



## Leroy Bland

April 2, 1932 - February 5, 2007

Funeral service will take place at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, February 15, 2007 at the Browne's Mortuary, 441 N. Jefferson Ave. Pastor Ernest Reed will officiate with interment in Forest Lawn Cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home on Wednesday from 2:00 until 8:00 p.m. Our beloved Leroy Bland was born on April 2, 1932 in Lambert, MS to Willie and Willie (Edwards) Bland. He loved driving trucks until his health prevented it. He loved to talk politics, spending a lot of time with the residents of the Bancroft and taking them to run errands or appointments. Leroy always stressed the importance of loving one another and he was very generous and kindhearted. He shared a close relationship with the Lord. Mr. Bland leaves to cherish his memory one daughter and two sons, Fe'Kei Bland of Texarkana, TX, John Bland (Tracy) and Robert Sykes both of Saginaw, MI; three grandchildren, Candace Price of Palm Coast, FL, Brandon Breckenridge of Saginaw, MI and Ryan Versey of Texarkana, TX; one great-grandchild, Devin Price of Palm Coast, FL; his parents, Willie Bland and Willie (Edwards) Bland; two sisters, Jessie (Robert) Winters and Mary Lee Henderson both of Saginaw, MI; three brothers, Edward (Mary) Bland of Saginaw, MI, Ritchard (Jean) Bland of Burt, MI and James H. Bland of Saginaw, MI; one special nephew, Voisne Ross, Sr. (Barbara); many other relatives and friends including special friend June Bland Womack of Texarkana, TX. Mr. Bland was preceded in death by four brothers and two sisters. The family would like to express special thanks to the Staff at St. Mary's of Michigan and Hilltop Nursing Home.



# Tribute Wall

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“ *Our families are praying for you all and we are sorry for your lose.  
God knows best.*

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