



Mr. Eric Vaughn Peake

November 8, 1963 - February 1, 2014

Eric Vaughn Peake passed away suddenly February 1, 2014 at Borgess Medical Center. Eric was born November 8, 1963 in Kalamazoo, MI, where he has been a life long resident. Eric attended Kalamazoo Public Schools. He was very athletic and participated in sports.

He was employed at Kalamazoo College for a period of time before his death. He also was employed at the Radisson Hotel in Kalamazoo as a supervisor for 14 years, which he loved dearly.

He was a devoted Husband, Father, Son, Brother, and Friend. He loved life and his family and friends.

Eric was preceded in death by his father, Walter ("Babe") Casey; his grandmother, Marchetta Copley; a brother, Shawn Lamar Peake; his son, Eric Jamel Hoskins and his nephew, Jheryl Cecil Wright.

Cherishing his memories are his loving wife, Sherry Peake; his mother and stepfather, Vivette and Emmett Jones; loving brothers, Quinton (Necole) Peake; Kevin ("Dirty Red") Simmis; one sister, Suwazura Suma Washington; stepsisters and brothers, Telica (Lendale) Exum; Janyth (Rico) Jones; Sabrina Jones; Emmett Jones Jr. ("Butchie"); Efrem Jones and Valoria James; uncles, Paul (Carmen) Peake; Troy Peake Sr.; Wesley (Denise) Peake; and Leroy

Peake; his aunts: great aunt Maggie Ross and Shirley Wheeler; children: Vaughn Eric Peake; Rochelle Vivette Peake; stepchildren, Poobear Williams; Ashley Williams, Demond Williams; 17 great grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews and cousins. Also, special friends, Dave Bynum, Audrey Harris, Kencion Mcpherson, special cousin, Troy Peake Jr. and all four special uncles. Eric was a loving, wonderful man who will be deeply missed and will never be forgotten--ever.

Cemetery Details

Riverside Cemetery

1015 Gull Road
Kalamazoo, MI 49048

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 6. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Harper Funeral Home - Chapel
521 Douglas Avenue
Kalamazoo, MI

Visitation

FEB 7. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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A Service in Loving Memory

FEB 7. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Eric Vaughn Peake*

October 23, 2023 at 06:06 AM



“ *Mr. Eric Vaughn Peake*

October 06, 2023 at 10:42 AM



“ *Crystal Bell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Eric Vaughn Peake*



crystal bell - October 28, 2014 at 02:42 AM



“ *Vera Younger lit a candle in memory of Mr. Eric Vaughn Peake*



Vera Younger - February 19, 2014 at 11:26 PM

RL

“ God bless the family of Eric. My prayers are with you all, to Vivette may God give you comfort, knowing that you will see your loved one again. Absent from the body, but present with the Lord. Love Ramona Lumpkin and George McMillon



Ramona Lumpkin - February 13, 2014 at 12:21 AM

TF

“ Though your heart must hold deep sadness at the loss of the one you loved, may it also hold the blessings of the life you shared and the love that will always be a part of you. The Nabors family

The Nabors family - February 10, 2014 at 01:09 PM

CW

“ To the Peake family, I am sorry for your loss. I went to elementary with Eric and we always got along very well. May God strengthen you all.



Carolyn Walker - February 08, 2014 at 07:09 PM



“ Playing basketball at Rockwell park!

Christopher Thomas - February 08, 2014 at 03:50 PM

RW

“ We send our peace and comfort to the Peake and Casey families. Remembering Eric from the time he was a little boy. R.J. & Anita Wilkerson.

R.J. and Anita Wilkerson - February 08, 2014 at 09:05 AM

EL

“ Evelyn Lewis lit a candle in memory of Mr. Eric Vaughn Peake



Evelyn Lewis - February 07, 2014 at 06:20 PM

DJ

“ Demetra Jackson-Jennings lit a candle in memory of Mr. Eric Vaughn Peake



Demetra Jackson-Jennings - February 07, 2014 at 03:50 PM

PF

“ Patterson Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Eric Vaughn Peake



Patterson Family - February 07, 2014 at 03:13 PM

TK

“ I would like to send my condolences to the Peake Family. I am so very sorry to see him go so soon. RIP. From the Kinsey family.



Tonya Kinsey - February 07, 2014 at 12:49 PM

RR

“ Rhoda (Brown) Robinson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Eric Vaughn Peake



Rhoda (Brown) Robinson - February 07, 2014 at 12:28 PM

KC

“ E-is for everlasting eric lived a everlasting life.
R-is for rejoicing and that we will do is rejoice your memories.
I-incredible he was an incredible husband father son brother and cousin friend.
C-is for caring eric had heart full of compassion Eric was just a big old caring Cougar with that being said Mr. ERIC VAUGHAN PEAKE MY BRO. WILL TRULY BE MISSED R.I.H.O.A.

Kindra Calhoun-Smith - February 07, 2014 at 05:59 AM

KC

“ E-is everlasting .
R-IS fot rejoicing
I-is for
C-is for COOL and that he was Coolllllllll... this doesn't seems real
Eric was like family no I was family he was a friend as well as a brother to me he was a family man he love to have family gatherings at their house we would play cards and just have good old time you are truly going to be missed my brother now you REST IN PEACE TELL SHAWN AND GRANNY AND MY BRO. JR.I SAID HI AND I MISS THEM VERY MUCH . AMEN AMEN...

Kindra Calhoun-Smith - February 07, 2014 at 12:15 AM

TC

“ *Tracy Charleston-Blakes lit a candle in memory of Mr. Eric Vaughn Peake*



Tracy Charleston-Blakes - February 06, 2014 at 07:40 PM

BF

“ *Our family to yours so sorry about Eric's passing, such a wonderful young man inside out knew him most of his and truly loved him. Praying for the family. Frank & Betty Ford*

Betty Ford - February 06, 2014 at 11:53 AM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Mr. Eric Vaughn Peake.*



February 06, 2014 at 08:57 AM

TM

“ *Praying for the family during this difficult time.*

Tamie Moran & Kevin Moran

Tamie Moran - February 06, 2014 at 07:09 AM

VY

“ Vera Younger lit a candle in memory of Mr. Eric Vaughn Peake



Vera Younger - February 05, 2014 at 08:44 PM



“ Man oh Man wut can I say we didnt meet until jr. High i went to my first concert with u.U r the Coolest Person Ive known.Man this is still hard to take.I have So much respect for u that besides my Mom ur the First Person Ill always come see when Im home.Im gonna miss ur smooth talkn im gonna miss ur advice IM JUST GONNA MISS U BIG CUZZO.LUV ROBERT CASEY n Family

Bob Cousy - February 05, 2014 at 04:31 PM

LJ

“ Cuz was always so loving and the koolest person you ever knew....evtime he seen me he always said what counts, "I love you cuz." This is a tough pill to swallow.....R.est I.n H.eaven family now you are wit ur Big Bro and Gramz and the rest our loved ones. Im going to miss you.
LaToya

LaToya Jones - February 05, 2014 at 07:15 AM

AB

“ Arlene Buchanan lit a candle in memory of Mr. Eric Vaughn Peake



arlene Buchanan - February 04, 2014 at 11:11 PM

KH

Sorry for your loss may god be with you all during this trying time.

Kim Hopkins - February 05, 2014 at 10:07 AM

RB

“ *My prayers are with you. Know that God will see you through this very difficult time.*

Rhonda Baker-Smith



Rhonda Baker-Smith - February 04, 2014 at 04:33 PM