise Harper lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.*



Charlotte Louise Harper - September 17, 2022 at 06:36 PM

GM

“ *Gary McClain lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.*



Gary McClain - September 17, 2022 at 01:05 PM

BK

“ *Barbara Kemp-Lauria lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.*



Barbara Kemp-Lauria - September 17, 2022 at 12:41 PM

TF

“ Tomekia & Patsy Willis And Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Tomekia & Patsy Willis and Family - September 17, 2022 at 12:14 PM

SD

“ Stacy Duran sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Stacy Duran - September 17, 2022 at 10:03 AM

DJ

“ Doris Jones lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Doris Jones - September 16, 2022 at 11:25 PM

DA

“ Deborah Aytch lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Deborah Aytch - September 16, 2022 at 10:34 PM

LK

“ Larry Kemp sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Larry Kemp - September 16, 2022 at 08:44 PM

JM

“ James And Ola McMillan sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



James and Ola McMillan - September 16, 2022 at 08:22 PM

JM

“ James And Ola McMillan sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



James and Ola McMillan - September 16, 2022 at 08:20 PM

CS

“ Connie Sanders sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Connie Sanders - September 16, 2022 at 08:10 PM

RB

“ Rochelle Brewer lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



rochelle brewer - September 16, 2022 at 08:04 PM

LF

“ L.D Frierson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



L.D Frierson - September 16, 2022 at 04:35 PM

BL

“ Betsy Little lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Betsy Little - September 16, 2022 at 02:11 PM

FH

“ Florence Ann Hall lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Florence Ann Hall - September 16, 2022 at 01:50 PM

MJ

“ MR.&MRS. MARION W GRIFFITH JR. lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



MR.&MRS. MARION W GRIFFITH JR. - September 16, 2022 at 05:44 AM

RR

“ Robert Rembert lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Robert Rembert - September 15, 2022 at 10:02 PM



“ Dale Mitchner sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Dale Mitchner - September 15, 2022 at 09:54 PM

MH

“ So sorry to hear about your brother,Curtis passing.we'll keep your famlies in prayer.may the lord bless & keep you all. Ms.Mary Harvey & family

Mary Harvey - September 15, 2022 at 09:03 PM

PC

“ Praying for the Turner siblings and the extended family. Peter Cooper Atlanta Georgia

Peter Cooper - September 15, 2022 at 08:41 PM

AH

“ Aretha Hairston sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Aretha Hairston - September 15, 2022 at 08:28 PM

TA

“ Tommy & Rhonda Atkins lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Tommy & Rhonda Atkins - September 15, 2022 at 06:37 PM

DH

“ Debra Hinton lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Debra Hinton - September 15, 2022 at 06:34 PM

RR

“ Ray Helen Thomas R lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Ray Helen Thomas r - September 15, 2022 at 06:25 PM

TT

“ Terry Triplett lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Terry Triplett - September 15, 2022 at 04:47 PM

Adele Johnson

“ Adele Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Adele Johnson - September 15, 2022 at 12:58 PM

LM

“ Larry Martin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Larry Martin - September 15, 2022 at 12:16 PM

EB

“ Eugene And Michelle Blair lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Eugene and Michelle Blair - September 15, 2022 at 11:59 AM

DB

“ Prayers and condolences to the family of Curtis



Deacon Larry & Marilyn Bowman - September 15, 2022 at 09:47 AM

DT

“ DENECHO TURNER sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



DENECHO TURNER - September 15, 2022 at 08:59 AM

TR

“ Terry&Emma Richard lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Terry&Emma Richard - September 15, 2022 at 08:34 AM

CJ

“ Cynthia M Jones sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Cynthia M Jones - September 15, 2022 at 03:51 AM

DG

“ Deborah Green lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Deborah green - September 14, 2022 at 11:47 PM

LR

“ Lloyd And Carolyn Riley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Lloyd and Carolyn Riley - September 14, 2022 at 10:47 PM



“ Otis W Jackson sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.



Otis W Jackson - September 14, 2022 at 05:10 PM

LC

“ *Larry Clemmons lit a candle in memory of Mr. Curtis L. Turner, Sr.*



larry clemmons - September 14, 2022 at 05:04 PM