



Mr. Clester Willis

January 31, 1948 - October 30, 2024

Mr. Clester Willis, 76, departed this life on October 30, 2024, at his residence. Clester was born on January 31, 1948, in Peoria, IL, to the late James M. and Margaret I. Willis. He attended Roosevelt Middle School, and Manual High School, then went on to serve in the U.S. Airforce. Clester was employed with Caterpillar in East Peoria and Morton IL. He was a dedicated member and usher at Rising Sun Baptist Church. Clester had a kind and quiet spirit that evoked love and kindness. Clester was loved by many.

Clester leaves to cherish his precious memory: one son: Cleon Willis of Peoria; seven grandchildren, six great-grandchildren; three brothers: Elder (Silvia) Milton R. Willis Sr. of Gary, IN, Richard (Hedy) W. Willis, and Melvin L. Willis both of Peoria; three sisters: Mrs. Margaret (James) Bailey of San Diego, CA, Mrs. Sherry (Dwane) Mays of Killeen, Texas and Pastor Pamela Willis of San Diego, CA; a host of nephews, nieces, cousins and friends.

Clester, in addition to his loving parents, was preceded in death by Lovingly cherished siblings: Mr. Nelson P. Willis, Ms. Delvera Crook, Mr. James R. Willis, and Evangelist Patricia Jackson.

A Celebration of Life Service will be held on Tuesday, November 19, 2024, at T.W. Paks Colonial Chapel (201 N. Mac Arthur Hwy Peoria, IL 61605) at 11:00 a.m. with visitation commencing one hour prior at 10:00 a.m. Elder Robert Lee

Bell Jr. will officiant and Elder Milton Willis will present the Eulogy.

Interment will be held at Lutheran Cemetery, Peoria, IL.

Arrangements were made especially for the "Willis" family and professionally directed by T.W. Parks Colonial Chapel. Live streaming can be viewed by clicking the link for TW Parks Facebook page at: <https://www.facebook.com/tw-parkscolonialchapel>. To send flowers or a memorial gift to the family of Clester Willis. please visit our Sympathy Store

We Will ALWAYS LOVE YOU CLESTER!

Cemetery Details

Lutheran

914 S Pleasant St
Peoria, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 19. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

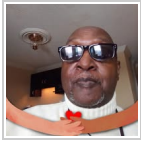
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Celebration of Life

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Tribute Wall



“ *J Henry Lee lit a candle in memory of Mr. Clester Willis*



J Henry Lee - November 16, 2024 at 06:22 PM



“ *Cheryll Gordon lit a candle in memory of Mr. Clester Willis*



Cheryll Gordon - November 15, 2024 at 10:08 PM