



Leon Barnett Collier, Sr.

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Leon Barnett Collier, Sr., 72, of Chattanooga, passed away Thursday, February 18, 2021 at his residence. He was retired from Chattem Drug Company, a faithful member of New Hope Missionary Baptist Church, where he served on the Deacon Board, Finance Committee, sang in the Choir and the Male Chorus. He also served in the U. S. Army. Leon was preceded in death by his wife, Mary Alice Collier; sons, LaFrederick Maurice and Deon Lonnell Collier; parents. Reuben and Gentry Collier; brothers, Harold, Lewis, and Albert Suttles, Leonard, Reuben and Rev. Freddie Collier; sister, Shirley Ann Lyons. His survivors are his son, Leon B. Collier Jr. of Hartsville, TN; devoted granddaughter, Shaquela (Donivan) Comena, of Chattanooga; 12 other grandchildren; 5 great-grandchildren; sister, Betty McGraw; a dear friend, Deborrah Carter; brothers-in-law, Arthur Knight, Reginald (Evelena) Knight, Edward Odom and James Knight, all of Chattanooga; sisters-in-law, Lorene Collier and Thelma Collier, of Chattanooga, Marilyn Chavis, of New York, N.Y., Jackie Knight, Barbara Douglas, Terry Williams, Annette (Ronnie) Truss, Sandra (Larry) Ransom and Juanita Dunnigan, all of Chattanooga; a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.



Events

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Lie-In-State


 **Saturday**, February 27, 2021

 12:30 PM - 5:00 PM ET

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3417 Wilcox Boulevard, Chattanooga TN 37411



Lie-In-State

 **Sunday**, February 28, 2021


 9:00 AM - 12:30 PM ET


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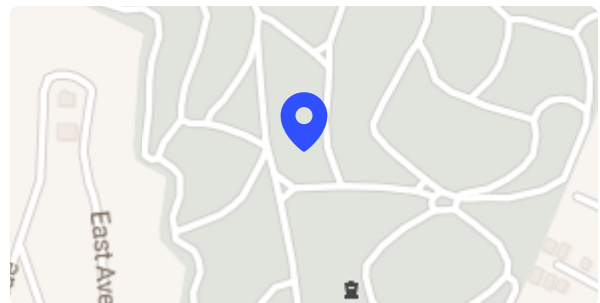


Burial

 **Sunday**, February 28, 2021

 1:00 PM ET

 **Forest Hills Cemetery**
4016 Tennessee Avenue, Chattanooga TN 37409





Tribute Wall

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RC

Robert Appleberry-Crawford posted:

My heart goes out to Leon's entire family, he will truly be missed. He was a dear friend and former schoolmate. I walked to school with Leon and Leonard for three years. I spent a lot time with them especially in the summer months. I'll keep the family in my Prayers. Thank You. Robert Appleberry-Crawford

March 2 at 10:01 AM



Anonymous sent an Enduring Grace to the Collier, family.



February 28 at 4:53 PM

KE

Karlen Eaton posted:

To the family of Leon, I would like to send words of comfort in your lost of someone so dear. I have known this family for over twenty five years and each one of you will be in my thoughts and prayers. Karlen Eaton and family.

February 27 at 9:38 AM

RB

Ruth A Boykin posted:

To the family of Mr. Leon Collier, Sr. Heartfelt thoughts go out to you in this time of sorrow Ruth Green Boykin & Horace Boykin

February 25 at 12:59 PM

PW

Pat Underwood Williams shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

May the Hope of heaven give you peace and the tender touch of GOD bring you comfort. Howard Class of 1968 are praying for the family.



February 23 at 6:31 PM



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PW

Pat Underwood Williams shared a photo to the **Tribute Wall** album.

Condolences from Howard Class of 1968. Precious Memory of the class 45 th Reunion. Leon enjoyed every minute .

February 23 at 6:16 PM



BD

Brenda Young Drake lit a candle in honor of Leon.

Thoughts and Prayers From Brenda Drake and the Young Family

February 23 at 2:46 PM



JH

Janice High lit a candle in honor of Leon.

February 23 at 11:42 AM



AS

Ashley Delynica Springs lit a candle in honor of Leon.

February 23 at 9:27 AM



VL

Vanessa M Lowery lit a candle in honor of Leon.

February 23 at 4:55 AM



Maxie Benton lit a candle in honor of Leon.

February 21 at 6:04 PM





Media

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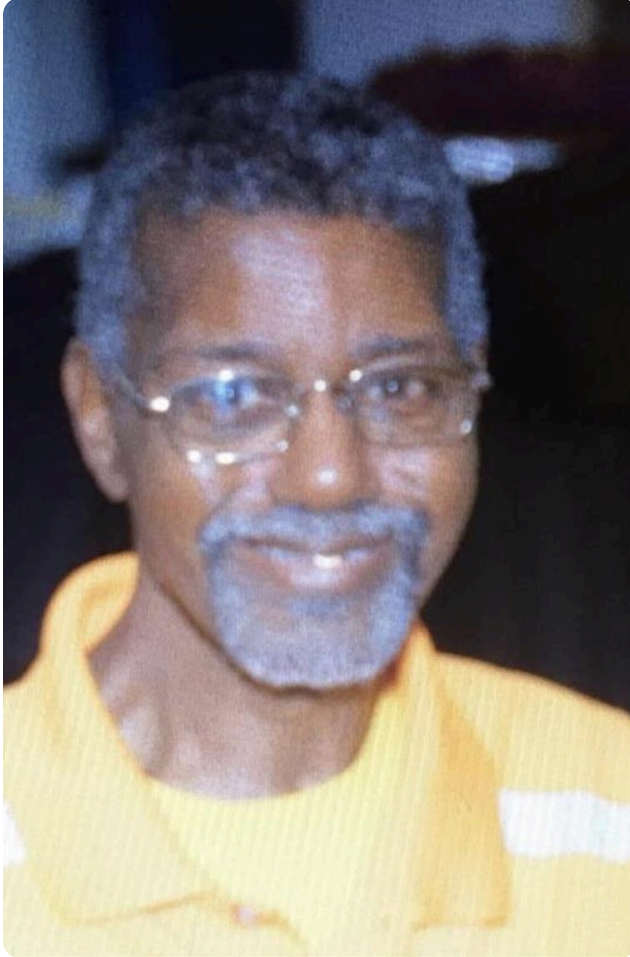
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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Leon by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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