



## Walter McReynolds Jr.

January 17, 1944 - April 13, 2020

Mr. McReynolds passed from this life peacefully in Detroit, Michigan on April 13, 2020.

Please leave words of encouragement for his wife and family below in our Tributes section.

# Cemetery Details

## Acacia Park Cemetery

31300 Southfield Road  
Beverly Hills, MI 48025

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **22**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

Kemp Funeral Home & Cremation Services  
24585 Evergreen Rd  
Southfield, MI 48075  
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## Family Hour

APR **23**. 9:00 AM - 9:30 AM (ET)

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## Funeral Service

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APR **23**. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Kemp Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Walter McReynolds Jr.*



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**Kemp Funeral Home & Cremation Services** - April 23, 2020 at 09:25 AM



“ *Kemp Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Webcast in memory of Walter McReynolds Jr.*



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**Kemp Funeral Home & Cremation Services** - April 23, 2020 at 09:19 AM

LP

*Thank you so much for presenting the live video of the service. I live in Hot Springs, Arkansas and was not able to travel to Michigan. It was such a beautiful blessing to be able to share this time with my family. Thank you again. Legoria Vernon-Payton & Family*

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**LEGORIA V PAYTON** - April 23, 2020 at 10:42 AM

EA

*Juanita,  
Tim and I watched the services this morning at 6:30 a.m. Las Vegas  
time. Thank you for allowing us access. I only wish that I could have  
been there to hug you in person. Your strength is amazing. Edith & Tim  
Anthony*

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**Edith Anthony** - April 23, 2020 at 12:37 PM

CB

*Love you Juanita&Walter..❤️*

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**Carmen Bradley** - April 23, 2020 at 01:22 PM



“ *Walter McReynolds Jr.*

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September 27, 2022 at 08:40 PM



“ *Walter McReynolds Jr.*

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September 27, 2022 at 06:52 PM

EL

“ *You have my sincere condolences.  
Blessings  
Elizabeth Parker*

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**Elizabeth** - April 27, 2020 at 06:36 PM

IY

“ Hey Grandpa, I just Woke up from a nap thinking about you I miss you , I'm literally sorry that you past alone I honestly wish that we could've been there you know , I regret avoiding not to Speak to you I only thought that because I used to think grandparents will talk your head off , but I could be on the phone with a lot of my friends talking about nothing serious I just honestly wish I Took all that back and reverse it . I wish I had lots of conversations with you I wish I spent time with you like my life depended on it you know... I just really wish you was here that's all, like I wish you was here for my graduation I wish you was here when I go to college I wish you was here for when I get married or have a kid honestly I just wish you was hear for when I accomplish things through out my life... People tell me they hope I feel okay but they just don't understand how I'm feeling about you that's all especially that I lost you & Ny Other Great Grandma During around the same weak you know , honestly I started to question gods actions and decisions he make but I started to realize I rather have you in perfect shape watching over me in heaven than you in that hospital suffering and fighting , So Yeahh But I just wanted to speak to you that's all one day ima come visit you & I love you

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Iyana - April 26, 2020 at 11:50 PM

BH

“ Praying that God will continue to comfort and strengthen Juanita and family.

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Beverly Horne-Jackson - April 23, 2020 at 02:05 PM

AM

“ Me and Pa..looks like we were having a serious conversation. He was passing great wisdom to me and the kids. Im gonna really miss hearing the advice he gave to me.



Antoine mcreynolds - April 23, 2020 at 11:44 AM

AM

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Antoine mcreynolds - April 23, 2020 at 11:36 AM

AM

*Father & Daughter*

Antoine mcreynolds - April 23, 2020 at 11:37 AM

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“ Camping trip with the family



Antoine mcreynolds - April 23, 2020 at 11:33 AM

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Antoine McReynolds - April 23, 2020 at 11:25 AM

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Antoine McReynolds - April 23, 2020 at 11:23 AM

MY

“ R.I.H. My Cool Cousin 🥺💔  
We love you always! 💙💪👨🍷🍫🥰

Myria - April 23, 2020 at 11:07 AM

KN

“ Dear Juanita,

*May God comfort and care for you during this difficult time. We have a lot of precious memories of Walter. He was funny, light-hearted and a kind and gentle soul. We will always remember him fondly.*

*Love,*

*The Newman Family*

Karen Newman - April 23, 2020 at 10:43 AM

NR

“ *Natalie, Xavia & Rickett Family*

*We extended our condolences and for God to comfort the family and prayers for the family during this difficult time.*

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**Natalie Rickett** - April 23, 2020 at 10:01 AM

RK

“ *I will truly miss Walter. I always enjoyed having a fun conversation with him and hearing him laugh. I will miss him.*

*Rodney*

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**Rodney Kemp** - April 23, 2020 at 09:33 AM

DS

“ *I am sending my prayers and condolences to you Juanita. I really enjoyed talking to Walter. He had such a kind spirit and always smiled.*

*Deborah Stephens*

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**Deborah Stephens** - April 23, 2020 at 09:19 AM

DM

“ *I will miss him dearly he was such an inspiration to me and my family even our pets. I will never forget Walter and the times we shared*

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**Dewitt McGowan** - April 23, 2020 at 09:00 AM

RW

“ To my cousin Walter, going to miss you. You will always be in my heart. Juanita continue to be strong and prayful. Love you always!!  
Roxanne Williams



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**Roxanne Williams** - April 23, 2020 at 08:48 AM

LY

“ Juanita, you are my childhood friend. When I met Walter he became my friend also. You both glow and compliment each other. My heart, love and prayers are with you and the family. You have such funny and fond memories of Walter. I pray they will help comfort you and move you forward.

*Love, Hugs and Prayers*

*Lydia*

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**Lydia** - April 23, 2020 at 08:41 AM

LB

“ Juanita you and your family are in my prayers during this difficult time. May God comfort and keep you. Leslie Burton

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**Leslie Burton** - April 23, 2020 at 05:11 AM

SM

“ Our sincerest condolences are extended to everyone that my cousin Junior impacted in life. Our prayer is that he is resting and waiting for our Savior to receive him into His Kingdom. God bless you Juanita, Ursula and Walter III and we pray God would comfort you and give you peace....With all our love, Eric & Sherry Mitchell

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**sheryl mitchell** - April 23, 2020 at 12:00 AM

SD

“ So very sorry for your loss Juanita. Walter was a really good man and a lot of fun to be around. We all were blessed by God to have known him, he will be missed. Our sincere condolences and prayers to you and the family.

*Love you, Sheryl & Darryl*

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**Sherry & Darryl** - April 22, 2020 at 11:09 PM

RW

“ Ronald Woodland lit a candle in memory of Walter McReynolds Jr.



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**Ronald Woodland** - April 22, 2020 at 10:56 PM

LW

“ My cousin Walter better known as Junior to the family was the funniest person I knew. He was quick witted and kept you laughing. I will miss him. I pray that God will comfort Juanita during this difficult time.



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**lisa woodland** - April 22, 2020 at 10:53 PM

AB

“ Alvin Brock lit a candle in memory of Walter McReynolds Jr.



Alvin Brock - April 22, 2020 at 10:22 PM

SR

“ I have the pleasure of calling Junior and Juanita family and to know Junior was to know with every question asked of him. He could only give you the truth followed by a joke. You will be truly missed.

Love Sandra Robinson (Sandy)

Sandra Robinson - April 22, 2020 at 10:21 PM

BF

“ Beatrice McReynolds-Jones & Family purchased the Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant for the family of Walter McReynolds Jr..



Beatrice McReynolds-Jones & Family - April 22, 2020 at 04:08 PM

GO

“ I never saw him when he was not smiling. May God keep Walter in his loving arms. May God Bless you Juanita and know that you have friends who will do anything to support you during this difficult time. You two were the epitomy of what a life of "love" and "sharing" is all about.. Gwen Owens

GWENDOLYN A OWENS - April 22, 2020 at 03:43 PM

DS

“ *Walter will be truly truly missed! We had the pleasure of being his neighbors for over 18 years. We will miss seeing him working in the yard or coming and going to run his errands. Juanita, please know that we will continue to support you during this difficult time. We are only a call or walk away. Our continued prayers to you and the rest of the family.*



*Your neighbors Derald and Sherri Lowery!*

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**Derald and Sherri** - April 22, 2020 at 03:15 PM



“ *Uncle Walter will be missed. He was so peaceful just like Henry Jr.*



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**T** - April 22, 2020 at 02:52 PM

ER

“ *Juanita, I'm so sorry, Walter was someone I was glad to see on Sunday mornings, with his friendly extended handshake and warm smile. He will truly be missed. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. May God give you peace and comfort at this difficult time. ....Elizabeth (Liz) Robinson*



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**Elizabeth Robinson** - April 22, 2020 at 02:09 PM

SL

“ Juanita, I just wanted you to know that you are loved and I know that God has Walter and you.

Your friend,  
Sandra Lawson



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Sandra Lawson - April 22, 2020 at 02:08 PM

DB

“ Darcus Braswell lit a candle in memory of Walter McReynolds Jr.



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Darcus Braswell - April 22, 2020 at 01:55 PM

DB

May God bless you and keep you during this time of grief. We love you!

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Darcus Braswell - April 22, 2020 at 01:58 PM

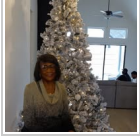
KP

“ From Dorothy, Kimberly and Duane we send our sincere condolences to you and the family, we love ❤️ and praying 🙏 GOD gives comfort strength and peace ❤️



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kimberly perkins - April 22, 2020 at 11:41 AM



“ *Willie Boyd lit a candle in memory of Walter McReynolds Jr.*



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**Willie Boyd** - April 22, 2020 at 10:01 AM

BT

“ *Walter will truly be missed! It is difficult for me to imagine that he will not be ushering when we return to church. He and my Walter shared the same birthday month and year. Their date was one day different. Each year upon celebrating my Walter's brthday we will also celebrate him. We love you and may God continue strengthening you.*

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**Betty Thomas** - April 21, 2020 at 08:42 PM

HJ

“ *Henry, Ruth , Jackie purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Walter McReynolds Jr..*



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**Henry, Ruth , Jackie** - April 21, 2020 at 06:43 PM

YG

“ *Your Neighbors Robert and Cynthia Griffin purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Walter McReynolds Jr..*



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**Your Neighbors Robert and Cynthia Griffin** - April 21, 2020 at 05:33 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Walter McReynolds Jr..*



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April 21, 2020 at 02:32 PM



“ *To Juanita and family. Ever since I met you and Walter. You both showed unconditional love to me. Walter was my usher buddy and I will miss his bubbly smile. May God give you additional strength during this period of bereavement. Given in love and respect. Janice and Michael Simpson*

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**Janice Simpson** - April 21, 2020 at 06:14 AM



“ *God is great and worthy to be praise. Keep the faith and may God bless Juanita McReynolds and family.*



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**Helen Longmire** - April 20, 2020 at 09:14 PM



“ *Juanita – you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. May the Lord bless you and keep you in this time of sorrow, reminding you of treasured memories, and the gift of shared love. GOD needed another angel. Catherine Raniszewski*

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**Catherne Raniszewski** - April 20, 2020 at 05:15 PM

EM

“ *Walter was my friend, my buddy! Juanita, you know I am going to miss saying he is on my BAD list. He was such a gentleman. Praying for you and your family. However, we can be confident that his passing is an open door to Eternal Life with JESUS.*

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**Evelyn McDougale** - April 20, 2020 at 12:04 AM

BB

*Juanita: My heart truly goes out to you & your family at the loss of your husband. You were a beautiful couple and I understand your pain. Just remember that God loves you and will be with you til you see your husband again. -Love Betty Black, Pastors Choir*

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**Betty Black** - April 20, 2020 at 04:33 PM

WV

*May the warm, beautiful memories of someone you love wash over you at this time and stay with you forever.  
In Deepest sympathy  
Rev. Willie & Sister Lela Vaughn*

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**Willie & Lela vaughn** - April 20, 2020 at 09:37 PM



*Juanita: Sorry for your loss. Praying your strength during this time. Sis. Vineta Mitchell*

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**Vineta Mitchell** - April 23, 2020 at 09:44 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Walter McReynolds Jr..*



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April 19, 2020 at 10:14 PM

JB

“ To Juanita and the family of Walter McReynolds. We are so sorry to hear about his passing. May he rest in peace in the arms of our Lord and Savior and may the Lord bless you and comfort you with His peace and love. Joanne and Cary Baker.

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**Joanne Baker** - April 18, 2020 at 04:54 PM

BA

“ Juanita, May the Lord's loving promises to comfort you and give you strength as you walk through this difficult time, be felt today and always. Know that Tina and I surround you with our prayers and love. It was a joy seeing Walter last month. With deepest sympathy and love. Bernice Ashford

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**Bernice Ashford** - April 18, 2020 at 12:49 PM

KL

“ There are some people who just lift you up by a mere smile when you feel like you are in that dark place...on Sunday's Mr. Walter McReynolds...lifted me from the dark places with his gentle and warm smile...handing me the church bulletins...I admired his serving presentation ,dedication and love for seving the Lord.....Praying God to provide a bridge of comfort , peace and strength to Mrs. Juanita McReynolds and family ...my spirtual heart will always hold memories until we all reach that heavenly place...for a man and great servant of the Lord

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**Kathy Lewis** - April 18, 2020 at 12:02 PM

JT

“ Always someone that I looked forward to seeing every Sunday. His warm smile and greeting always made you feel special regardless of your circumstances. His spirit was and is very uplifting and Christ centered. Walter will truly be missed.

*Praying for Juanita and family to look to the Lord for your support and strength in these extraordinary times when we cannot be present. Prayers to you!*

*Jonathan & Comerlynn Trout*

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**Jonathan Trout** - April 18, 2020 at 11:23 AM

TB

“ Mr. McReynolds always greeted me with his pleasant, down to earth personality. He will truly be missed. My condolences to Mrs. McReynolds and the family. Tracey R. Brown

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**Tracey Brown** - April 18, 2020 at 12:14 AM

TS

“ Our sincerest condolences to you Mrs. Juanita. We love you, Tavares and Skylar

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**Tavares & Skylar** - April 17, 2020 at 08:13 PM

KJ

“ My deepest condolences to you Juanita and the family. Look to the hills from whence cometh our help and strength, our help comes from the Lord. ❤️

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**Karla Jefferies** - April 17, 2020 at 05:11 PM

JW

“ *Joyce Willis lit a candle in memory of Walter McReynolds Jr.*



Joyce Willis - April 17, 2020 at 02:57 PM

JW

*Walt was a very nice man, always having that little smile on his face. You will truly be missed. Love you Juanita and praying for your and your family.*

Joyce Willis - April 17, 2020 at 03:02 PM

PC

“ *What a GENTLE man. I would tease Juanita that Walter was my husband and she would have to share. Much love Pat Clark*

Pat Clark - April 17, 2020 at 12:50 PM

RW

“ *Ray And JoAnn Wright lit a candle in memory of Walter McReynolds Jr.*



Ray And JoAnn Wright - April 17, 2020 at 01:13 AM

RW

*We will miss you Walter , may you rest in peace.*

Ray And JoAnn Wright - April 17, 2020 at 01:24 AM

CR

*Juanita and family, you are in our thoughts and prayers. Billy and Carol Robinson*

**carol robinson** - April 17, 2020 at 03:26 PM

EJ

*Juanita and family, May God continue to comfort and give you strength during these times. Edie Jones*

**Edith Jones** - April 18, 2020 at 03:54 PM

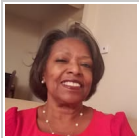
VF

“ *To cousin Juanita and family. We are praying for y'all. May our Heavenly Father comfort and give y'all strength.*

*Cousin Jean and family*



**Velsia Jean Dean and family** - April 16, 2020 at 09:40 PM



“ *To Juanita and family, I'm praying for your strength and comfort during this difficult time. Just put your trust in Him and He will bring you through.*

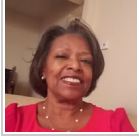
*Bea Kendricks*

**Beatrice Kendricks** - April 16, 2020 at 09:27 PM

CW

“ *May you have peace beyond this sadness from the Comforter. Keeping you in prayer,*  
*Cassandra Wells*

**Cassandra Wells** - April 16, 2020 at 09:26 PM



“ *Beatrice Kendricks lit a candle in memory of Walter McReynolds Jr.*



Beatrice Kendricks - April 16, 2020 at 09:22 PM



“ *Walter’s love for dogs was intertwined in the fabric of our friendship from the beginning until the very last day we saw him. He was a good neighbor with a good heart; who always greeted us with a smile. He had a good sense of humor and was very down to earth. We miss you already Walt!! Rest Well My Friend The McGowans💔💔💔*



Cornelia Tanks McGowan - April 16, 2020 at 07:22 PM



“ *A Perfect great grandfather that always Told Me Right from wrong. I wish we had more memories Than anything right now But I miss you & I love you - Iyana T. McReynolds*



Iyana - April 16, 2020 at 07:12 PM

WM

“ I always enjoyed being in the company of Walter. On the few occasions that we played, he was my bid whiz partner and we very seldom lost. We both loved watching the Detroit Pistons. The last game we went to was in January and the Pistons lost to the Philadelphia 76ers. Walter was not happy with how the team was coached and expressed it in so many words. Never the less we still had a fun time cheering the Pistons on. To this day I have never seen Walter without a smile on his face. He loved going back and forth with his fellow ushers after church service. He will be truly missed. To the McReynolds' family you are in mine and my family thoughts and prayers and may God continue to bless you.

*Willie Martin*

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**Willie M Martin** - April 16, 2020 at 07:07 PM

ED

“ *Emelda Dowell lit a candle in memory of Walter McReynolds Jr.*



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**Emelda Dowell** - April 16, 2020 at 06:41 PM

ED

*Bro. McReynolds was a kind thoughtful man who help others in need. May you Rest In Peace and many blessings and prayers to the McReynolds family 😊*

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**Emelda Dowell** - April 16, 2020 at 06:49 PM

ST

“ *Sanbonita Thomas lit a candle in memory of Walter McReynolds Jr.*



Sanbonita Thomas - April 16, 2020 at 06:34 PM

JB

“ *Jackie Bray lit a candle in memory of Walter McReynolds Jr.*



Jackie Bray - April 16, 2020 at 05:52 PM

AM

“ *3 files added to the tribute wall*



Antoine Mcreynolds - April 16, 2020 at 05:47 PM

BB

“ *Betty Black lit a candle in memory of Walter McReynolds Jr.*



Betty Black - April 16, 2020 at 04:12 PM

BB

*Juanita - I'm so sorry about the loss of your husband.. You were such a beautiful couple. I truly understand your pain. But know that God is with you & your family and will carry you through. God bless you. -Love Betty Black*

**Betty Black** - April 23, 2020 at 09:05 AM

AM

“ *Agnes Means lit a candle in memory of Walter McReynolds Jr.*



**Agnes Means** - April 16, 2020 at 03:32 PM

MA

“ *Mary Autrey lit a candle in memory of Walter McReynolds Jr.*



**Mary Autrey** - April 16, 2020 at 11:58 AM

KC

“ *Kim Carey lit a candle in memory of Walter McReynolds Jr.*



**Kim Carey** - April 16, 2020 at 07:24 AM

GC

“ A perfect gentleman with humor and wisdom... Mr. Walter indeed you will be missed. Rest on cousin 💔



Geneva Connors - April 15, 2020 at 10:32 PM

Mac Tate

Couz i will miss those conversations R.I.P Judy son mitchell

Mac Tate - April 23, 2020 at 09:16 AM