



Michael Banae Johnson Sr

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Michael Banae Johnson Sr was born to Samuel McMillan I and Artimesia Diann Johnson on January 22, 1972 in Highland Park, MI. Michael was preceded in death by both of his parents, and his two brothers, Daryl Johnson I and Anthony McMillan.

Michael passed away suddenly and unexpectedly on August 31, 2024.

He is survived by his childhood friend and dedicated companion of 32 years, Tashia Marie Carter and (7) children, Damarius Johnson, Cameron Harrell, Kienan Harrell, Trevon Adkins, Michael Johnson Jr., De'Sharrah Johnson and Isaiah Mateo Rodriguez.

He leaves to cherish his memory, 13 grandchildren who absolutely adored him, stepmom, Claudette McMillan, 6 siblings, who loved him dearly, Samuel McMillan II (Janet), Lisa McMillan, Sheila McMillan, Nina Johnson, Luwaisheia Harrell (Keith), and Laurence Robinson, one sister in-law, Carmen Johnson, and a host of nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, cousins and friends. There is also a core group of friends that surrounded Michael throughout his life that will miss him, Creighton Cain, David Hall Jr, Donell Ashley, Johnny Hampton, Mike Mitchell Sr., Quentin Hampton, Ricky Heard and the JHS Class of 91 "Senior Cut Ups."

Affectionately known as PawPaw, Michael had an extra special bond with his grandchildren. He always brought them candy and snacks. Michael's unconditional love and dedication to/for his kids and grandkids was unmatched.

Michael was a beautiful person and he positively impacted many lives. He was fun, outgoing and enjoyed laughing, joking and spending time with family and friends. He was a certified self-made do it yourself-er. It did not matter what it was, he would figure out how to do whatever needed to be done around the house or to a car.



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Michael was blessed and resilient. He worked and retired from Liberty Environmental Landfill after surviving an aortic aneurysm seven years ago.

The Jackson community will remember his infectious smile, his exceptional athletic ability and basketball stories from back in the day, the class clown from school, his calm, cool, collected and respectable demeanor from his church background, his intellectual conversations and advice, how handy he was with cars and lawn care, his jokester personality, his bass booming from his speakers as he drove down the street, his contributions to Jackson's youth as "Coach Johnson," how helpful and willing he was to the community, always just showing up to do whatever people needed him to do, his raw sense of humor and honesty, and more.

May those memories of Michael continue to thrive so one day we can stop the tears and simply smile as we think about how much positive energy was spread when he was with us. Michael will truly be missed. He lived a good life and he loved his family with all that he had. Now he will rest. We will all love and cherish him forever.



Events

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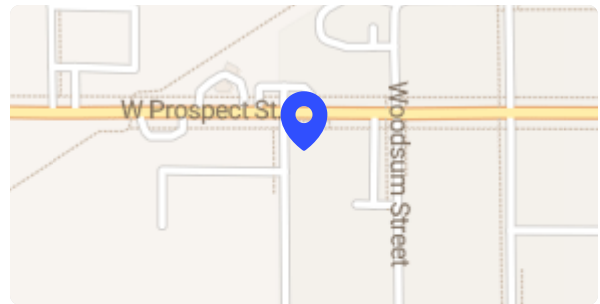
Visitation

Thursday, September 12, 2024

2:00 PM - 8:00 PM Est

**The House of Johnson Funeral Home-
Jackson Chapel**

235 West Prospect Street, Jackson MI 49203



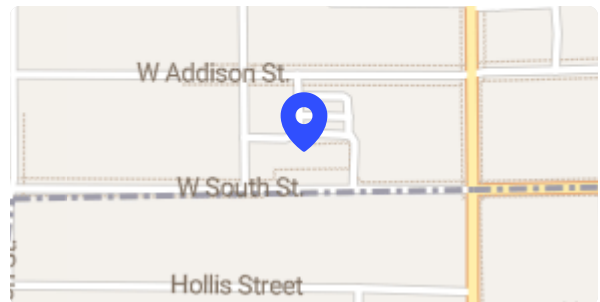
Family Hour

Friday, September 13, 2024

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM Est

Church of God

140 South Street, Jackson MI 49201



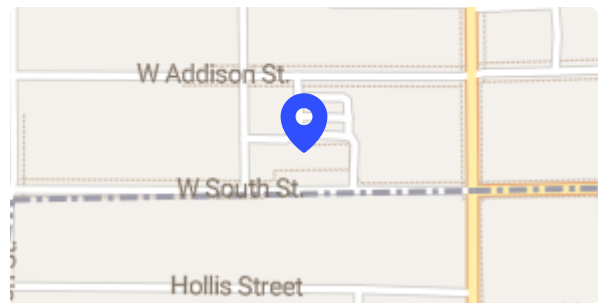
Funeral Service

Friday, September 13, 2024

11:00 AM Est

Church of God

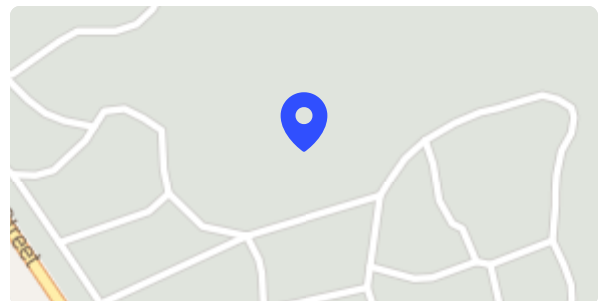
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Cemetery Details

Woodland Cemetery

2615 Francis Street, Jackson MI 49203





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MN

Monya Nace lit a candle in honor of Michael.



September 15 at 10:08 PM

BA

Barbara posted:

To the Family of Michael Johnson:I was so sorry to read of your father's passing. You were blessed with his presence and support through your school years. He was a loyal Viking. May God bless you all, and provide the support and comfort needed in the coming days and weeks.Blessings for all of you.Mrs. Baird-Pauli

September 14 at 3:18 PM

CB

Coach Hobbs And C-Sc Men's Basketball sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the Johnson family.



September 12 at 8:55 AM



Anonymous sent a Full Of Love Bouquet to the Johnson family.



September 12 at 6:43 AM



Anonymous sent a Serene Retreat to the Johnson family.



September 11 at 6:56 PM

CC

Christina Craig posted:

My heart goes out to the family of Michael Johnson. Although, there are no words to ease your sorrow or heal your broken hearts, please know that many prayers are ascending to heaven just for you. Thinking of you in your time of grief now, and in the days to come.

September 11 at 12:58 PM



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Anonymous sent a Strength & Solace Spray to the Johnson family.

September 7 at 1:20 AM



Perrise Stewart planted a Memorial Tree in honor of Michael.

September 7 at 1:20 AM



Anonymous sent a Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet to the Johnson family.

September 6 at 3:07 PM



Larry Johnson posted:

My condolences to the family... RIP Mj. You will be missed old friend...

September 6 at 8:26 AM



Terri Williams lit a candle in honor of Michael.

September 6 at 5:28 AM



Randy Payne lit a candle in honor of Michael.

Man is so hard to believe your gone bro, good man, I still remember playing on 7th gd basketball team and Mike on 8grade team,at parkside.. and him getting moved up to varsity at JHS, man could he ball.. and that laugh and jokes, gone miss you man, my 1st encounter few months ago at SAM's.. rest easy my friend, god bless the family during this sad time..RIH

September 5 at 10:51 PM





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Philip posted:

Hey Micheal love you man. I'm going to miss that silly laugh of your's and that great big smile you had. We had some great talks about basketball,cars,and life. Thanks for being there for me when I need you. Big Micheal you will be truly missed but never forgotten REST EAZY KING. 🙏🙏🙏🙏
🙏 ps thanks for helping me with my jumper 🏀🏀🏀 love Lil Philip

September 5 at 7:13 PM



Daveda Quinn posted:

One of our Tribesmen has passed away and we shall miss him. Thank you for helping me and daughter a couple of weeks ago. Rest in peace Mike.Daveda Quinn and family

September 5 at 4:20 PM



Sis. Teresa Gibson /Family sent a virtual gift in honor of Michael.

To the Entire Family of Michael B. Johnson , it's with heavy hearts that we pause to send to each of you Our Deepest condolences in the sudden passing of your Beloved , for we know that the tears have fallen and we're Praying that the Lord above will grant you the much needed strength and comfort during this most difficult journey. Michael has completed all his assignments here on Earth and we thank God for the many years he allowed Michael to be with you.Family keep the faith and continue to Hold onto God's unchanging Hands, for He will never leave nor forsake you.. As you gather together not to say goodbye, but to Rejoice and celebrate a life well lived, knowing that Michael is now Resting in Peace. In the days and nights to come let the sweet memories of Michael bring a smile to your face and his love joy to your heart which will linger now and forever more. For Love still lives beyond the grave. Blessings and Friendship always.



September 4 at 8:59 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Michael by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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