



Cleveland Bell, Jr.

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Cleveland Bell, Jr., 76, of Chattanooga, passed away Friday, June 4, 2021 at his residence. He was a 1963 graduate of Howard High School. He was a member of Greater Friendship Missionary Baptist Church where he sang in the Mass and Male Choir. Cleveland retired twice from ADM Milling Company as a Mill Operator and Laborer. He was preceded in death by his wife, Renna Bell; son, Raymond Sterkey; daughter, Vanessa Buckner; grandson, Quincy Bell; parents, Cleveland and Florine Bell, Sr.; and six siblings. Survivors include his son, Cleveland Bell III of Chattanooga; daughter, Tera (Alfred, Jr.) Johnson of Rock Spring, GA; 13 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; brothers, Leon (Barbara) Bell of Murfreesboro, TN, Leroy (Sharon) Bell, and Johnny Bell, both of Chattanooga; sisters, Vashti McDonald and Maelizzie (Calvin) Woods, both of Chattanooga; a host of nieces; nephews; cousins; other relatives and friends. Pastor Anthony Williams will serve as the eulogist.




Events

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Lie-In-State

 **Sunday**, June 13, 2021

 12:30 PM - 5:30 PM ET


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3417 Wilcox Boulevard, Chattanooga TN 37411

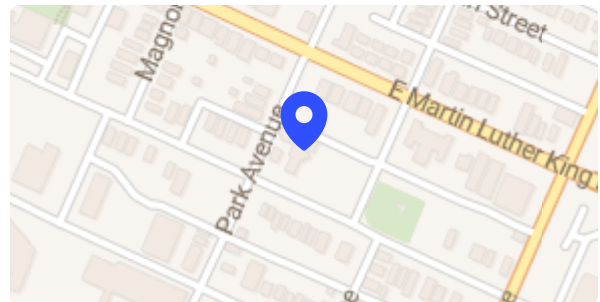


Service


 **Monday**, June 14, 2021

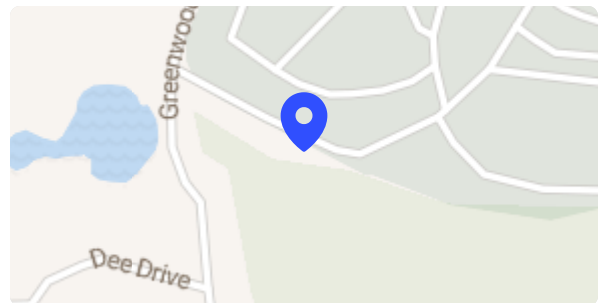
 12:00 PM ET

 **Greater Friendship Missionary Baptist Church**
914 Park Avenue, Chattanooga TN 37403



Cemetery Details

 **Greenwood Cemetery**
1954 Greenwood Road, Chattanooga TN 37406





Tribute Wall

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CS

Cynthia Smartt posted:

Mr. Bell was a very mild mannered humble man, with a gentle spirit. He was also a great cook. Mr. Bell has already lived and left a legacy of living for Christ. I had never seen someone in his mid sixties, at the time, that could still do a toe touch (lol) Mr. Bell was definitely one of a kind and will be greatly missed by many.

June 16 at 4:21 AM



Anonymous sent a Sentiments of Serenity Spray to the Bell, family.



June 11 at 11:52 AM

CB

Carolyn Bailey posted:

I have known Cleveland since first grade. He was respectful, kind, considerate and dependable. A quiet and good natured soul that will be missed by his 1963 class members of Howard High School. Carolyn Miller Bailey

June 11 at 5:50 AM



Elaine McConnell June 14 at 7:57 AM

I have known Cleveland and Reana for a long time he was a great friend to everyone he will be greatly missed love to the family From Elaine McConnell.

DR

Deborah Ragland posted:

Cleveland was a great asset to the Howard CLass of 1963. He will fondly be remembered. Praying for God's comfort to you his family.

June 10 at 9:04 AM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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