



Willie Murray

April 3, 1962 - June 12, 2007

MURRAY, Mr. Willie James-Age 45, passed Tuesday, June 12, 2007 at his residence. Family hour 10AM Friday June 22, 2007 from the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, 268 N. Perry St., with funeral service commencing at 11AM. Pastor Gerald Pruitt officiating. Interment Perry Mount Park Cemetery, 878 N. Perry St. Friends and pallbearers will assemble at the funeral home 10AM Friday. Mr. Murray will lie in state in the Chapel of Lawrence E. Moon Funeral Home, and may be viewed from 5-8PM Thursday.

Mr. Willie James ?Wild Wild? Murray was born April 3, 1962 in Pontiac, Michigan, the son of Hezekiah and Maggie Kent and later adopted by Matilda Murray. Willie was a resident of Pontiac and member of Inspirational Church Of God In Christ. He attended Pontiac Northern High School. He also had a great love for music and could play four different instrument. Everyone knew him for his big smile and sports. He enjoyed bike riding and cars. Mr. Murray passed away June 12, 2007 to be at rest with his heavenly father. He leaves to cherish his memory: one daughter, Yolanda Tiggs; granddaughter, Chyna Draper both of Pontiac; two sisters, Debra Kent and Doris Ross; two brothers, Ricky Taylor and Sellie Kent-Ross of Pontiac; a host of nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, cousins and a host of other relatives and friends including special friend, Dwayne Barrett. Mr. Murray was preceded in death by his parents, Matilda Murray; sister, Mary Jean Taylor; brother, Melvin Woods. The family would like to express special thanks to Inspirational C.O.G..I.C., Ms. Ladora Barber for all of their support.

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“ Sorry to hear this we grew up together. My Dad and Mr. Willie worked together from for years. Willie James and myself together at a time when not many black and white folks run together we never give it a second thought same as Mr. Willie and my Dad no doubt they were best friends as we where. R.I.P. Willie James Thinking of us kicking up our heels when Slim Harpo, Lighting Slim, Lazy Lester first came on the seen. Hard to think that was late 60s good times bro.

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