



Opra Lee Oliver

June 10, 1925 - April 8, 2015

Opra Lee Oliver was born June 10, 1925 to Walter Lee Lambert and Mable Oliver in Merrouge, Louisiana.

Oliver moved to St. Louis, Missouri, where Elaine Smith joined him and became his wife on March 13, 1943. They recently celebrated 72 years of marriage.

Oliver worked as a Mechanic for Grey Hound and retired after 18 years from OK Trucking Company. He was also a veteran.

Oliver believed in God and was a good man. He supported his wife in her religious belief and her spiritual training she provided to their children.

Oliver loved his family. he had a passion for fishing. He taught his children and grandchildren how to fish. He loved to travel, dance, sing and he played the saxophone. His favorite music was jazz and blues. He had a favorite song he loved to sing to his wife, "I love you for sentimental reasons."

On Wednesday, April 8, 2015, Oliver fell asleep in death. He was preceded in death by his father, Walter Lee; his mother, Mable; uncle Henry; aunt Fannie; and two sons, Walter Lee II and Melvin.

Oliver leaves to cherish his memory, his devoted and loving wife, Elaine; five children, Gloria, Michael, Richard, Linda Ann and Mable; his three daughters-in-law, Vanoris, Marnetta and Linda Yvette; 12 grandchildren, Demetrius, Tara, Phillip Lashon, Keeva, Tyasha, Jillian, LaJuane, Terrence, Ricquia, Melvin II, Joshua and Omari; 18 great grandchildren; and a host of other family and friends.

Cemetery Details

Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery

20953 West Hoff Road
Elwood, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 18. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

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Service

APR 18. 3:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



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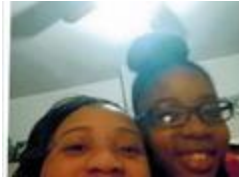


“ *Dear Oliver family, I am so sorry to hear of your loss. To my spiritual sister Elaine, this is Lisa Hughes, daughter of Wendell and Cheryl Hughes. I have very fond memories of Oliver and I hope at this time you take comfort in Jehovah and His promises found at Re21:3,4. We will be there in that paradise where we will get to see Oliver again. When you feel you can, please lion next with us here in California 760-295-7702. Love you and family for always. Sincerely, Lisa*

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