



### *Honorary Pallbearers*

David Shelton III  
Theo R. Figures  
Donald W. Nash  
Marty L. Ford  
Deveon Thrower  
Christopher Huntley

Larry J. Marshall  
M. Don Mims  
Michael D. Nash  
Martin L. Ford  
Jordan Huntley  
Jaxon Sissney

### *Flower Bearers*

Rashonda R. Hagar  
Gabby Huntley  
Jasmine Hagar  
Maliyah L. Ford

Angela M. Ford  
Arianna Sissney  
Addisyn Hagar  
Blake Nash

### *Interment*

Trice Hill Cemetery  
5101 North Coltrane Road  
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73121

Please drive with your lights on for safety and fasten your seat belts.

### *Acknowledgement*

The family of Orville Lee Cornelius Jr. appreciates and wishes to express our deepest and sincere gratitude for the kind and thoughtful expression of sympathy during our time of bereavement.

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*II Timothy 4:8*

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*Celebrating the life of &  
In Loving Memory of*



*Orville Lee Cornelius Jr.*

SUNRISE  
*December 7, 1954*

SUNSET  
*December 6, 2020*

Graveside Service

Monday, December 21, 2020 - 1:00 p.m.

*Trice Hill Cemetery*

5101 North Coltrane Road  
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73121

Minister - Officiating



On Sunday December 6, 2020, **Orville Lee Cornelius Jr.** passed away at the age of 65. He was born on December 7<sup>th</sup>, 1954, at Benedictine Heights Hospital to Shirley J. Huntley and Orville L. Cornelius Sr.

His early childhood was spent growing up in Guthrie, Oklahoma with family and grandparents, John and Dorothy Sears who groomed him to be a respectful hard working young man. Orville confessed his faith and was baptized at the First Baptist Church, in Guthrie.

Orville graduated from Northeast High School in Oklahoma City and later attended Central State University in Edmond, OK. There he studied Psychology and met many lifelong friends.

He worked for the State of Oklahoma as a Warehouse Supervisor. There he met and married the love of his life of 27 years, Katherine Louise Deaton until her passing on October 12, 2020. They remained dedicated and loyal to each other and inseparable to the end. Orville enjoyed spending time with his immediate family, grandchildren, nieces, nephews and friends. He also, enjoyed westerns, horror movies and attending events and he especially loved reading.

Some thought of him as a quiet man; with inter wisdom, strength and a big heart but not afraid of anything or anyone. Orville was witty, humorous with his facial expression and a joy to be around. Whenever you left his presence it was always with a smile.

Orville is survived by his Mother, father, two sisters, Gail B. Nash (Don), Vanessa J. Ford (Marty) and brother, Raymond Huntley, Daughter by marriage Tiffany Deaton, in addition to a host of nieces, nephews, grandchildren, relatives and friends.

He will be deeply missed by all his friends, family and all who knew him. We the family would like to thank you for all your prayers during this time of our loss.

To You I have left Behind  
"I have no fear,  
my tears are wiped away,  
and all my pain is gone  
because I'm now in my new home with the Lord."



## *Memories Of Our Brother*

*How well we do remember  
All the special times we had  
As we were raised side by side  
Sharing good times, sharing bad*

*Sometimes we would disagree  
But always made up in the end  
But as we grew to be adults  
We became the best of friends*

*Then you heard the voice of Jesus  
Gently calling from on high  
He was holding out His loving arms  
But we could not say "good-bye"*

*So we said "see you later"  
Dear brother, wait for me  
In the beauty of God's Heaven  
Where the best is yet to be.*

*Gail, Vanessa & Raymond – Siblings Always*

## *Order of Service*

Opening Prayer ~ Minister

Scripture ~ Minister  
Psalm 23

Silent Reading of the Obituary

Special Remarks ~ Family & Friends

Words of Comfort ~ Minister

Closing Prayer ~ Minister

Music ~ Goin' Up Yonder

## *I'm Free*

*Don't grieve for me, for now I'm free  
I'm following the path God laid for me.  
I took His hand when I heard Him call,  
I turned my back and left it all.  
I could not stay another day  
To laugh, to love, to work or play,  
Tasks left undone must stay that way  
I found that peace, at the close of day.  
If my parting has left a void  
Then fill it with memories of joy.  
A friendship shared, a laugh, a kiss,  
All these things, I too will miss.  
Be not burdened with times of sorrow  
I wish you the sunshine of tomorrow.  
My life's been full, I've savored much;  
Good friends, good times, a loved one's touch.  
Perhaps my time seemed all too brief  
Don't lengthen it now with undue grief.  
Lift up your heart and share with me,  
God wanted me now, He set me free.*