

Pallbearers
Ontayvious Rowe | El'Greco Shaw | Glenn Anderson
Marcus McClaine | Curtis Thomas | David Swilley

Honorary Pallbearers
Thaddaus Anderson | Robert Daniels | Coatis Anderson Jr.
Jeremy Clark | James Cook | Stephen Adams

Flower Bearers
Friends of the Family

Repast
Spiritual Israel Church
120 South Fifth
Saginaw, Michigan 48601

Interment
Forest Lawn Cemetery
3210 South Washington Avenue
Saginaw, Michigan 48601

Acknowledgement

The family of Mr. O C Anderson would like to express their sincere gratitude to our Spiritual Israel Church family and all of the family and friends for your prayers, presence, love, phone calls, and all other expressions of concern that you have shown during our time of bereavement. May God continue to bless each and every one of you

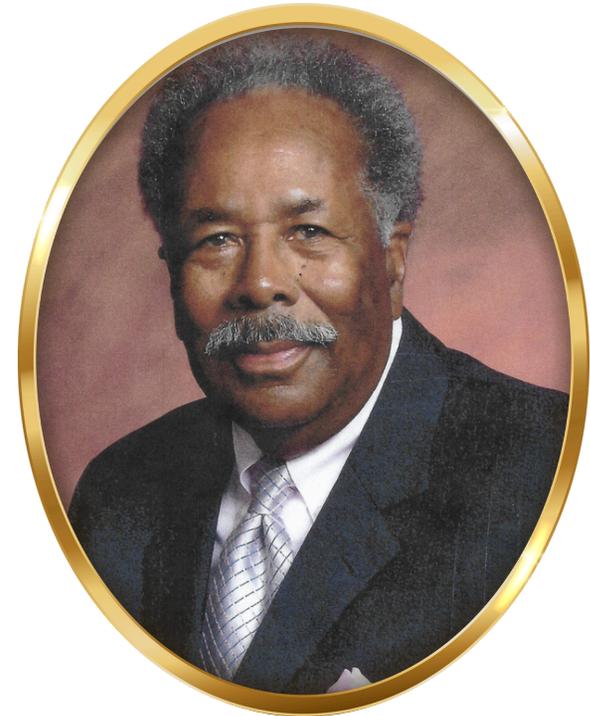


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Celebrating the Life of Mr. O C Anderson

Sunrise: December 20, 1926 - Sunset: July 3, 2025



Wednesday, July 16, 2025 - 11:00 AM

Spiritual Israel Church
120 South Fifth
Saginaw, Michigan 48601

Elder Joseph Grace, Officiating



Obituary

Mr. OC Anderson, a loving husband, father, grandfather, brother, uncle, and friend, passed away on Thursday, July 3, 2025, at the age of 98. OC was born on December 20, 1926, in Laurel, Mississippi, to Pete and Marthan Anderson.

OC grew up in Panola, Alabama, and later relocated to Saginaw, Michigan, in 1955. He was a retired minister of the Spiritual Israel Church. OC was a member of UAW Local 455, retiring from the General Motors Malleable Iron Plant after 26 years of service.

OC loved gardening and cooking for his extended family during the holidays. He also enjoyed watching westerns and baseball. OC was a great softball coach and led the team to its first championship in its first year.

OC leaves to cherish his memories his loving and devoted wife, Elise Anderson; son, Carl Adams; sisters, Ethel Shaw, Willie Bea Anderson, and Mima (John) Batiste; godchildren, Larry Irvin, and Sharlene Page; sisters-in law, Glorious Anderson, Kenyetta Russell, Sherita (Rickey) Freeman, Tina (Chris) Griffen; brothers-in-law, James Cook, Phillip Cook, and Stephen Adams; grandchildren, Briana Williams, Carlisha Adams, and Barbara Anderson; great grandchildren, Briana and Mikayla Anderson, Cangela Blake, Gabriana, Aaliyah, Gianna, and Caliyah Williams, and Shemar Watts; many other nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends, Eugene Evans, Jessie Payton, Alan Harvey, and Patrick Johnson.

OC was preceded in death by his former wife, Jessie Anderson; son, Clifford Williams; grandson, Clifton Anderson; his parents, Pete and Marthan Anderson; sister, Hattie Mae Anderson; brothers, Cecil, Wallace, Coatis, and Peter Anderson, and many in-laws.

Order of Service

Prelude Musician

Processional Family

Opening Ceremony Deacon Robert Davis

The Lord's Prayer Deacon Craig McCray

Israel Prayer Deacon Lucious Roberson

Selection Reverend Wanda Wade

Scripture Reading 23RD Psalms Sister Rosie Shepard

Acknowledgements & Obituary Geraldine Thomas

Selection Reverend Wanda Wade

Expressions (Please Limit to 2 Minutes) Family & Friends

Selection Elder Dennis Swilley

Eulogy Elder Joseph Grace

A Life Well Lived

A life well-lived is a precious gift of hope and strength and grace from someone who has made our world a brighter, better place. It's filled with moments sweet and sad, with smiles and sometimes tears, with friendships formed and good times shared and laughter through the years. A life well-lived is a legacy of joy and pride and pleasure, A loving, lasting memory our grateful hearts will treasure.

