



David J. "Pittsburgh Shorty" Buckner

March 4, 1946 - February 7, 2016

BUCKNER, Mr. David Jerome "Pittsburgh Shorty" - age 69, passed away Sunday, February 7, 2016 in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Family hour 10:30 AM Wednesday, February 17, 2016 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 268 N. Perry St., with funeral service commencing immediately at 11:00 AM. Pastor Terrance J. Gowdy, Officiating. Interment Oak Hill Cemetery, 216 University Drive. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the funeral home 10:30 AM Wednesday. Mr. Buckner will lie in state in the Chapel of the Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, and may be viewed from Noon - 8:00 PM on Tuesday.

Mr. David Jerome Buckner was born March 4, 1946 in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, the son of Snowden and Ethel Buckner. David was a resident of Pontiac, Michigan and accepted Christ at an early age while attending Mt. Calvary Baptist Church in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania under the leadership of Rev. Stroman D. Bonaparte. He was employed at General Motors Corporation for thirty years. He enjoyed working and driving cars, landscaping and reading books. After the passing of his brother, he took care of his sister-in-law taking her to her doctor's appointments and being there for her everyday. He was a loving, caring person who helped everyone especially his sisters, family members, neighbors and friends.

Mr. Buckner leaves to cherish his memory: three sisters, Minnie Matthews of

Pittsburgh, PA, Louise Dinkins and Olivia Carter of Pontiac, MI; seventeen nieces; fourteen nephews; sister-in-law, May Buckner; and a host of other relatives and friends including special friends, Walter Moore, Charley Gordon and Gayle Reddish.

Mr. Buckner was preceded in death by his parents, Snowden and Ethel Buckner; siblings, Ruth Dinkins and Edward Buckner; brothers-in-law, William Matthews, Lloyd Dinkins, Wess Carter and Charles Dinkins.

The family would like to express special thanks to the Spriggs and Watson Funeral Home of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Cemetery Details

Oak Hill Cemetery

216 University Drive
Pontiac, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 16. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ Cynthia Blackwell lit a candle in memory of David J. "Pittsburgh Shorty" Buckner



Cynthia blackwell - February 26, 2016 at 01:23 AM

DS

“ The best uncle one could have You were the rock of this family and you helped each and every one of us. When we needed you for anything you were there. We love you and you will be missed. So thank you God for our dear uncle for all the good times we all shared And now RIP Uncle RIP!!!!

Deborah Sparrow - February 19, 2016 at 09:02 AM

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“ To the Family of David Buckner and the Pittsburgh Family of Ms. Minnie Matthews and Diane Wolford.

May fond memories of your Brother/Uncle bring you comfort during this hard time in your life. Look back on all the good memories you were able to have and smile at the fact that you were able to share these times with him. Our hearts and prayers go out to you and your family. May the love of family and friends comfort you during these difficult days, our most heartfelt condolence.

Isaiah 41:10 says - So do not fear, for I am with you; do not be dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you; I will uphold you with my righteous right hand.

Love Margie and Annette Reed (Pittsburgh Pa.)

Margaret Reed - February 17, 2016 at 07:38 AM

CO

“ You were the best UnDaddy a girl could have. I Love You and you will be truly missed. Nikki

Cole - February 16, 2016 at 03:13 PM

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“ Gone from our sight, but never from our hearts. Never lose your faith in God. It will help you get through these tough times.



Charlie Gordon , Re Re - February 15, 2016 at 08:55 PM



“ One of the best uncle ever. Rest in peace Uncle Cap 🕶️

Gregory Dinkins - February 14, 2016 at 06:55 PM



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Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home - February 13, 2016 at 09:42 PM