



## John McKandes

August 27, 1929 - November 20, 2008

Family hour will take place at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, December 10, 2008 at Greater Coleman Temple C.O.G.I.C., 2405 Bay Rd., with the service commencing at 11:00 a.m. Pastor H. J. Coleman, Jr. will officiate with interment in Forest Lawn Cemetery. Friends may call at the Browne's Mortuary, 441 N. Jefferson Ave. on Tuesday from 2:00 until 8:00 p.m. The family will accept friends at 300 Homestead Ln. on Monday, December 8, 2008 from 6:00 until 8:00 p.m. John Westley McKandes passed away Thursday, November 20, 2008 at the Lutz VA Medical Center after a brief illness. He was born August 27, 1929 in Hermanville, MS to Robert Lee and Ethel Ross McKandes. He was a 1949 graduate of Saginaw High School, and served in the U. S. Army. He resided in Hawaii for a number of years before returning to Michigan. Mr. McKandes is survived by one son, Bernard McKandes, California; brothers, Robert (Dorothy), and Melvin (Audrey) McKandes, both of Saginaw, MI; Bobby McKandes, Washington, D.C., and Clifford Brooks, Saginaw, MI; one sister, Delores McNair, Saginaw, MI; many other relatives and friends. Mr. McKandes was preceded in death by his parents, a brother and sister, Roland and Ruby Austin.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Pleasant memories and LOVE.*

*Latah fellow Army vet, Cuz, (uncle)...*

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**Joselyn** - November 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ *John was a very dear friend and I will miss him dearly.*

*We enjoyed many many hours together throughout the years and just before he took sick, we sat together all day long remembering things and laughing together..*

*RIP John, I love you man....*

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**Ed McKeethen** - November 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ *God has sent you to a better palce and we know that you will be watching down on us everyday of are life. We are blessed and we will always love you and miss you with all of are heart. You will always be cherish with grace.*

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**LaCreShanette Reed** - November 20, 2008 at 12:00 AM