



## Samuel "Sam" Dawkins

September 16, 1943 - May 17, 2026

DAWKINS, Mr. Samuel "Sam" - age 82, passed away, Sunday, May 17, 2026 in Waterford, Michigan. Family hour 10:30 AM, Monday, June 1, 2026 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 268 North Perry Street, with funeral commencing immediately at 11:00AM. Friends and family will assemble 10:30AM at the funeral home Monday. Mr. Dawkins will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home and may be viewed from 8:00AM until the time of service Monday.

Mr. Dawkins leaves to cherish his memory: his children, Semeka Byrd and Diop Dawkins; grandchildren, Ian Brown, Jr., Kennedy Dawkins and Diop Dawkins; sister, Joycstean Dawkins; nephew, Greggory L. Steed; niece, Shalonda Dawkins; and a host of other relatives and friends, including his girlfriend, Brenda McDaniel and special friend, Willie Mae Greenwood.

Mr. Dawkins was preceded in death by his parents, William and Orrie Dawkins; siblings, Hattie Steed, Abraham Dawkins, Nathaniel Dawkins, William Dawkins, Jr., Elijah Dawkins and Thomas Dawkins; niece, Sonya Denise Dawkins; and nephew, Michael Steed.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 1. 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home Pontiac  
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## Funeral Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Samuel "Sam" Dawkins*



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**Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home** - June 01 at 10:15 AM

BO

“ *Brenda Owens... 🌸💖🙏🕊️ lit a candle in memory of Samuel "Sam" Dawkins*



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**Brenda Owens...** 🙏💖🙏🕊️ - June 03 at 12:21 AM

JS

“ *I'm so sorry to hear of Samuel's passing. I saw him right before he went into the hospital. I have been his Pedorthist for about 15 years. I always looked forward to seeing him each year to fit him for his diabetic shoes/inserts as he was so upbeat, happy and loved talking about his family. He will truly be missed!!*

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**Julie Stulberg** - June 01 at 05:05 PM

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“ ANNIE &DON”DR.DRA “SCHULTZ lit a candle in memory of Samuel "Sam" Dawkins



ANNIE &DON”DR.DRA “SCHULTZ - June 01 at 09:47 AM

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ANNIE &DON”DR.DRA “SCHULTZ - June 01 at 09:46 AM

RM

“ Regina Milton lit a candle in memory of Samuel "Sam" Dawkins



Regina Milton - May 26 at 02:15 PM

RB

“ Rhonda Burrows-Sumler lit a candle in memory of Samuel "Sam" Dawkins



Rhonda Burrows-Sumler - May 25 at 01:16 PM

BO

“ *Brenda Owens lit a candle in memory of Samuel "Sam" Dawkins*



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**Brenda Owens** - May 23 at 10:52 AM