



Mr. Harold C. Palms

November 3, 1944 - September 23, 2017

Mr. Harold Commadore Palms went home to be with the Lord on September 23, 2017. He was born November 3, 1944 the son of Norman and Virgie L. Palm in Kalamazoo, MI. He attended Kalamazoo Public Schools graduating and receiving his diploma in 1964. After high school, he went on to join the United States Army, where he served his country for 6 years. After he was Honorably Discharges, he went to work for Kalamazoo Public Schools, until he retired in 2012. He later was hired by Pfizer Corporation and worked there until he became ill.

He accepted the Lord in his life at a young age while attending Mt. Zion Baptist Church. Later in life he became a member of Galilee Baptist Church.

Harry enjoyed long walks with his wife, washing and waxing his car, and going fishing with his brother, Monte. He also enjoyed football, especially the Michigan Wolverines and the Detroit Lions, who were both his favorite teams.

He is preceded in death by his parents; and his brothers Keith and William Palm.

Surviving are his loving wife of 21 years, Dorothy; brothers, Tommie (Nan); Monte (Carrie) all of Kalamazoo; Norman Jr, Eddie Sr., Charles and Evert all of Chicago, IL; sisters, Tina (Jerry), Trudy (Jeff) all of Kalamazoo; Sherie (Carl) of Maryland; Doretha (Mike) and Evie all of Chicago, IL; sons, Damian (Jannell), Jacob (Kim), and Michael (Kesha); daughter, Judy (Gregory); one aunt, Jewel Carr; numerous grandchildren, nieces and nephews; sister-in-laws, Shirley Palm, Mona Palm, Lily Corner, Rosie Jimmerson, Danielle Dyson and Tammy Eason; brother-in-law, Chester Grays; mother of his children, Rita Palms; and special friends, Jim Rice and Dan Schedel.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 7. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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

A Memorial Service In Loving Memory Of

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Tribute Wall



“ Harper Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms



Harper Funeral Home - October 06, 2017 at 09:36 PM



“ Mr. Harold C. Palms

October 23, 2023 at 06:06 AM



“ Mr. Harold C. Palms

October 06, 2023 at 10:42 AM



“ Phillips Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms



Phillips Family - October 07, 2017 at 12:27 PM



“ Harold was a good man with a big heart and was always smiling. While working with him @ Pfizer he was a friend to all and seemed to have a way of making people feel good by cracking a joke or taking a joke by others. He will always be remembered by us here in building 38 as a man with great integrity and a warm smile.

Greg Daggett - October 06, 2017 at 01:26 PM

TF

“ *The Walker Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



The Walker Family - October 05, 2017 at 08:38 PM

EF

“ *Earline Fields And Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



Earline Fields and Family - October 05, 2017 at 10:51 AM

JV

“ *Janie Varnesdeel lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



Janie Varnesdeel - October 05, 2017 at 08:13 AM

MR

“ *Modean Reeves lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



Modean Reeves - October 03, 2017 at 11:33 PM

DA

“ *Condolences to the Palm family. My sisters and I spent a lot of time at the Palm's home on Krom making sugar sandwiches creating lasting memories. GOD bless and keep the family strong. Love to you all. Deborah Perry Taylor.*

Deborah Perry Taylor, Los Angeles - October 03, 2017 at 10:28 PM

MW

“ *Minister Flora Walker sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



Minister Flora Walker - October 03, 2017 at 08:41 PM

CP

“ *Cindy Phillips lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



cindy phillips - October 03, 2017 at 12:24 PM

JT

“ *Jessica & Tidy lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



Jessica & Tidy - October 01, 2017 at 01:25 PM

AR

“ *Abdul-R Rashid lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



Abdul-R Rashid - October 01, 2017 at 10:42 AM

MF

“ *Modean Tubbs Reeves / Jerry Tubbs & Fam lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



Modean Tubbs Reeves / Jerry Tubbs & fam - September 30, 2017 at 01:15 PM

MT

Our prayers are with you and your family.

Modean Tubbs Reeves / Jerry Tubbs - September 30, 2017 at 01:17 PM

Jacqueline Woodard

My Prayers are with you all that God continue to comfort and strengthen your all for this journey. love you all.

Jacqueline Woodard - October 03, 2017 at 12:27 PM

DB

“ *Dallas Blocker And Jeffra Bell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



Dallas Blocker and Jeffra Bell - September 30, 2017 at 07:51 AM

KD

“ *Kevin Dunigan lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



Kevin Dunigan - September 29, 2017 at 05:31 PM

DC

“ *Darlene Correll lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



Darlene Correll - September 29, 2017 at 02:51 PM

SE

“ *Sherry Coffey Ezell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



sherry coffey ezell - September 29, 2017 at 10:10 AM

SE

remembering all the fun times our family had with the Palms back in the day RIH Harry

sherry coffey ezell - September 29, 2017 at 10:11 AM

GS

“ *Gwendolyn Smith lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



Gwendolyn Smith - September 28, 2017 at 11:27 AM

FF

“ *Frank And Betty Ford lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



Frank and Betty Ford - September 28, 2017 at 09:39 AM

DS

“ *Harold was a special man whose smile and laughter was always uplifting. I've never seen such a conscious hard working man as Harold and the day he no longer could work at Pfizer, he was truly missed by all. My thoughts and prays go out to Dorothy and family during this tough time. Don Schiedel*

Don Schiedel - September 28, 2017 at 07:35 AM

EF

“ *Earline Fields And Family sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



Earline Fields and Family - September 27, 2017 at 06:51 PM

RW

“ *R. J. & Anita Wilkerson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



R. J. & Anita Wilkerson - September 27, 2017 at 04:59 PM

MV

“ *Ms. Varnesdeel lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



Ms. Varnesdeel - September 27, 2017 at 04:11 PM

EM

“ *Evert & Lee Mitchell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



Evert & Lee Mitchell - September 27, 2017 at 03:56 PM

KD

“ *Kevin Dunigan lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



Kevin Dunigan - September 27, 2017 at 02:55 PM

CG

“ *Cordell/Brenda Gardner lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



Cordell/Brenda Gardner - September 27, 2017 at 11:36 AM

GS

“ *Gwendolyn Smith lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



Gwendolyn Smith - September 26, 2017 at 10:40 PM

PA

“ Pamela Ampey-Lyles sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms



Pamela Ampey-Lyles - September 26, 2017 at 08:03 PM

PL

“ Pamela Lyles sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms



Pamela Lyles - September 26, 2017 at 08:02 PM

TH

“ Hello!

I had the pleasure of working with Harold for several years at Pfizer. He was held in high regard by those who knew him, for his work ethic, the way he treated everyone and for his sense of humor which was awesome:) He is missed but will never be forgotten. Rest in peace friend. Dear Lord, please bring peace and serenity to Harold's family and friends.

*Sincerely,
Tom Hazard*

Tom Hazard - September 26, 2017 at 07:18 PM

PF

“ PATTERSON FAMILY lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms



PATTERSON FAMILY - September 26, 2017 at 03:42 PM

AS

“ Alma Snell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms



Alma Snell - September 26, 2017 at 03:20 PM

MJ

“ Mary Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms



Mary Johnson - September 26, 2017 at 03:12 PM

HB

“ Hal&Janet Buchanan lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms



Hal&Janet Buchanan - September 26, 2017 at 02:33 PM

CB

“ Carrie Baker lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms



Carrie Baker - September 25, 2017 at 10:24 PM

PG

“ Pauline Gardner lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms



Pauline Gardner - September 25, 2017 at 08:23 PM

MV

“ *Mignon Vincent lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



Mignon Vincent - September 25, 2017 at 07:40 PM

CG

“ *Our Condolences go out to the family,*

Cordell/Brenda Gardner - September 25, 2017 at 07:34 PM

JD

“ *JoAnn Dixon lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



JoAnn Dixon - September 25, 2017 at 06:56 PM

HB

“ *Helen (Mills) Brooks lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



Helen (Mills) Brooks - September 25, 2017 at 06:25 PM

DF

“ *Dallas Boards And Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Harold C. Palms*



Dallas Boards and family - September 25, 2017 at 06:09 PM