

Pallbearers

Antonio Croskey
William Croskey
Robert Crenshaw
Ryan Bond
Eugene Wolbeck

Flower Bearers

Friends of the Family

Interment

Chapel Hill Memorial Gardens
4444 W. Grand River Avenue
Lansing, Michigan 48906

Acknowledgement

We are most grateful for the gift of friends like you, who have been so kind and thoughtful during our hours of sorrow. All the love and support mean so much to our family in this time of mourning as we celebrate the life lived by our loved one. Special thanks to Pastor Perry and Lady Gina Bell and Willie and Fannie Sams. May God continue to bless each of you.

The Family of
Mr. Artemus Croskey



**Paradise Funeral Chapel
& Arrangement Services**
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Celebrating the Life & Legacy of Mr. Artemus Croskey

Sunrise: December 9, 1938 - Sunset: June 24, 2025

Celebration of Life
Friday, July 25, 2025 10:00 a.m.

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First Lady Gina Bell, Officiant



Mr. Artemus Croskey

Mr. Artemus Croskey passed away Tuesday, June 24, 2025, at his residence in Lansing, Michigan surrounded by his loving family. Age 86 years. He was born Friday, December 9, 1938, in Birmingham, Alabama to Asberry Croskey and Fannie Mae Lampkin Croskey.

Artemus retired from General Motors Corporation, where he was able to maintain a household for his family as well as nieces and nephews. He was a loving husband, father, grandfather, brother, and uncle. He will be missed by so many.

Artemus leaves to cherish his memory son, William Croskey; grandchildren, Antonio Croskey, Robbin Wolbeck, Robert Crenshaw, Natashia Sutton, Artemus Crenshaw, Dyman Ellington, Jazmun Ellington and James Ellington; great-grandchildren, Robert Crenshaw III, Joseph Wolbeck, Nevaeh Sutton, Nateara Wolbeck, Jordan Finnie, Drevaughn Croskey, Kane Gidner, Ashley Smith, Makayla Smith, Mica Ellington, Caleb Jackson, Zuri Ellington, Cayden, Kameran, Kingsten, Kahili & Calhan Simpson, Zyana Croskey, Myrisa Gonzales, Isabella Johnson, Amariana Croskey, Alena Croskey, Onaleyan Croskey and Sophia Croskey; brother, Jonas Croskey; sisters-in law, Virginia Arrington, Mary Bodyford, Carolyn White and Yvette Sams; brothers-in-law, Willie James (Fannie) Sams and Walter Sams; many nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Betty Jean Croskey; daughter, Veronica Crenshaw; sisters, Ola May Gordon, Awilla Beckley, Vera Arrington, Lorine Croskey, Annie Bell Butch, Geraldine Croskey, and Mattie Jean Croskey; brothers, Walter Croskey, Ashberry Croskey, Jr., Charlie Croskey, Roosevelt Croskey, Sr., Joseph Croskey, Willie George Croskey, and Aubrey Croskey.

Order of Service

- Prelude
 - Processional Family
 - Prayer Minister
 - Scripture Reading Minister
 - Musical Selection
 - Acknowledgements of Cards,
 - Condolences & Obituary
 - Expressions Family & Friends
 - Musical Selection
 - Eulogy Minister
- Committal | Benediction | Recessional**

"A Letter From Heaven"
by Alena Hakala Meadows

When tomorrow starts without me
And I'm not there to see;
If the sun should rise and find your eyes
All filled with tears for me.

I wish so much you wouldn't cry
The way you did today;
While thinking of the many things
We didn't get to say.

I know how much you love me
As much as I love you;
And each time that you think of me,
I know you'll miss me too.

When tomorrow starts without me,
Don't think we're far apart
For every time you think of me,
I'm right here in your heart.