



Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.

June 18, 1976 - April 29, 2017

Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr. entered into eternal rest on Saturday, April 29, 2017 at the age of 40 years. Mr. Coney was born June 18, 1976 in Saginaw, MI the son of Albert and Betty (Dunham) Coney.

Mr. Coney confessed Christ at an early age and was baptized at New Life Baptist Church under the leadership of Pastor Rufus Bradley. He was a graduate of Bridgeport High School. Marcus joined the United States Marine Corps in 1994 and then joined the United States Army in 2001, serving during the Iraq and Afghanistan war and finally retiring June 11, 2013. Marcus worked for E.L. Hollingsworth Trucking Service and he truly enjoyed being a truck driver.

Marcus was truly a family man, he loved to cook, always sending pictures of the food he cooked to his family members. He enjoyed making people laugh and pulling pranks.

On May 2, 2016 Marcus married his longtime friend Khalilah Kariem, she survives him.

Mr. Coney leaves to cherish his memory, his wife, Khalilah Coney; seven children, Tyrone, Deja, Makayla, Jayden & Jamarion, Marcus Jr. and Jordan; his parents, Albert and Betty Coney; his in-laws, Gerald and Pat Kariem;

grandmother, Bettie Montgomery, Saginaw, MI; brother, Norris Coney, Saginaw, MI; sister, Royce (Vincent) Turner, Saginaw, MI; five nieces; four great-nieces; one great-nephew; god-mothers, Annie Jackson, Saginaw, MI and Lois Faniel; many god-brothers and sisters, cousins, uncles, aunts, friends and other relatives.

Marcus was predeceased by his god-fathers, Mr. Roosevelt Jackson and Mr. Jim Faniel; special cousin, Reggie Coney; and many aunts and uncles.

Funeral service will take place at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, May 6, 2017 at Messiah Missionary Baptist Church, 2615 Williamson Road, Pastor Otis Washington, Host Pastor. Pastor Rufus Bradley will officiate with interment at Great Lakes National Cemetery in Holly, MI. Friends may call at the Evans & Browne's Funeral Home, 441 North Jefferson Avenue on Friday from 2:00 until 8:00 p.m.

Cemetery Details

Great Lakes National Cemetery

G-4200 Belford Rd.
Holly, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 5. 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>

Funeral Service

MAY 6. 11:00 AM (ET)

Messiah Missionary Baptist Church
2615 Williamson Road
Saginaw, MI 48601

Tribute Wall



“ *Evans & Browne's Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Browne's Mortuary - May 11, 2017 at 10:30 AM

EK

“ *Marcus Coney Sr. Was my step dad. He's also the father of my younger brother Marcus Jr. The time I spent with him was short. But in that time he stepped up where my father lacked. One of the funniest people I've ever met. I'm grateful that he gave me my little brother, I hold him close and cherish him dearly as he lost his dad at just 5 years old, I've had to fill that role. Marcus Jr. turns 13 this year. He just started 7th grade. And he's such a great, loving, kind, funny kid. All of which he got from his father even tho he only knew him the first year of his life. He misses his dad everyday. And his other siblings. I hope one day he can get the closure he needs.*

Elijah Kidwell - August 19, 2024 at 05:31 AM

JE

“ *Still keeping you so close to my heart not a day goes by that you don't cross my mind see you again one day*

Jennifer - March 30, 2018 at 04:38 PM

DM

“ *Doloris Mixon lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Doloris Mixon - May 26, 2017 at 08:09 PM

CH

“ *I remember Marcus and the Coney's from the New Life church family. I am sorry to hear about the loss of Marcus who had so much to live for and at a young age. Remembering you in my prayers at this trying time. GOD BLESS.*

Cynthia Maise Hamilton - May 16, 2017 at 09:25 AM

HH

“ *Hafeeza Hester lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Hafeeza Hester - May 06, 2017 at 07:57 PM

LV

“ *Liz Vance lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Liz Vance - May 06, 2017 at 07:25 PM

LV

To the Turner & Coney families, May God be of comfort at this time.

Liz Vance - May 06, 2017 at 07:26 PM

LM

“ Leon McGhee family. To the family, Words cannot express how saddened I am to hear about Marcus's passing. I will always hold a special place for him in my heart. May the thought of knowing that family and friends share in your grief bring the family a measure of comfort. Please read PROV 17:17
We are praying for the family.

Leon McGhee - May 06, 2017 at 04:57 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr..



May 06, 2017 at 01:14 PM

TW

“ Theotis & Teresa Wilcoxon lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Theotis & Teresa Wilcoxon - May 06, 2017 at 10:04 AM

LM

To the family, words cannot express how saddened I am to hear about Marcus's passing. I will always hold a special place for him in my heart. May the thought of knowing that family and friends share in your grief bring the family a measure of comfort. Please read Prov 17:17. We are praying for the family. Leon McGhee and family.

Leon McGhee - May 06, 2017 at 01:32 PM

TW

“ A great son, brother, cousin, uncle, father, soldier, husband and friend will forever be missed, but never forgotten. I love you big cousin. Now you have your wings, soar high in the sky.



Terrie Woodley - May 06, 2017 at 09:41 AM

DW

“ Deborah Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Deborah Williams - May 05, 2017 at 10:16 PM


Gequeta
Lee

“ Gequeta Lee lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Gequeta Lee - May 05, 2017 at 09:39 PM

KB

“ *Kaaya Bond lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Kaaya Bond - May 05, 2017 at 08:41 PM

LB

“ *Coney served with the 518th TIN Co for a deployment in 2006. He will be greatly missed. You will always remain a Soldier and a member of our Family. To his Family..may God comfort and keep you during this time. First Sergeant (R) LaShawn Brown. Raiders all the way!!!!!!*

LaShawn Brown - May 05, 2017 at 06:51 PM

WJ

“ *Willie And Regina Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Willie and Regina Johnson - May 05, 2017 at 04:56 PM

DM

“ *Diana Miree sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



diana miree - May 05, 2017 at 01:05 PM

CF

“ You will be truly missed, my brother, my friend, my battle buddy. may you rest in the arms of god...



Crystal Flowers - May 05, 2017 at 09:29 AM

KB

“ Kendra Brown lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Kendra Brown - May 05, 2017 at 09:06 AM

Andrea Carmel

“ Andrea Carmel lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Andrea Carmel - May 05, 2017 at 08:59 AM

BO

“ Bobby lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Bobby - May 05, 2017 at 08:46 AM

DT

“ *Denecho Turner lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Denecho Turner - May 05, 2017 at 07:40 AM

AS

“ *Condolences go out to the Coney Family you will be missed my brother. Anthony Stuckey & Family*



Anthony Stuckey - May 05, 2017 at 04:35 AM

AZ

“ *To Gerald Kariem and family we are sorry for your loss. We will continue to keep all of you in our daily prayers.*

Albert and Frances Zackrie - May 05, 2017 at 01:59 AM

AM

“ *God has taken another angel back to heaven sorry to hear about Marcus you're in our prayers*

Alma Miller - May 04, 2017 at 09:43 PM

LJ

“ To my family I am sorry for the loss of Marcus. I can still see him running and playing at my parents house. We love and miss you god brother, Love and Prayer LINKY



LEON JACKSON - May 04, 2017 at 08:29 PM



“ Lawrence Brooks lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Lawrence Brooks - May 04, 2017 at 07:20 PM

JW

“ A wonderful man a great friend always in my heart Rest in love my friend Jennifer Ward



Jennifer ward - May 04, 2017 at 05:06 PM

AJ

“ Alison Jones-Reed lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Alison Jones-Reed - May 04, 2017 at 04:00 PM

SM

“ Sincerely, Mgmt & Staff @ ResCare Premier Milan purchased the Sapphire Skies Bouquet for the family of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr..



Sincerely, Mgmt & Staff @ ResCare Premier Milan - May 04, 2017 at 01:37 PM

VG

“ Valerie Gilbert-Skipper lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Valerie Gilbert-Skipper - May 04, 2017 at 10:47 AM

CA

“ I am deeply saddened for your loss. I am praying that God will comfort and strengthen your entire family during this difficult time.

Carey Alford-Cargile - May 04, 2017 at 09:19 AM

MF

“ Sorry for your loss from the Morris family



Morris family - May 04, 2017 at 07:57 AM



“ *Velissa Batts lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Velissa Batts - May 04, 2017 at 01:16 AM

DN

My heart is so saddened. I knew Mr. Coney as Moe. We were great friends when he was stationed in ft. Jackson 2009. Rest in sweet peace, and my prayers are with the family.

Diane Newsome - May 04, 2017 at 03:28 PM



“ *Our heartfelt condolences to Cousin Betty & Albert for loss. Earth has no sorrow, Heaven cannot heal. Love Gregg & Joanie McCurdy!*



Joan King - May 03, 2017 at 10:52 PM

LM

“ *Sorry for your loss Al & Betty and the Coney Family...*



Larry Martin - May 03, 2017 at 10:35 PM

JO

Sorry for your loss Al and Betty. RIH Marcus. We will miss you in love always. Jowanne

Jowanne - May 04, 2017 at 07:46 AM

EM

“ *Ebony And Ellison McGee lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Ebony and Ellison McGee - May 03, 2017 at 08:49 PM

KL

“ *You were always the biggest personality in the room, the biggest laugh in the room, the biggest smile in the room and though you were not one for too much mushiness, I think you too were usually the biggest heart in the room. You remained my little brother and friend for decades and we already miss your presence our my life. I pray God's comfort and peace for your parents, wife, siblings, nieces, nephews and others that had the good fortune to know and love you. Kimberly Lyons-Butler and Monique Lyons*

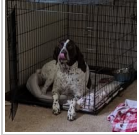
Kimberly Lyons-Butler - May 03, 2017 at 08:45 PM

SC

“ *Sam Culberson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Sam Culberson - May 03, 2017 at 08:43 PM



“ *Amanda Thomas lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Amanda Thomas - May 03, 2017 at 08:40 PM

CC

“ *Christina Castillo lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Christina Castillo - May 03, 2017 at 07:51 PM

AD

“ *So hard to say goodbye to my childhood friend. You will always be in my memories. My thoughts and prayers are with your family.*



Amanda Dix - May 03, 2017 at 07:45 PM



“ *Marcus was one of my best friends in high school, we later reunited through fb. He was always cracking jokes some funny some not so much. We had our good and not so good moments but I wouldn't wish this on him. He had a crazy funny lol but good heart 😭 I'm so sorry to hear this news. I just pray peace over his family. Marcus you will Never be forgotten.*



Yolanda Erby - May 03, 2017 at 07:42 PM



“ *Susan Byron lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Susan Byron - May 03, 2017 at 07:41 PM



“ *Sarah Branch lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Sarah Branch - May 03, 2017 at 07:19 PM

NH

“ *Noland Heath lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Noland Heath - May 03, 2017 at 07:12 PM



“ *Tammy Thornton McDonald lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Tammy Thornton McDonald - May 03, 2017 at 07:11 PM

LF

“ *Lionell Terrell And Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Lionell Terrell and Family - May 03, 2017 at 06:39 PM

LF

“ *Lionell Terrell And Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Lionell Terrell and Family - May 03, 2017 at 06:36 PM

LB

“ *Leah Bond-Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Leah Bond-Johnson - May 03, 2017 at 06:08 PM

EM

“ *Marcus always knew how to make you smile and loved the kids. I will always cherish the memories we shared. I pray for peace and comfort for his family and friends as he will truly be missed. And I know he will always be with us in spirit because he touched so many souls-including mine. Rest easy Marcus...❤️*



Emily M. - May 03, 2017 at 06:06 PM

TY

“ *Tynisha lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Tynisha - May 03, 2017 at 05:40 PM

VJ

“ *Vera Jones sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Vera Jones - May 03, 2017 at 05:36 PM

VJ

To the Coney and kariem family. So sorry to hear of your loss.

Vera Jones - May 03, 2017 at 05:40 PM

SC

*Weeping may endure for a night but Joy cometh in the morning
Pslam 30-5*

Sam Culberson

Sam Culberson - May 03, 2017 at 06:03 PM

DF

I pray for both familys, God bless you all.such a sad tradedy

Debra Fenn - May 05, 2017 at 10:31 PM



“ *I dont know where to start family words can't express how devastated i and my mom where to recieve the news of marcus passing.... God knows we how the place u all are in right now...we was there a yr ago....we love u family...we pray Gods strenght and peace to u all... we standing with u through this....we will get through this one day at a time....our prayers and love covers u all...teresa choyce and shirley turner*



Teresa Choyce - May 03, 2017 at 05:31 PM



“ *My condolences to the entire Coney family. Peace be unto you, you are in my continued prayers Khalilah, Ntokezia, Jahauna, & Nicole.*



Shannon Bond - May 03, 2017 at 02:10 PM

VL

“ Vonda Liles lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Vonda Liles - May 03, 2017 at 02:07 PM

AT

“ Adrian And Jauq'ee Terry lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Adrian and Jauq'ee Terry - May 03, 2017 at 02:04 PM

KB

“ Kimberly Bulls lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Kimberly Bulls - May 03, 2017 at 01:45 PM

KJ

“ Kesha Jones lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Kesha Jones - May 03, 2017 at 10:54 AM

TT

“ Terrie Thigpen-Liddell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Terrie Thigpen-Liddell - May 03, 2017 at 10:43 AM

EF

“ E.L. Hollingsworth & Chieftain Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr..



E.L. Hollingsworth & Chieftain Family - May 03, 2017 at 09:00 AM

TH

“ Praying for Soror Lisa Coney and family.

Tee-Ar Hines - May 03, 2017 at 08:09 AM

TH

“ Tee-Ar Hines lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



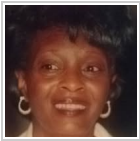
Tee-Ar Hines - May 03, 2017 at 08:08 AM

CF

“ Charles A. Sledge & Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Charles A. Sledge & Family - May 03, 2017 at 07:58 AM



“ Elizabeth Hudspeth lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Elizabeth Hudspeth - May 03, 2017 at 07:39 AM

MH

“ Mary Hannibal lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Mary Hannibal - May 03, 2017 at 07:22 AM

CM

“ Cheryl Merrill lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Cheryl Merrill - May 03, 2017 at 06:59 AM

CM

Praying for Lisa Coney and family.

Cheryl Merrill - May 03, 2017 at 06:59 AM

JJ

“ Oh my father I will forever love you and miss you. ❤️ Fly High! Keep watching over us 🙏

Jayden Jones - May 03, 2017 at 05:38 AM

KB

“ I'm sorry for your lost..... You guys are in my prayers Rest up bruh....

Kail & Tasha Bland - May 03, 2017 at 01:39 AM

LI

“ Rest Easy Marcus....memories forever



Lisa - May 02, 2017 at 11:11 PM

RV

“ Robert And Linda Veasley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Robert and Linda Veasley - May 02, 2017 at 08:50 PM

LM

“ Lynn McCray lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Lynn McCray - May 02, 2017 at 08:05 PM

SF

“ Sherrandra Faniel lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



sherrandra Faniel - May 02, 2017 at 07:36 PM

DP

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Dorothy Price-Omar - May 02, 2017 at 05:47 PM

SG

“ S Griffin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



S Griffin - May 02, 2017 at 05:05 PM

VH

“ Vanessa Humes-Johnson sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Vanessa Humes-Johnson - May 02, 2017 at 05:04 PM

RF

“ Roby Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Roby Family - May 02, 2017 at 03:38 PM

NW

“ Nikia Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Nikia Williams - May 02, 2017 at 03:22 PM

LP

“ Lakeisha Pelt lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Lakeisha Pelt - May 02, 2017 at 03:02 PM



“ *Lawrence Brooks lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Lawrence Brooks - May 02, 2017 at 12:05 PM

JS

“ *To Betty, Albert, Norris, Royce and the Coney family,
My heart is heavy knowing what you are going through right now. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Love you family and I know God's promise is true and he will never leave or forsake you. May God continue to be with you now and forever.*



Janie Surles-Cork - May 02, 2017 at 11:01 AM

KP

“ *Kimberley Perkins lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Kimberley Perkins - May 02, 2017 at 10:37 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr..*



May 02, 2017 at 10:34 AM

LM

“ Larry And Pamela Monroe lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Larry and Pamela Monroe - May 02, 2017 at 08:11 AM

JJ

“ J.W. Martin Jr. lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



J.W. Martin Jr. - May 02, 2017 at 07:50 AM

LE

“ Lucy Erby lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Lucy Erby - May 01, 2017 at 10:02 PM

SC

“ Sheilita Griffin- Culberson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Sheilita Griffin- Culberson - May 01, 2017 at 07:19 PM

RJ

“ *Richard And Linda Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Richard and Linda Johnson - May 01, 2017 at 06:45 PM

PR

“ *Pastor Terry Randolph and the Gethsemane MBC would like to extend our sincere condolences to the family. It is our prayer that God will comfort you during this transitional period. May God bless each of you is our prayer.*

Pastor Terry Randolph - May 01, 2017 at 05:30 PM

LF

“ *LEON JACKSON Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



LEON JACKSON family - May 01, 2017 at 03:40 PM

LR

“ *Lee Jackson Reeves lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.*



Lee Jackson Reeves - May 01, 2017 at 03:30 PM

PB

“ Priscilla Butts lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Priscilla Butts - May 01, 2017 at 11:51 AM

MS

“ Mr & Mrs William Doxie Sr lit a candle in memory of Mr. Marcus Camara Coney, Sr.



Mr & Mrs William Doxie Sr - May 01, 2017 at 10:52 AM