



Mr. David ("D.B.") Allen Bell

December 8, 1953 - February 21, 2011

David Allen Bell was born in Kalamazoo, MI, on December 8, 1953, to Dorothy T. Bell and London Bell. He was the twelfth of fifteen children in the Bell home. David attended Kalamazoo Central High School and worked many odd jobs including masonry and at a used car dealership in Kalamazoo. He also worked as a laborer in home improvement and carpentry in Detroit, MI. David passed away at the age of 57 after a brief illness at Rose Arbor Hospice on Monday, February 21, 2011. He was preceded in death by his parents: Dorothy and London Bell; and his stepmother, Emma Wilson-Bell. He was also preceded in death by his sisters: Barbara Bell, Shirley Moore, Leota Wyatt and Sharon Bell; and brothers, Harold, Edward and Norman Bell. David is survived by brothers: Leroy, Donald, Leon, and Gilbert Bell all of Kalamazoo, MI; sisters: Florence Ayers and Reva (Walter) Woodard of Kalamazoo, MI; Charlene Abercrombie of Detroit, MI; Fannie Bell of Texas; Ella Bell and Shirley Bell-Wright of Louisiana. David was loved by a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, extended family and friends.

Cemetery Details

Riverside Cemetery

Gull Road
Kalamazoo, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 27. 3:30 PM - 6:30 PM (ET)

Harper Funeral Home, Inc.
521 Douglas Avenue
Kalamazoo, MI 49007
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Visitation

FEB 28. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

The Galilee Baptist Church
1216 North Westnedge Avenue
Kalamazoo, MI 49007

Service

FEB **28**. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Harper Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. David ("D.B.") Allen Bell



Harper Funeral Home - February 21, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Mr. David ("D.B.") Allen Bell

October 23, 2023 at 06:06 AM



“ Mr. David ("D.B.") Allen Bell

October 06, 2023 at 10:42 AM



“ Glenda McKinley lit a candle in memory of Mr. David ("D.B.") Allen Bell



Glenda McKinley - March 08, 2011 at 10:52 AM

DB

“ Donald Ruby Barbee lit a candle in memory of Mr. David ("D.B.") Allen Bell



Donald Ruby Barbee - March 05, 2011 at 07:02 PM

BF

“ Bowden Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. David ("D.B.") Allen Bell



Bowden Family - March 02, 2011 at 12:52 PM

ND

“ Nicole Devers lit a candle in memory of Mr. David ("D.B.") Allen Bell



Nicole Devers - February 28, 2011 at 05:23 PM

DS

“ Denise Sheppard lit a candle in memory of Mr. David ("D.B.") Allen Bell



denise sheppard - February 28, 2011 at 01:30 PM

QK

“ Quintin Knox lit a candle in memory of Mr. David ("D.B.") Allen Bell



Quintin Knox - February 28, 2011 at 12:51 PM

RF

“ Reva Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. David ("D.B.") Allen Bell



Reva Family - February 28, 2011 at 10:54 AM

AB

My Condolences to the Bells Family. ArleneBuchanan&Family

Arlene Buchanan - August 18, 2018 at 09:09 AM

TS

“ Spending summer nights playing tag running from block to block never really knew what team you were on but the fun we had Be at peace my friend and rest in the Lords unchanging hands, you will be so deeply missed Melissa and sisters



The Sisters - February 28, 2011 at 09:32 AM

RW

“ *Roosevelt Weakley lit a candle in memory of Mr. David ("D.B.") Allen Bell*



Roosevelt Weakley - February 28, 2011 at 07:09 AM

LM

“ *LouKisia Matthews lit a candle in memory of Mr. David ("D.B.") Allen Bell*



LouKisia Matthews - February 27, 2011 at 05:28 PM

TF

“ *Our deepest sympathy goes out to the family of Divid Bell we will keep you in ours prayer but keep GOD first*

The Family - February 26, 2011 at 01:05 PM

RW

“ *Our prayers and thoughts are with you during this difficult time. II Corinthians 1:3 He is the God of all comfort.*

RJ Anita Wilkerson - February 25, 2011 at 11:45 AM

JP

“ *"Our thoughts and prayers go out to the family of Mr.David Bell."*

James Barbara Phillips - February 24, 2011 at 06:00 PM

HW

“ *My deepest sympathy and prayers go out to the family of David Bell.
Trust in the Lord
Helen Word*

Helen Word - February 24, 2011 at 10:41 AM

HW

“ *Helen Word lit a candle in memory of Mr.
David ("D.B.") Allen Bell*



Helen Word - February 24, 2011 at 10:38 AM