



Robert L. Briggs Jr.

December 16, 1933 - July 1, 2011

Mr. Robert L. Briggs, Jr., age 77, of Franklin, KY, died Friday, July 1, 2011, at the Medical Center in Franklin, Kentucky.

Robert Jr, as he was affectionally known, was a former 30 year Young's Department Store employee. Afterwards, he went to work at Ace Hardware, where he served as Senior Buyer -Sales Person for 20 years. The Elevated Baptist Church member was a graduate of Lincoln High School, where he played football on Lincoln's 1949 Undefeated Team. He served his community as the longest active Electric Plant Board Member and Habitat for Humanity Volunteer. Robert Jr enjoyed golf, basketball, fishing, gardening, football, reading, listening to Solomon Burke, B.B.King, traveling and his favorite saying, "Leave My Stuff Alone".

He was the son of the late Robert L. and Virginia Payne Briggs Sr. Also preceded him in death where his wife; Virgie L. Briggs, son; James Gordon Briggs, sister; Mary Briggs-Burnam, brothers; James and Alfred L. Briggs and his uncle; Ben Briggs.

He is survived by his daughters; Mrs. Carolyn (Charles) Hogan, Franklin, Kentucky and Mrs. Deborah (Dennis) Harris , Anaheim, California; sons; Mr. Gary Briggs, Franklin, Kentucky and Mr. Troy (Katie) Briggs, Los Angeles, California; sister; Mrs. Nancy (David) Clay, Indianapolis, Indiana; brother; Mr.

Emmett (Vickie) Briggs, Orange, California; 11 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren; aunt; Mary "Sister" Johnson, Franklin, Kentucky; uncle; Fred Briggs, Franklin, Kentucky; several nieces, nephews, cousins, relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Shady Rest Cemetery

East Street
420 Cemetery Street
Franklin, KY 42134
(270) 586-6029
<http://www.franklinky.org/>

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 6. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Elevated Baptist Church
307 Bell Street
Franklin, KY 42134

Life Celebration

JUL 7. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Burnam & Son Mortuary, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Robert L. Briggs Jr.*



Burnam & Son Mortuary, Inc. - July 01, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Dear Briggs 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 Owner
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Cedric Burnam - July 02, 2011 at 01:38 AM