



## Mr. Melvin Edward Conner

April 4, 1945 - February 13, 2023

Mr. Melvin E. Conner was born April 4, 1945 in Pickensville, Alabama to the proud parents of Melvin E. Conner, Sr. and Sarah (Sommerville) Conner. He passed away on February 13, 2023 at the age of 77 years.

He was educated in the Pickensville, AL Public School System. Melvin was a longtime resident of Saginaw, Michigan, loved his family, and was a quiet man who loved solitude. He was an Independent Truck Driver and also worked at General Motors Corp. After retirement, he worked as a transporter for McDonald's Cadillac. He loved animals, especially his dog, "Bo". He enjoyed raising horses, fixing and repairing cars and equipment, hunting and fishing.

Mr. Conner leaves to cherish many memories his loving wife, Barbara Price-Conner, Saginaw; children, Yolanda Wright, Lisa Cunningham (Tyrone), Claude Wright (Katina), Pamela Washington, Sandra Forte, LaScheal Hogan (Terrance) and Altovease Conner; step-daughter, Sabrina Sanders (Roy); 18 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; siblings, Mary Wright (Richard) and Marie Linder (Calvin); many nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends including special friends, Archie Dale, James and Helen Murdock, Willie Humphrey, David Belanger and Clyde.

Mr. Melvin E. Conner was preceded in death by his parents, Melvin E. Conner, Sr. and Sarah (Sommerville) Conner; children, Toboris and Tabitha Conner, Lathrisa Mitchell; a sister and brother, Sarah Harris and Willie Conner; a nephew, Marcus Wright.

Family hour 10:00 AM Monday, February 20, 2023, at Bethlehem Missionary Baptist Church, 3309 Bundy Street with funeral service commencing at 11:00 AM. Pastor Lafayette Simpson officiating. Visitation will take place at the church 9:00 a.m. until the time of service.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 20. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Bethlehem Baptist Church  
3309 Bundy Street  
Saginaw, MI 48601

## Family Hour

FEB 20. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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## Funeral Service

FEB 20. 11:00 AM (ET)

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3309 Bundy Street  
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# Tribute Wall

CP

“ *Carrie B Polk lit a candle in memory of Mr. Melvin Edward Conner*



Carrie B Polk - February 21, 2023 at 09:11 PM

AF

“ *Ann M. Patrick & Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Melvin Edward Conner*



Ann M. Patrick & Family - February 20, 2023 at 12:10 PM

MS

“ *Mary Smithers lit a candle in memory of Mr. Melvin Edward Conner*



Mary Smithers - February 20, 2023 at 08:29 AM

DR

“ *Dorothy Redeemer sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Melvin Edward Conner*



Dorothy Redeemer - February 18, 2023 at 08:49 PM

LB

“ *Linda Brown lit a candle in memory of Mr. Melvin Edward Conner*



Linda Brown - February 18, 2023 at 03:08 AM

MC

“ Oh my my, What a lot I could say.  
Mel you would be truly missed.. Your smile laugh  
and the conversation we had for hours was priceless. Thank  
God for the time we shared, even from a child growing up  
was amazing.. I remember ever year doing the holidays  
y'all all would down and celebrate the holidays at Grandma house.. we will sit  
outside cooking out laughing joking in shooting fireworks and having an a  
amazing time... Good memories and love will last a lifetime. We also plans to do  
other things we didn't get a chance to do.. but that will be a next time on the other  
side ....Mel you put up a good fight and it wasn't a lost, you won and Heaven was  
ur game.. Now sweetie take ur rest, cause you stood and passed God test.. love  
you always & 4 ever (((Ms Altovease Conner>)!!!! RIP 🙏💙🤔🥺



Ms.Altovease Conner - February 17, 2023 at 01:18 PM

RG

“ Roy & Sherry Greer lit a candle in memory of Mr. Melvin  
Edward Conner



Roy & Sherry Greer - February 17, 2023 at 09:22 AM

TH

“ My grandad was such a quiet, humble, hardworking man. I'll miss those weekly  
calls when you and daddy would be on the phone for HOURS just to check in on  
us and talk about old times. Even though you were thousands of miles away it felt  
like you was right around the corner. You had a big yet contagious smile that  
would light up the entire room. I can't forget about the first time we came to  
Michigan to visit you made us feel so at home. I really think all of us cried when  
we left heading back to Alabama because it was so hard parting from you after  
being away from you for years. I know you're at peace now hand in hand with my  
daughter Kynneddy and the rest of the family. Until we meet again I LOVE YOU  
Your granddaughter Tywonia Wright-Wilder

Tywonia Hinton - February 16, 2023 at 12:03 PM



“ Floor Plant for Sympathy was purchased for the family of Mr.  
Melvin Edward Conner.



February 16, 2023 at 08:53 AM

RR

“ Brother Melvin a great man glad that I had a chance to met you on this side sleep well and take your rest.



Rev.Ernest Reed - February 16, 2023 at 08:21 AM

JA

“ Now both of my Conner uncles are gone. Both were very significant to me growing up. Uncle Slim(Son), thank you for being a major part of the village that raised me. Your laugh and smile was infectious. Your quiet, peaceful and humble demeanor will live on through all of us. Kiss Granny for me and hug Granddad Head, Unc Willie, Aunt Sarah Jane, Mark, Trish, Tyrone, Rodney, Ken, Tab and Bo. I love u all....until we meet again. To Barbara and all of my cousins, I love u and thank you for sharing my uncle. My deepest condolences. 😭

Jeanetta Conner Arrington - February 15, 2023 at 11:42 PM

WF

“ Wanda Faye Reynolds And Reynolds Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Melvin Edward Conner



Wanda Faye Reynolds and Reynolds Family - February 14, 2023 at 09:15 PM

MH

“ Mary Harvey lit a candle in memory of Mr. Melvin Edward Conner



Mary Harvey - February 14, 2023 at 12:22 PM

MH

“ My condolences to you Bobbie & other members of your entire family.just know I love you & I will continue to keep you in my prayers. God bless you.

Mary Harvey - February 14, 2023 at 12:21 PM