



Merle E. Hamlin

March 25, 1928 - November 13, 2011

Beloved husband of the late Audrey. Loving father of Cynthia (Everett) Smith, Kimberlee Bertrand and the late Duane Hamlin. Former father in law of Janiece Hamlin. Proud grandfather of Johnathan (Megan) Smith, Eric (Lauren) Smith, Kelly (Brian)Kurtyka, Maricille (Tyler) Ellena, Mikayla Bertrand, Christine Mayoros and Jonathan Mayoros. Dear brother of Avis Walker, Dean (Norma) Hamlin, and the late Paul (Stephanie) Hamlin. Visitation Thursday 2-9 PM at Vermeulen Funeral Home, 46401 W Ann Arbor Rd (between Sheldon and Beck) Plymouth. In state Friday 9:30 AM until 10 AM funeral service at Plymouth Church of the Nazarene, 45801 West Ann Arbor Road, (btwn Sheldon and Beck) Plymouth. Interment Oakland Hills Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the Family Fund, c/o Cynthia Smith. To share a memory, please use the View and Send Condolences tab on this web page.

Tribute Wall



“ Merle E. Hamlin

December 07, 2023 at 05:11 AM



“ CindyI just found out about your dad a few weeks ago. So sorry But now he will have no more trouble with his feet and he and your mom are re-united once again. Your dad and i had several talks and at one time a friend of mine and I were consodering buying the candy business. Probably for the best that it didn't work out. As you know it consumes all your time and keeps you on you feet and constantly thinking about the business. As a teen your mom and dad had a major influence on my life. They were great examples of "Being Used By God". They gave it all. Teaching Sunday school, hauling us kids around HYC, Class Party's, 5th. Qtr. stuff. In fact I'm not sure if I would be in the church today if it were not for the influence of Merle and Audry Hamlin. They were some of God's greatest servants. Yor dad was not only funny, he always had time to talk, he was a hard worker and he made you feel like his friend. A GREAT FRIEND of JESUS.

Linda and I are in Oklahoma now getting back to Michigan only in the summer/fall months. God has been so good to us and we are blessed. My life is certainly richer for having had Merle Hamlin as my friend.

God Bless You,

Don

Don Carson - December 12, 2014 at 10:14 AM

JM

“ Cindy, I am sorry to hear about your fathers passing. I know you will find comfort in the many good memories you have of him. Judy

Judy Mowey-Meador - December 12, 2014 at 10:14 AM

BM

“ Kim, I know this must be a very difficult time for you. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Beth

Beth Miller - December 12, 2014 at 10:14 AM

PE

“ I'm sorry for your loss. Death is our common enemy as it affects all of us. I therefore want to encourage the family to take heart and be hopeful in the promise by God, that he will wipe every tears and no more will be any death again. Death will be brought to nothing, Isaiah 25:8 and 1Corinthians 15:28. God by means of Jesus will call and all that died will hear his voice and come out. John 5:25. We have an opportunity to see our dead loved ones come back to life again and never to die. What a wonderful moment that will be!

Peggy - December 12, 2014 at 10:14 AM

PF

“ We are so sorry for your loss, please accept our sincere condolences. Losing a loved one is one of life most painful experiences, but the Bible give us hope and encouragement for example Jesus said that the dead have a hope of a resurrection "Do not marvel at this, because the hour is coming in which all those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice and come out"(John 5:28,29). Can you just imagine Merle and others loved ones being raise from the grave to live a life free from sickness, sorrow, pain and death?(Isaiah 25:8; Revelation 21:3-5). The one who give these promises is none other then our God.

PHILLIPS FAMILY - December 12, 2014 at 10:14 AM

TF

“ *Mr. Hamlin was a gentle man with a big heart. You always thought of us at Easter with a gift of delicious chocolate. With every leaf that falls, we will fondly remember you. May our Lord and Saviour guide you home and find you dancing with your bride. With sympathy and much love. We will miss you. Tony, Barb and Dominic*

The Signorelli Family - December 12, 2014 at 10:14 AM