



Mr. Ernest Griffin Oby

April 24, 1924 - July 4, 2013

Ernest Griffin Oby was born on April 24, 1924 to Rosa Oby Thompson and Kernan Oby in Baton Rouge, Louisiana. He received his formal education in Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

Ernest Oby was a member at All Saints Catholic Church where he was on the food pantry committee.

Ernest Griffin Oby was united in holy matrimony with Lillie Ruthadella Taylor on April 24, 1948 in Baton Rouge, Louisiana. Their union was blessed with seven children.

Ernest enlisted into the United States Army at the age of seventeen. He was honorably discharged on April 6, 1946. He received a WW II Victory Metal. He was employed by the U.S. Post Office, where he retired after twenty-eight years of service. Ernest received a special service award.

Ernest Griffin Oby departed this life on July 4, 2013. He was preceded in death by his wife, Lillie R. Oby, brother, Wilbur Thompson; and two sisters, Thelma Oby Reed and Nettie Jenkins.

He leaves to cherish his memory: children, Darlene, Bobby (Rita), Michael (Joyce), Jerry, Kathy, Ernie (Betty), Joe (Krvstal), grandchildren, Tiffany, Sharita, Joe, Melinda, LaRue, Michelle, Michaelyn, Cheraldmeca, Gerald Jr.,

Keena, Christian, Caleb, Stephen, Lynesha, Bryan, Isaiah, Immanuel, Israel, and Dawn; siblings, Ovid (Christina) Thompson of Seattle, WA, Theresa Oby Flanagan of North Highlands, CA, Harriett Oby Mack of Baton Rouge, LA, Veoletta (Charles E. Sr.) Trice, of Louisville, KY and Charles Oby of Baton Rouge, LA; ten great-grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephew, other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Graceland Cemetery

6401 N. 43rd Street
Milwaukee, WI

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 10. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Northwest Funeral Chapel
6630 W. Hampton Ave
Milwaukee, WI

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Written in the Stars* was purchased for the family of Mr. Ernest Griffin Oby.



July 08, 2013 at 09:46 PM



“ *Northside Christian Assembly-Madison WI. purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray* for the family of Mr. Ernest Griffin Oby.



Northside Christian Assembly-Madison WI. - July 08, 2013 at 10:24 AM



“ *Ovid Thompson purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket* for the family of Mr. Ernest Griffin Oby.



Ovid Thompson - July 07, 2013 at 10:28 PM