



## Leonard Patterson Sr.

June 4, 1935 - August 10, 2020

Leonard Patterson Sr. was born on June 4, 1935 in Liberty, Mississippi to the union of Maggie and Lucious Patterson. He was the sixth child out of eleven children.

Leonard was united in Holy Matrimony to Elnora Cross on December 19, 1953. This union was blessed with eight children.

In the mid 1950's, Leonard relocated his family from Mississippi to Ford Heights, Illinois, where his family continued to grow.

Leonard professed the hope in Christ and was baptized by Reverend L.E. Days in Tribbett, Mississippi in 1952. Later on in life, he joined Progressive Full Gospel Baptist Church under the leadership of Reverend Ellis Franklin Jr. As Leonard continued to reside in Ford Heights, he retired from Alco Spring Industries Inc. in 2013 where he worked for over 20 years.

On August 10, 2020, Leonard Patterson Sr. was called home to be with the Lord. He was preceded in death by his parents Maggie and Lucious; four sisters Bertha, Easter Mae, Beatrice, and Clementine; three brothers Hilton, Fred, and Odell; one granddaughter Danielle Simmons; one grandson Michael Davis; and two sons-in-law Alex Hollins and H.C. Bell.

Leonard's memories will forever be cherished by, his wife Elnora Patterson; five daughters Pearl Hollins, Dorothy Davis (Charles), Eddie Gordon (Johnnie), Rosie Johnson (James), and Gloria Bell; three sons Milton Patterson (Tandra), Jessie Paterson, and Leonard Patterson Jr.; three brothers Monroe (Minerva), John L. (Alice), and Eddie Louis; 25 grandchildren; over 50 great grandchildren, and a host of great-great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, other relatives, and friends.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG **21**. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

McCullough Funeral & Cremation Services (FH)  
1621 East Lincoln Highway  
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## Visitation

AUG **22**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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## Service

AUG **22**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Leonard Patterson Sr.

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“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Leonard Patterson Sr..



August 20, 2020 at 06:10 PM



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