



Mr. Samuel "Sambo" Woodhouse Sr.

July 10, 1927 - November 4, 2016

Samuel "Sambo" Woodhouse, Sr. our beloved father, grandfather, uncle and brother went on to be with the Lord at home following a brief illness on Friday November 4, 2016. Sam was born July 10, 1927 in Vicksburg, MS to the late Winfield and Gertrude (Green) Woodhouse, Sr.

He later relocated to Saginaw, MI where he married Gladys (Charleston) Woodhouse. He retired from the Saginaw Malleable Plant-GM after 25 years of service. He was a member of St. John Missionary Baptist Church of Saginaw, MI under the leadership of Reverend James Hodge. He was baptized in 2008 at the age of 81. When Sam needed to take his mind off the hustle and bustle of the day he would go out on the river and clear his mind while fishing. Sam was a missionary without the license. He never met a stranger. He was always helping someone, whether it was giving a ride to doctor appointments, the grocery store or taking children to school. He was the kind of man that would give you the shirt off his back. He had a smile that would light up a room. Sam was a real family man. It gave him great joy to be around his family.

Sam leaves to cherish his memory, two daughters, Danita and Patricia Woodhouse; one son, Samuel Woodhouse, Jr., all of Saginaw MI; five grandchildren, Kaneisha Woodhouse (Eric) Sparks of Saginaw, MI, Tannika Woodhouse of Raleigh, NC, Kerwana (Marqui)Woodhouse-Davis of Marietta,

GA, Quanteisha Price and Samuel Woodhouse III of Saginaw, MI; eight great-grandchildren, Makiah Stewart, Erionna Sparks, Autyonndra "Tya" Almond-Woodhouse, KeonDre Woodhouse, Lanaiza Sparks, Kayliyah Weems-Woodhouse, Christopher Woodhouse and Cameron Davis; one sister, Rosie Duckett; a very special sister-in-law, Minnie Mae Thomas; dear friend, Gerdine Fraiser; and a host of nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Gertrude and Winfield Woodhouse, Sr.; wife, Gladys Woodhouse; daughter, Brenda Woodhouse; three brothers, Jessie Addison, Winfield Woodhouse Jr, and James Woodhouse; six sisters, Florence Woodhouse, Mary Mosley, Emma Meeks, Mariah Bills, Annie Cook and Mattie DeLaCruz.

The Woodhouse family would like to give a very special thank you to Evans & Browne's Funeral Home, Dr. Long, Sam's primary care provider, Rev. James Hodge and the entire church family at St. John Missionary Baptist Church and a very heartfelt thank you to the staff at Southern Care Hospice for the awesome care provided.

Funeral service will take place at 11:00 a.m. on Saturday, November 12, 2016 at Rose Hill Missionary Baptist Church, 2403 East Remington, Pastor Murry Culberson, Host Pastor. Pastor James Hodge will officiate with interment in Forest Lawn Cemetery. 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

Forest Lawn Cemetery

3210 S. Washington Avenue
Saginaw, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 11. 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

NOV 12. 11:00 AM (ET)

Rosehill Missionary Baptist Church
2403 E. Remington
Saginaw, MI 48601

Tribute Wall



“ *Evans & Browne's Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Samuel "Sambo" Woodhouse Sr.*



Browne's Mortuary - November 14, 2016 at 01:20 PM

KA

“ *He always looked out for his family and made sure we were all happy. RIH grandad we love and miss you* ❤️🕊️



Kayliyah - February 12, 2019 at 12:43 PM

MA

“ *Mary Evans, Martin Wright, Eddie Shepard, Leon Sr. and Jr. Gillen deepest sympathy to family*



Mary - November 22, 2016 at 03:03 PM



“ Yvonne Sanders lit a candle in memory of Mr. Samuel "Sambo" Woodhouse Sr.



Yvonne Sanders - November 14, 2016 at 07:10 PM



“ Kerwana Woodhouse lit a candle in memory of Mr. Samuel "Sambo" Woodhouse Sr.



Kerwana Woodhouse - November 14, 2016 at 06:49 PM



“ Shareika Stewart lit a candle in memory of Mr. Samuel "Sambo" Woodhouse Sr.



Shareika Stewart - November 11, 2016 at 10:01 PM



“ Johnnie And LaKeisha Johson Jr & Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Samuel "Sambo" Woodhouse Sr.



Johnnie and LaKeisha Johson Jr & family - November 11, 2016 at 09:13 PM

TT

“ Pat sorry for your loss praying for your entire family



Tiffany Anderson, Dallas Tx - November 11, 2016 at 06:47 PM

RE

“ Mr. Woodhouse was the sweetest neighbor I had so he will be miss

reenameredith@gmail.com - November 11, 2016 at 05:40 PM

MR

“ Magie Reece lit a candle in memory of Mr. Samuel "Sambo" Woodhouse Sr.



magie reece - November 11, 2016 at 04:14 PM

SW

“ Samual Woodhouse lit a candle in memory of Mr. Samuel "Sambo" Woodhouse Sr.



samual woodhouse - November 11, 2016 at 04:09 PM

TW

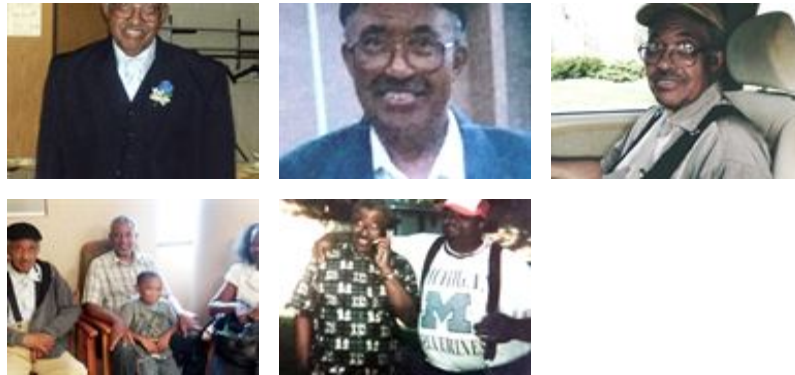
“ *Tannika Woodhouse lit a candle in memory of Mr. Samuel "Sambo" Woodhouse Sr.*



Tannika Woodhouse - November 10, 2016 at 04:50 PM



“ *55 files added to the album Life Tributes*



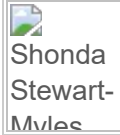
Browne's Mortuary - November 10, 2016 at 10:47 AM

BF

“ *Browder Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Samuel "Sambo" Woodhouse Sr.*



Browder Family - November 09, 2016 at 09:30 PM



“ *Shonda Stewart-Myles lit a candle in memory of Mr. Samuel "Sambo" Woodhouse Sr.*



Shonda Stewart-Myles - November 09, 2016 at 07:20 PM



“ *Ernestine Martin lit a candle in memory of Mr. Samuel "Sambo" Woodhouse Sr.*



Ernestine Martin - November 09, 2016 at 06:44 PM



“ *Felicia Jones lit a candle in memory of Mr. Samuel "Sambo" Woodhouse Sr.*



Felicia Jones - November 09, 2016 at 05:34 PM



“ *Dorothy Mitchell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Samuel "Sambo" Woodhouse Sr.*



Dorothy Mitchell - November 09, 2016 at 02:54 PM

VL

“ *Vonda Liles lit a candle in memory of Mr. Samuel "Sambo" Woodhouse Sr.*



Vonda Liles - November 09, 2016 at 11:39 AM

PM

“ *So sorry for your loss, Mr. Sam will be missed. There are too many memories our family share with your family. We know that God is yet in control and our family is thankful to have known him. Praying for your Strength, we luv guys. Paula Mcafee & Family*

Paula Mcafee - November 09, 2016 at 12:27 AM

JA

“ *Mr. & Mrs. Leopold Arnett*



janel arnett - November 08, 2016 at 10:26 PM

LJ

“ *Latanya Jones lit a candle in memory of Mr. Samuel "Sambo" Woodhouse Sr.*



Latanya Jones - November 08, 2016 at 09:10 PM

DM

“ *Praying for you sis Pat and your family*

Doris Moore - November 08, 2016 at 09:02 PM

TO

“ *My deepest sympathy. ! May God bless you all*

Toni - November 08, 2016 at 07:31 PM

DT

“ *To the Woodhouse Family and friends. I was sadden to hear of the home going of Mr Sam Woodhouse.*

To the Family there is no sorrow that heaven cannot heal, God is able to carry you through...Weeping may endure for a night , but joy will come in the morning.

The entire Woodhouse family is in our prayers.

Dr Marie Wright Tolliver & Family

Dr Marie W Tolliver - November 08, 2016 at 06:36 PM



BE

“ *Pat sorry for your loss my prayers go out to you and your entire family from Bea Ellis*

Bea Ellis - November 08, 2016 at 05:58 PM



KG

“ *Krystal Giles lit a candle in memory of Mr. Samuel "Sambo" Woodhouse Sr.*



Krystal Giles - November 08, 2016 at 05:07 PM

JS

“ *Danita, Pat, and Sam and the entire Woodhouse family: I am really sorry for your loss. I know how close you were to your father and what an influence he had on your life. The loss of one's father marks one of the most profound rites of passages in our lives. Just know that your dad was a wise man, and had a great sense of humor. He will be missed greatly and remembered often. My deepest condolences to you and your family.*

With Love,

The Silvia Family

(Nora, Joanne, Shana, Alonzo, Beverly, Helen, Phillip Ray, Michael)

Joanne Silvia - November 08, 2016 at 03:56 PM

SH

“ *To Danita, Pat, Sam Jr. and the entire Woodhouse family. My sincere condolences in the loss of your father. I pray God give you strength in this difficult time. I know you have many precious memories of your dad that you can hold in your heart forever. May God bless all of you*



Shelaine - November 08, 2016 at 02:41 PM

MJ

“ To Sister Danita Woodhouse and the entire family, So sorry to hear of your loss. May God grant you peace and comfort during this time of sadness and sorrow. Our prayers are with you all.

Much love
Moty & Geri McKinney

Mr. and Mrs. Moty McKinney Jr - November 08, 2016 at 11:56 AM

ER

To the Woodhouse family, my prayers are with you at this difficult time.

Ernestinemartin - November 08, 2016 at 05:13 PM

MJ

“ Mr. And Mrs. Moty McKinney Jr lit a candle in memory of Mr. Samuel "Sambo" Woodhouse Sr.



Mr. and Mrs. Moty McKinney Jr - November 08, 2016 at 11:48 AM