



## William Powers

June 28, 1949 - February 21, 2014

William Powers was born on June 28, 1949 to Herman and Mary Powers in Chicago, Illinois.

William graduated from Chicago Vocational High School (CVS). He went on to pursue a career in advertising. He was the first black man to win a CLEO award and he had many more accomplishments.

William married Dorothy M. Collins on December 9, 1972 and to that union, four children were born. They separated in 1986 and remained close friends. He later met Renee Wilson, in April of 1993 and to that union one child was born. They too separated and remained close friends.

On February 21, 2014, William fell asleep in death. He was preceded in death by his mother, Mary Powers, and one son, William Powers Jr.

William leaves to cherish his memories, his father, Herman Powers Sr.; one sister, C. Theza (Philip) Powell; two brothers, Herman (Peggy) Powers and Jerry (Rhonda) Powers; one daughter, Theza Powers; three sons, Cream (Tara), Trayson (Markiesha) and David Powers; twenty-six grandchildren; six great grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, aunts, uncles, cousins, other relatives and friends.



# Cemetery Details

## Cedar Park Cemetery

12540 South Halsted  
Chicago, IL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR 1. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

McCullough Funeral & Cremation Services  
851 East 75th Street  
Chicago, IL 60619  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *William Powers*

October 04, 2023 at 06:11 PM



“ *To the family of William Powers, please accept sincere condolences during this time of grief. We all have felt the pain and emptiness of the enemy death in our lives. Please know that soon all these things that causes so much suffering will be no more. (Revelation 21:4)*

**V.G.** - March 08, 2014 at 07:27 AM



“ *1 Corinthians 15:26 As the last enemy, death is to be brought to nothing.*

**Gail McGrew** - March 06, 2014 at 08:15 AM



“ *My condolences to the family during this difficult time. Luke 20:38*

**Glenda Richmond** - March 03, 2014 at 06:44 AM