



## Mr. Joseph Averon Campbell

May 4, 1959 - September 15, 2017

Joseph Averon Campbell was born May 4, 1959 in Jamestown, New York to Maylene and Joseph Campbell. As a small child, Joseph relocated to Kalamazoo, Michigan where he attended school and later graduated from Loy Norrix High School.

After a long battle with cancer, Averon retired his gloves and on September 15, 2017 he departed this life to begin his new journey. In his days of good health, Averon loved fishing, cooking, and spending time with family and friends...

He was preceded in death by his two sisters, Shari Shegog and Janis Campbell; and both his paternal and maternal grandparents.

He leaves to carry on his legacy and cherish his memory: a son Kareen Thomas of Kalamazoo, MI; a daughter, Tasha Jolley of Murfreesboro, TN; two granddaughters, Kartaysha and Khari Thomas; one great granddaughter, KamyI all of Kalamazoo, Michigan; his loving and devoted parents, Maylene and Joseph Campbell; his sister, Versi (Charles) Hines and brother Darryl Campbell all of Kalamazoo; His great aunt Lois Avery of Detroit, MI; two nieces, Chy'lon Hines of Georgia, and Erika Campbell of Kalamazoo; two nephews, Calvin Campbell and Joseph Hines both of Kalamazoo and a godson, Eddie Boyd Jr; Also, a host of aunts, uncles, cousins and good

friends.

His loving spirit and smooth punch lines will truly be missed.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **25.** 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Harper Funeral Home - Chapel  
521 Douglas Avenue  
Kalamazoo, MI

## Family Hour

SEP **26.** 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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

## A Service in Loving Memory

SEP **26.** 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Joseph Averon Campbell*

October 23, 2023 at 06:06 AM



“ *Mr. Joseph Averon Campbell*

October 06, 2023 at 10:42 AM



“ *Edna White & Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joseph Averon Campbell*



**Edna white & Family** - October 24, 2017 at 04:42 PM



“ *Athalia Simpson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joseph Averon Campbell*



**Athalia Simpson** - September 27, 2017 at 01:57 PM

BM

“ *Bart And Keyonna Marshall sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Joseph Averon Campbell*



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**Bart and Keyonna Marshall** - September 27, 2017 at 06:43 AM

HB

“ *Hal & Janet Buchanan lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joseph Averon Campbell*



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**Hal & Janet Buchanan** - September 26, 2017 at 02:30 PM

DF

“ *Dallas Boards And Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joseph Averon Campbell*



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**Dallas Boards and family** - September 25, 2017 at 06:10 PM

TF

“ *Tasha Jolley and Family purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Mr. Joseph Averon Campbell.*



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**Tasha Jolley and Family** - September 25, 2017 at 01:47 PM

PF

“ *PATTERSON FAMILY lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joseph Averon Campbell*



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**PATTERSON FAMILY** - September 25, 2017 at 11:05 AM

HM

“ *Howard McCullough lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joseph Averon Campbell*



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**Howard McCullough** - September 25, 2017 at 10:15 AM

HM

“ *Averon and I were neighbors when we were kids played together. Very good memories. Rest in Heaven Averon.*

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**Howard McCullough** - September 25, 2017 at 10:14 AM

SG

“ *Sonja Griswold lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joseph Averon Campbell*



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**Sonja Griswold** - September 25, 2017 at 09:39 AM

KJ

“ *KenBrittany Jackson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joseph Averon Campbell*



KenBrittany Jackson - September 24, 2017 at 09:16 PM

KJ

*Praying for the entire family, may God continue to bring about the comfort that only He can give to get you all through this difficult time .*

KenBrittany Jackson - September 24, 2017 at 09:18 PM

SH

“ *May God give you comfort.*



Sandra Hines - September 24, 2017 at 05:58 PM

CH

“ *CHARLES HINES lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joseph Averon Campbell*



CHARLES HINES - September 23, 2017 at 12:56 PM

CH

“ WE ALL IS GOING TO MISS YOU. CHARLES, VERSI, CHYLON, RAYMON, AND THE ENTIRE HINES FAMILY

CHARLES HINES - September 23, 2017 at 12:56 PM

MH

“ Mamie Hines-Richardson lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joseph Averon Campbell



Mamie Hines-Richardson - September 23, 2017 at 03:01 AM

GS

“ Gwendolyn Smith lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joseph Averon Campbell



Gwendolyn Smith - September 22, 2017 at 08:36 PM

BB

“ Averon and I go back 40 plus years he's the brother I never had and my family! I will never forget seeing him ride up on a bike saying he was there to watch me. To funny because he was really there to protect me. I will always love you Averon and you will forever be in my heart. My sincere condolences to Kareem and the Campbell Family. I love you all and I'm here for you. Love Beverly Boyd



Beverly Boyd - September 22, 2017 at 08:08 PM

YL

“ *Your Neighbor Richard Couch and Nancy Lindahl purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mr. Joseph Averon Campbell.*



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**Your Neighbor Richard Couch and Nancy Lindahl** -  
September 22, 2017 at 04:40 PM

BH

“ *Brenda Henry lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joseph Averon Campbell*



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**Brenda Henry** - September 21, 2017 at 09:41 PM

CW

“ *C Walker lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joseph Averon Campbell*



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**C Walker** - September 20, 2017 at 10:48 PM

AS

“ *Alma Snell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joseph Averon Campbell*



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**Alma Snell** - September 20, 2017 at 05:13 PM

PF

“ *Pauline Gardner And Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Joseph Averon Campbell*



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**Pauline Gardner and Family** - September 20, 2017 at 06:47 AM