



Gurney Lee Brower Sr.

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Gurney L. Brower, Sr., age 82, passed away Tuesday, August 8, 2023 at his home. He was born February 3, 1941 in Carthage, NC to Houston and Myrtle (Thomas) Brower and lived most of his life in the Muskegon area. He was a veteran of the U.S. Army having served in the Vietnam War. On September 21, 1968, he married Earline Glover in Muskegon and she survives him. Gurney worked 30 years as an iron pourer for Campbell, Wyant & Cannon and retired in 1992. He was a longtime member of the former Jackson Hill Baptist Church where he also served as a deacon. Gurney was a lover of cars – especially any mechanical work he could do, like changing the oil or brakes. He enjoyed hunting, fishing and the great outdoors. Gurney especially loved to travel to North Carolina to visit family there. He will be greatly missed by his many family and friends. Survivors include his loving wife, Earline Brower; 3 children, Gurney L. Brower, Jr., Tracey Brower, Andre Quick; 3 grandsons, A'mon Brower, Tavion Brower, Arion Brower; 1 great-granddaughter, Amaya Brower; 1 brother, Calvin (Carrie) Brower; 3 sisters, Sarah Longmire, Selma (Ervin) Caddell, Flora (Ronnie) McClain; several nieces and nephews including a special nephew, Nathaniel (Tanita) Brower. Gurney was preceded in death by his parents; 1 brother, Vern Brower; and 2 sisters, Patricia Brower and Genevie Piggue. A Funeral Service will be held 1:00 PM Monday, August 14, 2023 at The Lee Chapel of Sytsema Funeral & Cremation Services, 6291 Harvey St., Norton Shores, MI 49444, with Pastor Coleman Gilliland officiating. Visitation will take place one hour prior to the service on Monday. Interment will take place at Restlawn Cemetery. Memorial Contributions may be directed to the Harbor Hospice Foundation. Sign the online guestbook at www.sytsemafh.com





Events

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Visitation

 **Monday**, August 14, 2023


 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM ET

 **Sytsema Funeral & Cremation Services - The Lee Chapel**

6291 Harvey St., Norton Shores MI 49444



Funeral Service

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 1:00 PM ET

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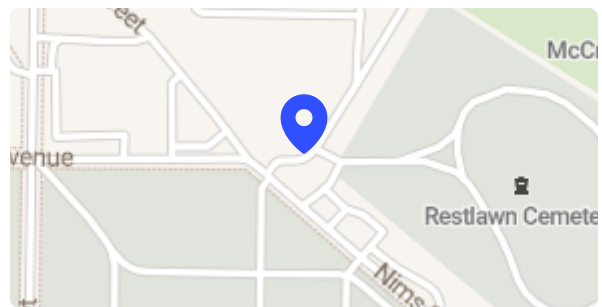
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Cemetery Details

 **Restlawn Cemetery**

1400 Kenneth Street, Muskegon MI 49442

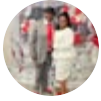




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Lashonda Houck lit a candle in honor of Gurney.

To the Brower family, sending my deepest condolences and prayers. ❤️ From Lashonda & Family

August 14 at 5:25 AM



Anonymous sent a Serene Retreat to the Brower family.

August 10 at 4:02 AM



Cliff Wrencher posted:

When I would go home for family reunions during and after my time in the military, Gurney would always stop by my dad's house to check on him. I really enjoyed the time we sat and talked, reflecting on life and memories. He really loved his people, and I believe he loved everyone. Gurney and his brothers are all big men, but they are also gentle giants. They were always willing to lend a hand. Take your rest cousin and tell the rest of the family hello.

August 10 at 3:53 AM

CJ Colmon Gilliland Jr August 14 at 3:38 AM

Gurney was a friend of the family for many years. He was a close friend of my dad, Pastor Colmon Gilliland Sr.. They worked together many years. Gurney was a faithful deacon & Sunday School Superintendent at Jackson Hill Baptist Church Now he has entered his house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens. To God be the glory. 1 Corinthians 5:1-10

KS Ketha Sinerburt August 11 at 3:59 PM

Gurney was a friend of mine and my family for years he was such a great man and help fix on our cars looked out for the property when we were out of town he was always there to talk to with a smile on his face and good conversation you'll be missed by me and my family I miss you gurney rest in peace my friend forever



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Gurney by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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