



## John Calvin "Deke" McDonald Sr.

September 15, 1943 - March 2, 2024

MCDONALD, Sr., Mr. John Calvin "Deke" - age 80, passed away Saturday, March 2, 2024 at Trinity Health in Pontiac, Michigan. Family hour 10:30AM Saturday, March 16, 2024 at Door of Faith Christian Church, 511 South Sanford Street, with funeral commencing immediately at 11:00AM. Pastor Earl O. Crump, officiating. Interment Perry Mount Park Cemetery, 878 North Perry Street. Friends and pallbearers will assemble 10:30AM at the church Saturday. Mr. McDonald will lie instate in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 268 North Perry Street, and may be viewed between the hours of 12:00PM - 6:00PM Friday.

Mr. McDonald leaves to cherish his memory: his wife, Virginia McDonald; children, John Calvin (Lolita) McDonald, Jr. and Latonia McDonald; grandchildren, Armani Garvin, Jonee' McDonald, Jalen Milton, JaJuan McDonald and Adonte Bouie; great-grandchild, Carter; siblings, Sheila McDonald and Millage "Lee" McDonald; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Mr. McDonald was preceded in death by his parents, Ceasar and Katie McDonald, Sr.; brothers, M.L. McDonald and Ceasar McDonald, Jr.; sisters, Bertha Times and Gladys Perkins; and cousin, Timothy Webb.

# Cemetery Details

## Burial at Perry Mount Park Cemetery

878 North Perry Street  
Pontiac, MI 48340

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 15. 12:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home Pontiac  
268 North Perry Street  
Pontiac, MI 48342  
(248) 758-1913

## Family Hour

MAR 16. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Door of Faith Christian Church  
511 South Sanford Street  
Pontiac, MI

## Funeral Service

MAR 16. 11:00 AM (ET)

Door of Faith Christian Church  
511 South Sanford Street  
Pontiac, MI



# Tribute Wall

JA

“ Jalen lit a candle in memory of John Calvin "Deke" McDonald Sr.



Jalen - May 08, 2025 at 11:59 PM

Dee Brown

“ Dee Brown lit a candle in memory of John Calvin "Deke" McDonald Sr.



Dee Brown - March 26, 2024 at 01:35 AM

AW

“ Alvina Williams sent a virtual gift in memory of John Calvin "Deke" McDonald Sr.



Alvina Williams - March 09, 2024 at 01:23 PM

AH

“ Adele Hopkins lit a candle in memory of John Calvin "Deke" McDonald Sr.



Adele Hopkins - March 07, 2024 at 09:57 PM

BR

“ Beverly Walker Rollins lit a candle in memory of John Calvin "Deke" McDonald Sr.



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**Beverly Walker Rollins** - March 07, 2024 at 07:36 PM

BF

“ Brenda White And White Family lit a candle in memory of John Calvin "Deke" McDonald Sr.



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**Brenda White and white family** - March 07, 2024 at 10:51 AM

JJ

“ Jeff J. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John Calvin "Deke" McDonald Sr..

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**Jeff J.** - March 06, 2024 at 07:39 PM

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“ To the family,  
Praying for you all and thanking God for the life and love John shared with us. He will be missed but never forgotten.

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**Fern Dowell** - March 06, 2024 at 06:43 PM