



Ronnie Calvin Waters

November 19, 1962 - December 14, 2025

WATERS, Mr. Ronnie - age 63, passed away Sunday, December 14, 2025 in West Bloomfield, Michigan. Family hour 10:30AM Saturday, December 27, 2025 The Crofoot, 1 South Saginaw Street, Pontiac, Michigan 48342, with the memorial service commencing immediately at 11:00AM. Pastor Jamal Tyson-Bey and Minister David Scruggs, officiants. Friends and family will assemble 10:30AM at The Crofoot Saturday. There will be no public visitation.

Mr. Waters leaves to cherish his memory: his wife, Felecia Tyson-Waters; children, Malik Waters and Aliyah Tyson; siblings, Delores (Michael) Green, William (Dana) Waters, III, Teresa Scruggs and Rodney Waters; father-in-law, Lloyd Tyson, Sr. and his surviving family members; and a host of other relatives and friends, including his special friends, Alton Dillon and Darryl Woods, Sr.

Mr. Waters was preceded in death by his parents, William and Ollie Waters, II; and sister, Daphne Waters.

Previous Events

Family Hour

DEC 27. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

The Crofoot
1 South Saginaw
Pontiac, MI 48342

Memorial Service

DEC 27. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Pontiac, MI 48342

Tribute Wall

TB

“ *Those who touch our lives, stay in our hearts forever.*



Terrance B Bryant - December 27, 2025 at 09:55 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ronnie Calvin Waters.*



December 26, 2025 at 11:53 AM

RS

“ *Raymond E. Wiggins Sr. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Ronnie Calvin Waters.*

Raymond E. Wiggins Sr. - December 26, 2025 at 11:53 AM

EM

“ *My brother in christ, we shared scripture every morning for the last four years.
now your with the father.
love you bro.*



Elder Gary Mcknight - December 24, 2025 at 06:22 PM

CS

“ *Congresswoman Haley Stevens purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Ronnie Calvin Waters.*



Congresswoman Haley Stevens - December 23, 2025 at 02:07 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ronnie Calvin Waters.*



December 22, 2025 at 08:58 AM

CC

“ *So sorry for your loss. Praying for the family.*



Charnita Croskey - December 21, 2025 at 06:51 PM

AS

“ *A. Renee Seay lit a candle in memory of Ronnie Calvin Waters*



A. Renee Seay - December 21, 2025 at 01:39 PM

LD

“ Felicia you.. and your familys are in my prayers .. Ronnie thank u for helping my Brother,come hm.. May u RIP



Lisa D Douglas - December 21, 2025 at 11:04 AM

TR

“ Deepest condolences and sympathy regarding the lost of ur dearest Ronnie, Felicia my heart goes out to u and Teresa, Felicia the last time I seen u was at my cousin Alton birthday party and I set with u and Teresa and ur husband and u all were so nice to me and Ronnie was telling me u can have what ever is on the table just being a class act. May God Bless Ronnie SOUL ALWAYS AMENNNNN.....



Tracey - December 19, 2025 at 05:14 PM

KS

“ Kenneth Seay lit a candle in memory of Ronnie Calvin Waters



Kenneth Seay - December 19, 2025 at 01:01 PM

JS

“ *Janice Stewart lit a candle in memory of Ronnie Calvin Waters*



Janice Stewart - December 19, 2025 at 10:58 AM

MH

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Melanie Hall - December 18, 2025 at 07:06 PM

SW

“ *Sending my condolences to the Waters Family. Ronnie and I were classmates. Had the opportunity to speak with him when he and his wife Felicia visited Montgomery, AL.*

*Sue (Susie) Williams
Montgomery, AL*

Sue Williams - December 18, 2025 at 02:07 PM

SB

“ *To the Waters family. May your heart find comfort & peace. Tony & I walked with you but now Ronnie's journey is resting. Take care & remain strong.*

Sandra Berry - December 18, 2025 at 11:40 AM

LW

“ My condolences goes out to the family
Ronnie was a real brother I'm so hurt I didn't
get a chance to reconnect with him life is so
short we all get caught up in the struggle in
the world we just need to take some time for
our lives and others to appreciate what really matters in life this one
is really hard see you on the other side my brother with our spiritual
internal body



Lance White - December 18, 2025 at 07:03 AM

LF

“ LISA WILLIAMS~ALEXANDER FAMILY sent a
virtual gift in memory of Ronnie Calvin Waters



LISA WILLIAMS~ALEXANDER FAMILY - December 17, 2025 at 04:42 PM

ZF

“ Zola Foster lit a candle in memory of Ronnie
Calvin Waters



Zola Foster - December 17, 2025 at 01:17 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ronnie Calvin Waters.*



December 17, 2025 at 10:50 AM



“ *Safe & Just Michigan had the pleasure of working alongside Ronnie for over the last four years. His dedication to criminal justice reform was evident by his enthusiasm and willingness to discuss critical issues with all people he encountered across the state.*

He was particularly passionate about the men and women currently incarcerated in Michigan and wanted to serve as a vehicle for their voice in this movement. Ronnie used his lived experience to advocate for reforms including JLWOP and Second Look.

Ronnie will be missed but will not be forgotten. He left his mark on criminal justice reform in Michigan. He will always be part of the SJM team.

Sending our love to Felecia and the rest of the family.

Best,

The SJM team



Kate McCracken - December 17, 2025 at 10:41 AM

AS

“ *Ayanna Shaw lit a candle in memory of
Ronnie Calvin Waters*



Ayanna Shaw - December 17, 2025 at 10:36 AM

RJ

“ *Rosie Jordan lit a candle in memory of
Ronnie Calvin Waters*



Rosie Jordan - December 17, 2025 at 09:09 AM

LS

“ *LENETT SEAY lit a candle in memory of
Ronnie Calvin Waters*



LENETT SEAY - December 16, 2025 at 06:27 PM

SI

“ Ronnie and Felicia are lights in the community. I don't think you can express how much hope they emit as they entered spaces together. I pray nothing but peace and power to their entire family during this time.



Simone - December 16, 2025 at 06:27 PM

KR

“ Man, I'm not even believing I'm reading this right now!!! You had so much going for you, so many lives you touched, including mine! We were trying to get together for lunch, but our schedules didn't want to cooperate! I just don't know what to say right now! So sorry we couldn't get together, but apparently your work here is done, and done well! REST NOW, MY BROTHER AND SOLDIER!!! 100

Kenneth ("Mike") Rowls - December 16, 2025 at 05:04 PM