



## Mr. Nolan Dean Abernathy

September 14, 1949 - March 2, 2015

Nolan Dean (“Hiram”) Abernathy went home to be with the Lord on March 2, 2015. He was born to William and Mamie Abernathy in Springfield, Missouri. He was the ninth of ten children who enjoyed happy, early childhood years in Hopkins Park, Illinois. The family later moved to South Haven, Michigan where he attended South Haven Elementary School and L.C. Mohr High School. He spent many of his adult years in Chicago, Illinois and Cincinnati, Ohio.

Hiram relocated to Kalamazoo in 2009 to be closer to his family. He loved tinkering with electronics and his daily walks at 5:00 a.m. One of the most important parts of his life was spending special times with family. He will be greatly missed.

Hiram accepted Jesus Christ as his Savior in the 1980’s. But, just recently he rededicated his life to Christ at a Mt. Zion Christian Foundation Class.

He was preceded in death by his parents; a brother, William Dewan Abernathy and a sister, Marcheta Williams.

Hiram is survived by: 2 brothers, Dalton Abernathy (Yvonne) of Kalamazoo, MI and Victor (Bobbie) Abernathy of Chicago, Illinois; 5 sisters, Ann (Paul) Frazier of Kalamazoo, MI; Myrtle Abernathy of South Haven, MI; Sandra Abernathy of Kalamazoo, MI; Janice Williams of Grand Rapids, MI; and Gloria Abernathy of South Haven, MI; a host of nieces and nephews and special friends, Kenny and Sharon Wysinger.

We will always cherish his memory.

# Cemetery Details

## Riverside Cemetery

1015 Gull Road  
Kalamazoo, MI 49048

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 9. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Harper Funeral Home - Chapel  
521 Douglas Avenue  
Kalamazoo, MI

## A Service in Loving Memory

MAR 9. 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Nolan Dean Abernathy*

October 23, 2023 at 06:06 AM



“ *Mr. Nolan Dean Abernathy*

October 06, 2023 at 10:42 AM



“ *Wanda Dungey Thurmond lit a candle in memory of Mr. Nolan Dean Abernathy*



**Wanda Dungey Thurmond** - March 09, 2015 at 10:53 AM



“ *Lynnearl Sconyers lit a candle in memory of Mr. Nolan Dean Abernathy*



**lynnearl sconyers** - March 06, 2015 at 06:41 PM



“ *Nolan was a great guy rip nolan*



**Kayla Middleton** - March 06, 2015 at 02:28 PM



“ *Rest in peace my brother your brother lynn earl sconyers tacoma washington*

**lynn earl sconyers** - March 05, 2015 at 09:07 PM