



Mr. James Walter Wilks

October 8, 1932 - July 16, 2015

James Walter Wilks was born on October 8, 1932 to the union of Curtis Wilks and Willie Wilson in Kosciusko, Mississippi. He received his formal education at Mount Moriah School in Kosciusko, Mississippi. James accepted Christ as his Savior at an early age. After moving to Milwaukee, Wisconsin at the age of 18 he was united with Golden' Rule Church Of God In Christ where he served as a Deacon under the late Pastor Miller.

He was employed at Ziegler Candy Factory as a Factory Worker and worked other jobs until his retirement in 1987. In his leisure James enjoyed bingo, he loved western movies and he loved listening to Gospel music and going to Bible Study.

James Walter Wilks departed this life on July 16, 2015. He was preceded in death by his parents, Curtis Wilks and Willie Wilson; brother-in-law, John Hobson; sister-in-law, Louise Wilks; five step-siblings; and his grandparents.

He leaves to cherish his memory: sisters, Shirley (John) Gladney, Earnesteen Hobson both of Milwaukee, Wisconsin and Iria L Wilks of Colorado Springs, Colorado; brothers, J .W. Wilks, Royce Wilks, Tim Wilks, Willie (Debra) Wilks all of Milwaukee, Wisconsin and Ricky (Mary) Wilks of Memphis, Tennessee; aunt, Ida Love; step-sisters, Virginia Hannah, Vera Nash, Berneice Thomas, Dela Porter and Flora Coleman; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and dear friends.

Cemetery Details

Graceland Cemetery

6401 N. 43rd St.
Milwaukee, WI

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 21. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Northwest Funeral Chapel
6630 W. Hampton Ave
Milwaukee, WI

Service

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