



Cherry Carr

May 23, 1930 - December 28, 2013

Cherry Carr

Another Trumpeter silenced...one more voice gone from the once famed local African American religious vocal group, "the Golden Trumpeters".. Cherry Carr, a longtime member of that group departed this life on Saturday morning, December 28, 2013, at a local nursing/rehabilitation center in Bowling Green, Kentucky.

Medically predicted not to survive infancy, Carr, who was born on May 23, 1930 in Trousdale County, Tennessee to Dave (1895-1932) and Mildred Corley Carr (1900-1959), though ill many times throughout his existence, lived almost 84 years).

He was predeceased by his loving wife Bernice Sarver Carr (1932-1969) and their son Sidney Earl Carr (.../Sid Carr Gymnasium BG Parks and Recreation) sisters Thedders Alexander (1920-2010) Audrey Bailey (1922-2006), and brother Billy Carr (1928-1986).

Carr lived, attended school, and worked around Bowling Green most of his life. His mathematical prowess at State Street School was often lauded by his elementary teachers.

His employment activities included the now defunct Helm Hotel, Western Kentucky University and Ray's Restaurant. Indeed, Cherry was so thorough and dedicated in his employment that it was rather difficult to find someone who wanted to work as hard as he replace him.

Cherry took pride in his meticulous appearance and surroundings and was known for having the shiniest shoes and car in town. He would spend hours working in both areas.

Cherry is survived by son William Edward Carr (Leisha) of Bowling Green, 10 grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren , daughter in-law Phyllis Nichols- Carr of Bowling Green, nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Sadly and humbly submitted by family

-Your friends at Burnam and Son

Cemetery Details

Fairview Cemetery

1209 Fairview Ave
Bowling Green, KY 42101

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 30. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Burnam & Son Mortuary, Inc.
201 Center Street
Bowling Green, KY 42101
(270) 843-2336
burnamson@mw.twcbc.com

Service

DEC 31. 1:00 PM (CT)

Eleventh Street Baptist Church
1035 Kenton Street
Bowling Green, KY 42101

Tribute Wall

AT

“ Unk, you sneaked out on me while I was having surgery, but I am thankful unto God that I had the last chances to visit and care for you in the hospital and nursing home. It takes a lot out of me to approach this, but I finally made it. Love, your niece, Angela.

Angela Townsend - August 13, 2014 at 10:08 PM



“ I am very sorry for The lost u all have had .I remember when I was a little girl he Wud run us out of his yard...he was a very good man...

Lisa Morales - March 07, 2014 at 10:14 PM



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SL

“ Offering our deepest condolences. God bless your family. We love each of you.

Sabrina and Marvin Loving - January 11, 2014 at 03:42 PM

LI

“ Lively-Clark lit a candle in memory of Cherry Carr



Lively-Clark - January 02, 2014 at 03:53 PM

LO

“ I worked in Mr. Carr's building at WKU for several years, and we all loved him. He was a kind, gentle soul, and a hard worker. I truly missed him after he left WKU, and have many good memories of him.

Linda Oldham - December 31, 2013 at 11:51 AM

PF

“ Peggy Fishback and family



Peggy Fishback - December 30, 2013 at 09:18 PM

MF

“ Mona Ware & Family lit a candle in memory of Cherry Carr



Mona Ware & family - December 30, 2013 at 05:15 PM

SA

“ Sarah lit a candle in memory of Cherry Carr



Sarah - December 30, 2013 at 02:35 PM

MB

“ *Marian Withrow Benton lit a candle in memory of Cherry Carr*



Marian Withrow Benton - December 30, 2013 at 12:11 PM

DB

“ *David & Wilma Buford lit a candle in memory of Cherry Carr*



David & Wilma Buford - December 30, 2013 at 09:45 AM

RM

“ *You truly have my deepest sympathy. William and Leisha I love you and my prayers are with you. Hang in grandchildren and great grandchildren, LaJustin, Chris, Kristin and Anetha just to name some of you. Love you and God Bless you. Ruth Morrow and family*



Ruth Morrow - December 30, 2013 at 08:55 AM

MH

“ *Marceline Hall lit a candle in memory of Cherry Carr*



Marceline Hall - December 30, 2013 at 06:32 AM

JF

I worked with Mr. Carr at First Federal years ago and loved him for his sweet and loving nature. He was an example for me. Jackie Farris

Jackie Farris - December 30, 2013 at 07:24 PM

CL

“ Charles Lewis lit a candle in memory of Cherry Carr



Charles Lewis - December 29, 2013 at 10:12 PM

JL

“ Joyce Lewis lit a candle in memory of Cherry Carr



Joyce Lewis - December 29, 2013 at 10:08 PM

JR

“ Jean Reid lit a candle in memory of Cherry Carr



Jean Reid - December 29, 2013 at 10:06 PM

TT

“ Teresa Ann Taylor lit a candle in memory of Cherry Carr



Teresa Ann Taylor - December 29, 2013 at 08:35 PM

SS

“ To William, Lecia, and family. To God be the glory for the wonderful thing he had done. Our heart felt sympathy to all of you in the loss of your dad, grandfather, uncle, and friend. May the word of The Lord sustain you, his arms comfort you, and his love be a balm in the days ahead. Shawna A. Stovall and family.

Shawna A. Stovall - December 29, 2013 at 07:58 PM

MC

“ To the family of Cherry Carr, you have my deepest sympathy in the loss of your loved one. May the Lord keep His loving arms around you and give you comfort.

Mary Duncan Cole and family.



Mary Cole - December 29, 2013 at 12:10 PM

EB

“ Elaine Burton lit a candle in memory of Cherry Carr



Elaine Burton - December 29, 2013 at 11:16 AM

DC

“ Deborah Claypool lit a candle in memory of Cherry Carr



Deborah Claypool - December 28, 2013 at 10:47 PM

EB

“ Edward Deborah Bufford lit a candle in memory of Cherry Carr



Edward Deborah Bufford - December 28, 2013 at 08:50 PM

WB

“ Wathetta Buford lit a candle in memory of Cherry Carr



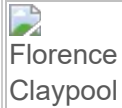
Wathetta Buford - December 28, 2013 at 07:20 PM

DF

“ Diana Murrell And Family lit a candle in memory of Cherry Carr



Diana Murrell and Family - December 28, 2013 at 06:19 PM



Florence
Claypool

“ *Florence Claypool lit a candle in memory of
Cherry Carr*



Florence Claypool - December 28, 2013 at 05:56 PM



“ *Dear Carr Family,
There are few things more difficult than
dealing with the loss of a loved one. We,
along with our staff, are honored and humbled
that you have chosen our family to care for
your family during this time. It is our hope that we have been able, in
some small way, to lighten your burden and give proper reverence
to a life lived. Please let us know if we can be of further service.*



*Respectfully,
Carmen, Cedric, Claudia and Kelly
2nd Generation Owners
info@burnamandsonmortuary.com*

Cedric Burnam - December 28, 2013 at 11:37 AM