

## John Phillip

July 4, 1932 - March 18, 2014

Mr. John "Biggie" Phillip departed this life to be with our Lord on Tuesday, March 18, 2014 at the age of 81 years. He was born July 4, 1932 in Tallulah, LA to Georgia Carter and John Phillip, Sr.

Mr. Phillip was a resident of Saginaw, MI. He retired in 1992 from the General Motors Grey Iron Powertrain Plant after 48 years of service. He had a passion for cooking, dancing and spending time with his family.

John leaves to cherish his memory, his wife, Alesha Phillip, Saginaw, MI; daughters, Georgia Levy, Torrance, CA and Joyce Ann (Arthur) Smith, Saginaw, MI; sons, Kevin Batton and Robin Phillip, both of Saginaw, MI; five grandchildren; one great-grandchild; sister, Hazel M. Roberts, Saginaw, MI; special nieces, Keiara Parker, Betty Diggs, Doris Frazier and Renee Kaiser; special nephews, Justin Parker and Otis Dickens; special uncle, Johnnie (Tonya) Batton; mother-in-law, Georgia Jackson, Saginaw, MI, whom he called "Mother"; special sister-in-law, Amanda Hayes; and many nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Mr. Phillip was preceded in death by his daughter, Joanne Phillip; sisters, Elizabeth Moore, Gertrude Forte, Ora D. Aytch and Georgia Diggs; brothers, Porter, Miles, Willie B. and James Troutman.

Funeral service will take place at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, March 27, 2014 at Truevine Baptist Church, 2930 Janes Road. Pastor Paul E. Broaddus will officiate with burial in Forest Lawn Cemetery. Friends may call at the Evans & Browne's Funeral Home, 441 North Jefferson Avenue on Wednesday from 2:00 until 8:00 p.m.

# Cemetery Details

## Forest Lawn Cemetery

3210 S. Washington Avenue  
Saginaw, MI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR **26**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Evans & Browne's Funeral Home  
441 N. Jefferson Avenue  
Saginaw, MI 48607  
(989) 754-0481  
evansbrownes@gmail.com  
<https://www.evansbrownesfuneralhome.com>

## Service

MAR **27**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Truevine Baptist Church  
2930 Janes Street  
Saginaw, MI 48601

# Tribute Wall



“ *Evans & Browne's Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of John Phillip*



**Browne's Mortuary** - March 18, 2014 at 12:00 AM

DW

“ *Debra Dillard/Lottie Williams lit a candle in memory of John Phillip*



**Debra Dillard/Lottie Williams** - April 04, 2014 at 03:08 AM

MA

“ *I send my condolences the family of Mr. John, may all the wonderful memories linger on in your hearts and minds, I am sorry for your loss. May you all throw your burden on Jehovah and He will sustain you....- Pslams 55:22--- [www.jw.org](http://www.jw.org).*

**Margaret** - March 29, 2014 at 10:51 AM

WJ

“ *Dear Phillip, Our prayers goes out to the family. So for the loss, God will be with the family just keep the faith.*  
*Wardiene Joiner*

**wardiene joiner** - March 28, 2014 at 06:30 AM

BE

“ Dear Phillip family and friends,

*Our prayers are with you at this time.....may Johnny rest in peace and your family find strength and comfort in knowing he is no longer suffering the rigors of this world....Isaiah 41:10*

*Sincerely,*

*The Frazier Family*

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**Ben** - March 26, 2014 at 10:52 AM

LT

“ Linda Troutmon lit a candle in memory of John Phillip



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**Linda Troutmon** - March 26, 2014 at 10:34 AM

LT

*Uncle Biggie, you will be missed always.*

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**Linda Troutmon** - March 26, 2014 at 10:36 AM

GF

“ Dear Phillip Family and Friends,

*I am so very sorry to hear of the loss of your dear loved one. Please accept my sincere condolences. May it comfort you to know that “The Most High God” has resurrected humans before through His Son Jesus, and He assures us He will do so again very soon. (Acts24:15, Psalms 83:18,Job 14:15).*

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**Greene Family** - March 26, 2014 at 10:03 AM

MW

“ Our condolences to the Phillip family. May you Rest in Peace John.

*From the Staff of Heartland Hospice*

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**Melissa Heartland Social Worker** - March 25, 2014 at 10:47 AM

GI

“ Sorry for your lost Alicia and Son!



gina - March 21, 2014 at 11:20 PM

MR

“ Ms Jackie Richards lit a candle in memory of John Phillip



ms jackie richards - March 21, 2014 at 08:20 PM

AH

“ What a great man he was...an angel sent by God to my sister...an awesome father to my nephew, a good uncle to my children and a special brother-in-law to me. He will be missed dearly but never forgotten.

Amanda Hayes - March 21, 2014 at 10:14 AM

GI

Awwwww...So sweet!

gina - March 21, 2014 at 11:17 PM

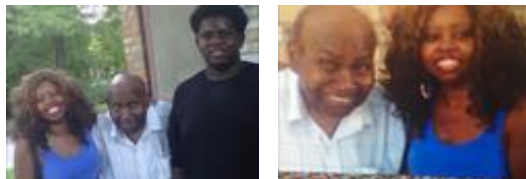
GL

“ I will miss my dad. Georgia Levy

Georgia Levy - March 20, 2014 at 08:05 PM

GL

“ 2 files added to the album Family Photo - Aug 2012



Georgia Levy - March 20, 2014 at 08:04 PM