



Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser

February 27, 1942 - August 8, 2016

KAISER, Mr. Robert Cecil "Bob" - Age - 74, passed away Monday August 8, 2016 at his residence. Family hour 10:00AM Saturday, August 20, 2016 at Door Of Faith Christian Church

511 S Sanford Street., with funeral service commencing immediately at 11AM. Pastor Earl O. Crump, officiating. Interment Great Lakes National Cemetery, 4200 North Belford Rd. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the church 10:00AM Saturday. Mr. Kaiser will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 268 N. Perry St., and may be viewed from 1:00PM - 8:00PM on Friday. The family will be present at the funeral home to receive friends from 6:00PM-8:00PM.

Mr. Robert Cecil "Bobby" Kaiser was born in Pontiac, Michigan on February 27, 1942 to the union of the late Cecil Kaiser and Bernice Cole Onque. Bobby was called home to be with the Lord on August 8, 2016.

Mr. Kaiser was a graduate of Pontiac Central High School in 1960. He attended Flint Junior College and enlisting and serving in the United States Army, and later being honorably discharged. After serving his country proudly, Robert sought employment with General Motors Corporation and would remain there with twenty-seven and half years of service and retiring in 1992.

Mr. Kaiser was a counselor for the Urban League and later worked as a

mentor for various after school programs. Robert mentored children and young adults throughout the City of Pontiac, this was his life's passion. His mentoring and coaching stretched far and wide in various youth sports such as: basketball, track and field, wrestling and football. He will be best remembered for his legendary teams and his apparel. Bob had great fondness and mentoring to some noted future prize fighters too include one being heavyweight champion of the world; and future NBA Legends.

Mr. Kaiser had a great love for Jazz and ultimately became the director and leader of the jazzband, Sunship Band. Bob's life was portrait of service and a legacy which will endure the passage of time. He was a dynamic man who was loved by all who met him. He will be greatly missed.

Mr. Kaiser leaves to cherish his memory: ex-wife, Percie Kaiser; children, Brian Graves (Marnie Hollis), Nevalyn (Anthony) Berrios, Marcus Taylor, Robin (Tommy) Williams, Robert Cato (Janell Bradley), Robert M. Kaiser, Cicely (Danane) Kaiser-Lee; grandchildren, Talia, James, Julian, Brian Jr., Demi, Tommy Jr., Breona, Imani, Dalen, Jayson, Halaya, Cianna, Robert Jr., Nya; siblings, Beatrice (Felix) Brooks, Tyrone Kaiser, Diane Burgess, Irvin Speaks Eugene Grainger and Diane Randolph; and a host of other numerous relatives and friends.

Mr. Kaiser was preceded in death by his parents, Cecil Kaiser and Bernice Onque; sister Halaya Kaiser.

Cemetery Details

Great Lakes National Cemetery

G-4200 Belford Rd.
Holly, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 19. 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home Pontiac
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Pontiac, MI 48342
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Family Hour

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

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

Funeral Service

AUG **20**. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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

Tribute Wall

RW

“ *Robin White lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser*



Robin White - August 19, 2016 at 08:24 PM

RW

“ *The steps of a good man are ordered by the Lord: and he delighteth in his way. To the Kaiser Family, I express my sincere condolences to you and your extended family and everyone Bobby touched, coached and mentored. He was truly a loving and caring man. He sacrificed much which is a characteristic of a true leader. He was truly loved and his influence will continue to live on.*

Robin White - August 19, 2016 at 08:20 PM

JH

“ *Joseph Hurner lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser*



Joseph Hurner - August 19, 2016 at 07:34 PM

JG

“ To the Kaiser, Brooks family thank you so much for allowing so many to share his life. Mr. Kaiser was a GREAT MENTOR for my son when he was in school. To the entire family he will be missed by many.

Ms. Janiece M. Gage , and Family

Janiece M. Gage - August 19, 2016 at 11:09 AM



NF

“ Naylor Family lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser

Naylor Family - August 17, 2016 at 10:59 AM



QS

“ Quincy Smith lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser

Quincy Smith - August 17, 2016 at 10:44 AM



VF

“ Vivian Fisher lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser

Vivian Fisher - August 16, 2016 at 05:14 PM



VF

Thank you Bobby for impacting the lives of young people and earnestly hundreds of families throughout the city of Pontiac...your legacy is greatly appreciated, your heart immeasurable and person bigger than can ever be imagined....love ya

Vivian Fisher - August 16, 2016 at 05:17 PM

JH

My Condolences to the Kaiser Family. Rest In Peace Coach Kaiser... Love Ya

Janelle Hirsch - August 16, 2016 at 06:33 PM

TW

“ RIP Bob



Tyron Williams - August 16, 2016 at 03:45 PM

CD

“ *From Fred & Cassandra Daniels and family. A wonderful man, supportive loved one of Pontiac. Your legacy lives on in many of us. God bless the Kaiser and Brooks family. Love u all god bless*



Cassandra Daniels - August 16, 2016 at 11:44 AM

GW

“ *My first year in Pontiac, I met Bobby at the Holland Center. We were basketball rivals for years to come. Bobby was a father figure to a lot of kids, at times he superseded what a biological should have been. RIP Truly, Gerald L. Williams*

Gerald L. Williams - August 16, 2016 at 09:23 AM

GC

“ Well done coach. Rest in peace. My condolences to the family.

Grayson Cardinell - August 16, 2016 at 12:13 AM

QS

“ Thanks for all you did not just for me but Pontiac as a whole GOD TRULY BLESSED US WITH A ANGEL WHO WALKED THE EARTH



Quincy Smith - August 15, 2016 at 09:27 PM

DJ

“ Deanna "mookie" (dixon) Johnson lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser



Deanna "mookie" (dixon) Johnson - August 15, 2016 at 08:19 PM

VC

“ Sending my condolences to the family. Bobby will be truly missed, He has changed so many people lives. In the 60's/70's Bob would work with the kids in the neighborhood. He would take us on trips, horse back riding, canoeing etc , and made sure we had a plenty to do in the summer and after school. The only way to describe him is the greatest mentor that there was, You will be truly missed Bobby. R.I.P.



Valerie Rogers Curtis - August 15, 2016 at 10:49 AM

SS

“ Robert "Bob" Kasier
There are many words, phrases, and visual
emotions that will stay with us all.
EMBOLDENED



R- revered
O- opulent
B- brave
E- effortless
T- tenacious

Thank you, Bob
Luv Beany

Sabrina R Sanford - August 15, 2016 at 07:13 AM

LD

“ LauritaWashington And DeRonn sent a virtual
gift in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser



LauritaWashington and DeRonn - August 14, 2016 at 11:41 PM

LA

“ LauritaWashington sent a virtual gift in memory
of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser



LauritaWashington - August 14, 2016 at 11:29 PM

PL

“ Patricia Lance lit a candle in memory of
Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser



Patricia Lance - August 14, 2016 at 08:14 PM

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Patricia Lance - August 14, 2016 at 08:12 PM

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Patricia Lance - August 14, 2016 at 08:10 PM



“ *Margo Walker-Daniels lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser*



Margo Walker-Daniels - August 14, 2016 at 07:01 PM



Condolences From The Hill And Walker Families

Margo Walker-Daniels - August 14, 2016 at 07:02 PM

OM

“ *Condolences for the family.*



Odessa Moore - August 14, 2016 at 05:56 PM



“ *Regina Walker lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser*



Regina Walker - August 14, 2016 at 08:16 AM

PB

“ I remember going to open gym at Jefferson when I was younger & wanting to be a employee. I was there with friends almost everyday it was a fun & family oriented type of environment. Once I became of age to work that was my first place of employment . Uncle Bob was my first supervisor. I have endless memories as i sit back thinking of him. I can honestly say that Bob was most definitely a great man to the youth. May you rest in peace, you will truly be missed. Love you always .

Princess Brooks - August 13, 2016 at 09:50 PM

AM

“ We are sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with the Brooks and Kaiser families.
The Moss Family- Alma, Milton, Richard and "Tee Tee"

Alma Moss - August 13, 2016 at 07:25 PM

LM

And from Lorraine and Loretta Rodgers we will truly miss you.R ,I P we'll miss you.

Lorraine Morgan - August 15, 2016 at 08:55 PM

CH

“ Bobby was my wrestling coach at Jefferson jr High School for 2 years, leading me to the championship both years, and sharing one of my greatest accomplishments, defeating the 3 undefeated city champion. He shed a tear. And now I shed a tear, Thanks for the memories, and may God bless your family. Clark Harris

clark harris - August 13, 2016 at 01:19 PM

LR

“ I played football for him for 5 years, I tried to run track for him, worked with him for many years at Pontiac Central as well as worked for him for 3 years. I coached basketball in his summer league at Jefferson. At the tender age of 9, he begin to teach me as he did so many. I was so proud to have had this man in my life, because he was so instrumental helping me become the man I am today. His house was always open, he always answered his phone; if you needed it, he would help you get it and would get out of his bed at any hours.

Larry Redmond - August 12, 2016 at 08:34 PM

JJ

“ Mr. Kaiser was my coach and mentor. He took me and my teammates in 1983 from prestigious Pontiac, Michigan on a road trip throughout several states to play basketball before AAU was even a afterthought to allow us to mature and gel with one another. That small act of kindness changed my life forever. I remember it like it was yesterday. He was small in stature but BIG in heart & had so much love for his community. Job well done. Much love Coach Kaiser #PontiacStrong

Jeffrey James - August 12, 2016 at 05:20 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser.



August 12, 2016 at 02:30 PM

MH

“ Still can't believe Bobby gone but he lived a good life an Bobby a "Legend " here. I no God has a plan for our love one oyr Legend rest in peace. U have gotten ur Wings.



Miss.M Hurner - August 12, 2016 at 09:40 AM

HB

“ To my Uncle bob there will never be another tireless warrior like yourself for your countless hours of mentoring and life altering advice I salute you. About 10yrs ago you told me if I make it back from Iraq to stay in the military and finish your obligation so to you I thank you i took that advice and it paid off love you Uncle Bob and you truly will be missed Hank Brooks Fayetteville North Carolina.



hank brooks - August 11, 2016 at 07:30 PM

M(

Bob will forever be remembered as a mentor and father figure for many wayward children in Pontiac but especially the Southside. I will never forget those pep talks and calls to end the violence....rest easy Mr Kaiser job will done

Marshay Jackson (Hopie) - August 12, 2016 at 11:43 AM

CH

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Callie Douglas Holloway - August 11, 2016 at 05:20 PM

CD

Basketball Second Team - Jefferson Jr. High, 1956

Callie Douglas - August 11, 2016 at 05:23 PM

CH

“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Callie Douglas Holloway - August 11, 2016 at 05:19 PM

CD

Mrs. Conroy's Homeroom - 8B3 - 1956

Callie Douglas - August 11, 2016 at 05:24 PM



“ *Jacqueline Knight sent a virtual gift in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser*



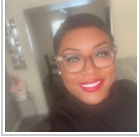
Jacqueline Knight - August 11, 2016 at 03:33 PM

TC

“ *There are no words to convey how I felt about Bobby. I am praying for the family and the rest of our community. His legacy will continue and we will pass the torch to the generation behind us to ensure it continues*



Terri Covington - August 11, 2016 at 01:04 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you all during this time.*
Meika & Laila



Meika Cole - August 11, 2016 at 12:40 PM



“ *JDenisejustbecuz Tillman lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser*



JDenisejustbecuz Tillman - August 11, 2016 at 12:21 PM



“ *Terri Sullivan lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser*



Terri Sullivan - August 11, 2016 at 11:57 AM



“ *So very sorry for your loss. The community has loss a warrior. God bless and keep you all.*
Love Dianthia Spann

Dianthia Spann - August 11, 2016 at 11:49 AM

AB

“ *Anitrise Bell lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser*



Anitrise Bell - August 11, 2016 at 11:44 AM

JJ

“ *John&Amelia Jones sent a virtual gift in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser*



John&Amelia Jones - August 11, 2016 at 11:43 AM

KC

“ *Kerry Carroll lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser*



Kerry Carroll - August 11, 2016 at 11:21 AM

MH

“ *Miss.M Hurner sent a virtual gift in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser*



Miss.M Hurner - August 11, 2016 at 08:12 AM

HP

Hadn't been in Pontiac long thirty years, but always kept hearing about Bobby Kaiser. I knew he had to be special to the community because everyone seemed to know of his good works especially as it relates to the young people. Great job Bobby and you will be richly blessed in heaven as you were a blessing to many here on earth. God bless you! The Proby family.

Herman Proby - August 11, 2016 at 03:19 PM

KA

“Many say that love makes the world go around, but remeber money greases the wheel” Bobby Kaiser. Had many sayings that will always be with me! Loved you Coach

Kahn - August 11, 2016 at 08:09 AM

CR

“ Please forgive me for interrupting as I was only a child there in the 70s ... Thus I knew the Coach for a short season ... But I remember the Man who gave all boys the opportunity play even ones like me with no skill except embarrassment

christopher (ben) raczka - August 11, 2016 at 06:44 AM

HF

Sorry to learn about the lost of Mr.Bobbie Kiser (Coach).May God BlessThe family. Howard Chambers&Family.

Howard Chambers and Family - August 11, 2016 at 09:33 AM

MM

“ Marsha Milton lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser



Marsha Milton - August 11, 2016 at 06:06 AM

LG

“ *Linda Grandberry sent a virtual gift in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser*



Linda Grandberry - August 11, 2016 at 05:57 AM

LG

“ *Linda Grandberry lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser*



Linda Grandberry - August 11, 2016 at 05:53 AM

SB

“ *Words can never convey how I feel about my uncle Bobby. I am blessed that I was able to spend time with him over the past year. The last thing he said to me was I will see you next time pretty girl, not knowing it was going to be our last encounter. Please continue to pray for my Kaiser/Brooks families.*



Sue Brooks-Searcy - August 11, 2016 at 05:25 AM

CB

“ *Cleon Brown lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser*



Cleon Brown - August 11, 2016 at 03:58 AM

TL

“ *Tammie Long lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser*



Tammie Long - August 10, 2016 at 11:24 PM

RB

“ *RHONDA "BIG-GIRL" BURROWS lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser*



RHONDA "BIG-GIRL" BURROWS - August 10, 2016 at 08:18 PM

LW

“ *Larry & Stephanie Webb lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser*



Larry & Stephanie Webb - August 10, 2016 at 06:51 PM

NM

“ *Nancy McGee lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser*



Nancy McGee - August 10, 2016 at 06:20 PM

DH

“ Dorothy Herron lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser



Dorothy Herron - August 10, 2016 at 06:15 PM

AH

“ Angela Hunt lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser



Angela Hunt - August 10, 2016 at 05:47 PM

JS

“ Janice Stewart lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser



Janice Stewart - August 10, 2016 at 02:34 PM

AH

“ A.M Hooks lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser



A.M Hooks - August 10, 2016 at 01:25 PM

JJ

“ *John&Amelia Jones sent a virtual gift in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser*



John&Amelia Jones - August 10, 2016 at 11:56 AM

SM

“ *Shirley Mason-Cooper sent a virtual gift in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser*



Shirley Mason-Cooper - August 10, 2016 at 11:54 AM

SB

“ *Serita Bell lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser*



Serita Bell - August 10, 2016 at 11:25 AM

MM

“ *Martha Magee lit a candle in memory of Robert Cecil "Bob" Kaiser*



Martha Magee - August 10, 2016 at 10:11 AM