



Cornell Edward Squires

June 18, 1957 - November 19, 2016

Squires, Cornell. Age 59. Loving father of Cornell. Cherished son of Vester and the late Eugene. Dear brother of Eugene JR., Jeanette and Calvin (Kelly). Proud grandfather of Cordai and Ari. loved dearly by nieces and nephews Freddie, Maurice, Morgan and Camille.

Cemetery Details

Detroit Memorial Park West

25200 Plymouth Road
Redford Township, MI 48239

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 27. 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Kernan Funeral Service
1020 Fort Street
Lincoln Park, MI 48146
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info@kernanfs.com
<http://www.kernanfs.com/>

Family Hour 10:00am with 10:30am Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Kelvin, Kelly and Squires family. We're so sorry to hear of the loss of Cornell. We will prayer for God's comfort and blessings for you all during this difficult time. Paul and Sonja Krotke*

Paul Krotke - November 28, 2016 at 07:40 AM

RL

“ *Cornell will be remembered as a constant and serious advocate for justice for those who were denied it. I will never forget and will cherish our working on a project to get justice for Aiyana Stanley-Jones and her family.*

You will only be a thought away Cornell.

Peace/Love,

*Roland Lawrence
Detroit*

Roland Lawrence - November 27, 2016 at 01:45 PM

WJ

“ *With Love .. Rachel , Jazzy, & Freddie Jr. purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Cornell Edward Squires.*



With Love .. Rachel , Jazzy, & Freddie Jr. - November 26, 2016
at 06:25 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Cornell Edward Squires.*



November 26, 2016 at 12:14 PM



“ *Cornell was just like a brother to me. He always gave me that push. He was one of the first i meet when i walked into the film class he greeted me with that big smile and we bonded from there. RIP my brother J. Fields*

J. Fields - November 25, 2016 at 05:31 PM



“ *Cornell was my dearest friend, a man who had the biggest heart in the world. He helped thousands of people throughout the years, working as a paralegal to resolve their problems in court, including foreclosures, police brutality, child custody, and dozens of other issues. This world will never be the same without him. He came from a generation of legal warriors including his friend Chokwe Lumumba that is sorely missed now. He cared deeply about everyone he aided. He never had a personal agenda, but only an agenda for justice for those who had been wronged. I am sure the Great Spirit has wrapped him in his loving arms, as Cornell continues to wrap all of those he loved in his comforting embrace and memory. He will always be alive in our hearts. Love you forever our dear Cornell.*

Diane Bukowski - November 23, 2016 at 10:43 AM

JD

Fly high my friend. I cannot thank you enough for all the help you have to me and my family. My prayers to your family.

Jann DeBacker - November 23, 2016 at 06:04 PM

DS

No doubt, my friend Cornell Squires was a devout minister. His pulpit was wherever he stood – wherever “we” stood – as he continually proclaimed that the Goodness of God was always near and dear, accessible by faith, by prayer, and by the Eternal Will of the Almighty to have His children find the ultimate Peace on Earth with Him. Many times in my moments of doubt and weakness did Cornell take my hands into his, or lead in his words over the phone, as he invoked the presence of God in our lives, to deliver to us His mercy, and to share with us so much of the love with which Cornell Squires brought to us a-plenty.

He worked both selflessly and tirelessly to help others, to advocate for others, to demonstrate with others, and to raise all others above his own level of goodness. He was the living essence of what defines “Thanksgiving”, the holiday spirit of unbridled giving, and the Biblical principal of “Love Thy Neighbor”. Though we had many differences, he was indeed my big brother. He was only a couple of months older than me, but in the face of this unjust society full of greed, corruption, racism, and pure evil, Cornell’s experience and patience were second to none, and light years ahead of mine. He was an unshakable Soul.

*Sincerely,
David Schied*

David Schied - November 27, 2016 at 02:18 PM

BK

*Condolences to the Squires family. His passion for justice will be missed. May the Lord comfort your hearts with His love.
Beverly Kindle-Walker*

Beverly Kindle-Walker - November 27, 2016 at 10:04 PM