



Linell "Rell" "Rennie" Derrickson Sr.

August 26, 1952 - October 23, 2013

Derrickson, Mr. Linell Sr. "Rell" "Rennie" - Age 62, passed away Wednesday October 23, 2013 at William Beaumont Hospital Royal Oak. Family hour 10:30AM Friday, November 1, 2013 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 268 N. Perry St., with funeral service commencing immediately at 11:00AM. Pastor Gary Pumphrey, officiating. Rev. Letha McCray, Eulogist. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the funeral home 10:30AM Friday. Mr. Derrickson will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, and may be viewed from 1PM-8PM Thursday.

Linell Harley Derrickson was born August 26, 1952 in Detroit, Michigan the son of the late Lallie and Stanley H. Derrickson. Linell attended Southeastern High and he later sang professionally in Detroit and Canada. His favorite group was the Temptations. Linell moved to Pontiac, Michigan in 1975, where he met and later wed Nena Stephenson.

Although he worked several jobs, his favorite one was for Pontiac Cabs, where he was known as "Poppa D". In July of 1980, Linell joined Universal Hagar's Spiritual Church Temple #6, under the pastorship of Rev. Jean Hollis. He was a graduate of Hagar's School of Wisdom, a member of K.A.S.E., Deacons Board, Temple Father and the van ministry. Linell fathered nine children; twenty-six grandchildren; and seventeen great-grandchildren.

Mr. Derrickson leaves to cherish his memory children, Uganda Hughes of Detroit, MI; Nate Stephenson, Shinell Derrickson, Lennetta Ferguson all of Pontiac, MI; Linell Derrickson, Jr of South Carolina and Anthony Therrien of Lansing, MI; brothers, Alvin (Yvonne) Derrickson and Stanley G. Derrickson both of Detroit, MI; ex-wife, Nena Derrickson; cherished friends, Cheryl Morway and Joan Villamore; godson, J. J. Morway; favorite niece, Marcella Montgomery of Detroit, MI as well as numerous foster kids, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, church family and friends.

Mr. Derrickson, Sr. was preceded in death by his parents, Lallie and Stanley H. Derrickson; sons, Linell Hughes, Jermaine and Dion Barber; sisters, Helen and Angel Derrickson and grandchildren, Sharmaine Barber and Linell Hughes.

Cemetery Details

Perry Mount Park Cemetery

878 N. Perry St.
Pontiac, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 31. 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Service

NOV 1. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Derrickson Family,
I am so very sorry to hear of the loss of your loved one. Please accept our sincere condolences. Know that God make no mistakes. May you gain strength knowing that others are there for you, You may endureth for a night, but know that joy comes in the morning. May God continue to strengthen and keep you.

Mitchell Family

Brenda Bryant - November 01, 2013 at 09:03 AM

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“ Dear Derrickson Family and Friends,
I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your dear loved one. Please accept my sincere condolences. I too have lost several loved ones in death, and the pain is tremendous, even with the passage of time. Thankfully, I have found relief in knowing that "The Most High God" is the "Hearer of Prayer", and a source of tremendous comfort in times of grief and distress according to Psalms 83:18, and Psalms 65:2. Please be assured , death will soon be "swallowed up forever" and we will have the opportunity to see our dead loved ones again, as promised at John 5:28.29 and Isaiah 25:8. My family and I wish you and yours peace.

Lisa - October 26, 2013 at 09:15 AM