



Celebrating the Life of

Sunrise: January 27, 1971 - Sunset: June 14, 2025



“Poochie”

Mr. Robert Edward Wilson, Jr.

Pallbearers

Anthony McMahan | Chad Cline | Oscar Hampton
Charles Flores | Lou Howard | Garrard Young
Darquris Alexander | Treyvon Rollins

Honorary Pallbearers

Charles Wilson | Ericon Milton | Joseph Alexander
Melvin Benson | Quandell Alexander | Terrance Alexander

Flower Bearers

Friends of the Family

Acknowledgement

The Family of Robert E. Wilson would like to express their heartfelt appreciation and gratitude for the many acts of kindness, love, and support. Your prayers, calls, visits and every act of kindness has provided so much support in which we are forever indebted. Thank you for your sympathy during this difficult time.

Funeral Service:
Thursday, June 26, 2025
12:00 p.m.

Paradise Funeral Chapel & Arrangement Services
1107 East Miller Road
Lansing, Michigan 48911

Pastor Joseph Alexander, Eulogist



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Order of Service

Master of Ceremonies Yolyn Hollingsworth

Prelude Family

Processional Minister

Prayer Mother Ruby Brown

Scripture - Old Testament Yolyn Hollingsworth

New Testament Cynthia Alexander

Musical Selection

Obituary Reading Cynthia Alexander

Expressions Family & Friends

Musical Selection

Eulogy Pastor Joseph Alexander

Committal | Benediction | Recessional



Remembering “Poochie”

*Those we love and lose are never truly gone.
They live on in the memories we cherish and the
legacy they leave behind.*

It is with deep sorrow that we announce the passing on Saturday, June 14, 2025, of Robert Edward Wilson Jr. “Poochie”. Age 54 years old. He was born on Wednesday, January 27, 1971, in Lansing, Michigan the son of Robert Edward Wilson, Sr., and Fair Lee “Kate” Alexander-Wilson.

Robert was a cherished member of his community and was a proud graduate of Eastern High School. He dedicated his career to working at the Lansing State Journal. He found immense joy in fishing, camping, and exploring the wilderness.

Poochie's memory lives on through his loving family, including three children, Javonie Tate, Taliyah Wilson and Robert E. Wilson III; 2 grandchildren, 4 sisters, Linda Swanson, Terri Sanders, Kay Alexander, and Judy Alexander; brother, Joseph (Cynthia) Alexander; special niece, Lashounda (Holla)Alexander; special cousin, Authur (Jazz) Harris; other relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents and sister, Annette Alexander.

Forever Loved

In quiet whispers, time does flow,
Marking the places where love will grow.
Though the voice is still, the heart beats on,
In memories held as a cherished song.

The hands we touched, the smiles we shared,
Echo in moments, deeply cared.
A life well-lived, a soul at peace
A legacy woven in love's release.

Through tears may fall, and heart may ache,
Through every dawn, new strength we take.
For in the skies, a star shines bright,
Guiding us gently through the night.

With gratitude, we say goodbye,
Yet in our hearts, you'll never die.
A soul set free, a spirit that's near,
Forever loved, forever here.



I miss you UNCLE

I thought of you with love today, but that is nothing new.
I thought about your yesterday and days before that too.
I think of you in silence. I often speak your name.
All I have are memories and your picture in a frame.
Your memory is my keepsake.

