



Mr. Leander Boyd

June 3, 1937 - August 19, 2015

Leander Boyd was born on June 2, 1937 to the union of Isaac and Minnie Boyd in Belzoni, Mississippi. He later moved to Milwaukee, Wisconsin where he received his formal education from the Milwaukee County Public School System. He accepted Christ as his Savior at a very early age and was united with Beautiful Zion Church in Mississippi. He later united with the Mount Carmel Missionary Baptist Church in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Leander Boyd was joined in holy matrimony to Doris McKinney on August 14, 1961 in Waukegan, Illinois. Their union was blessed with three children. Leander and Doris shared 54 years of blissful marriage.

He was employed as a Lead Machine Operator at Rexnord for over 35 years. After retirement, Leander enjoyed fishing with friends, traveling, taking care of his home and yard, but most of all spending time with his family.

Leander was a faithful member of the Mount Carmel's Males Chorus for several years where he loved singing praises unto the Lord.

Leander was loved and admired by many. He treasured the togetherness of family. His life was filled with caring for and helping others. He enjoyed meeting and talking to new people.

Leander left an unforgettable impression on those he encountered with his great advice, interesting stories and witty and funny jokes. Leander Boyd was called home on August 19, 2015. He was preceded in death by his parents, Isaac Boyd and Minnie Phillips; three sisters, Angie Cade, Helen Harris and Theresa King. Leander Boyd leaves to cherish his memory and carry on his legacy, his loving and devoted wife, Doris; two sons, Leander Jr. and Cornelius (Barbara); one daughter, Renee; his brothers, Isaac (Mary) Boyd Jr., Percy (Janice) Carroll Jr.; five grandchildren, Tanika (Michael), Alexious, Angela (Christopher), Lashelle, and Jeramiah; four precious great-grandchildren, Michael Jr, Mariah, Akeelah, and Christopher Jr., and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and special friends.

Cemetery Details

Graceland Cemetery

6401 N. 43rd St.
Milwaukee, WI

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **24**. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Northwest Funeral Chapel
6630 W. Hampton Ave
Milwaukee, WI

Visitation

AUG **25**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Mt. Carmel B.C.
1717 W. Meinecke Ave
Milwaukee, WI

Service

AUG **25**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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