

*Honorary Pallbearers*

Quinton Draper  
Darion Kirk  
Terrance Knight  
Willis Brown

Shelby Draper  
Christopher Kirk  
Elijah Rose  
John Ford

Mack Purcell

*Flower Bearers*

Caprisha Kirk  
Ashley Edwards

Aquion Knight  
NaTaya Luter

*Special Acknowledgement To:*

McDonald's Family (The Wagner's and Christopher Hamilton),  
Mercy Central, Senior Helpers, Marva Dotson, Charles and Juanice  
Shelton, Rosalind Pittman, Minister Odie Bunch, Pastor Stephine  
Winston, Pastor Lynasene Knight, Melissa Simpson, as well as Temple  
& Sons Funeral Home.

The Kirk family would like to express its sincere thanks to everyone  
during their time of bereavement. Thank you to those that have called,  
texted, sent cards, flowers and most importantly for the many prayers!

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*"We Care"*

CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF

*Ronald Leroy Kirk*



*Sunrise*

February 7, 1953

*Sunset*

September 7, 2021

# Obituary

Ronald Leroy Kirk was born February 7<sup>th</sup>, 1953 to Leroy Kirk and Margie Richmond, the second to oldest child born to this union. He was preceded in death by his parents, stepmother Norma Kirk.

Ronald attended Oklahoma schools and graduated from McAlister High School. Ronald worked many years for Kimray and National Cans. Ronald spent a decade as an automotive mechanic and was often referred to as "The Mechanic Man." Ronald was well known for his sense of humor and love for people, he never met a stranger. Ronald was saved at an early age and rededicated his life to Christ in 2012.

June 1977, Ronald married Shelia Kirk and with this union, three beautiful girls were born. The simplest pleasures of life brought joy to Ronald. He enjoyed being a family man and adored his daughters, his grandchildren, and great grandchildren. His family could always count on his daily calls or text to simply say, how much he loved them.

Ronald is survived by his wife, Shelia Kirk; his three daughters: Karrale Draper, Sheneka Kirk, Mary Knight, and son-in-law, Terrance Knight; one brother, Ollen Kirk; five sisters: Myra Kirk-Brown, Cathy Kirk-Michonet, Rochelle Medina, Renee Walters, and Nicole Kirk; seven beloved grandchildren: Quinton Draper, Shelby Draper, Caprisha Kirk, Darlon Kirk, Christopher Kirk, Aquion Knight, and Elijah Rose; three great grandchildren: Ava Knight-Grigsby, Braxton Kirk, and Preston Smith; his long-time special friend, Marie Barrett, as well as aunts, nieces, cousins and friends.

Ronald had an uncanny ability to find happiness and courageously pulled off loving life for what it was. Although he faced challenges, he finally found his place of contentment and happiness. He often expressed how much the Good Lord had truly blessed him. Ronald will be missed and will remain in our hearts now and forevermore!

# Order of Service

Friday, September 24, 2021 - 11:00 a.m.

TEMPLE & SONS FUNERAL DIRECTORS, INC.

EARL M. TEMPLE MEMORIAL CHAPEL

2801 North Kelley Avenue

Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Pastor Stephine Winston - Officiating

- Processional ..... "I Can Only Imagine"
- Scripture Reading
  - Old Testament ..... Minister Odie Bunch
  - New Testament ..... Pastor Lynasene Knight
- Prayer ..... Pastor Stephine Winston
- Song ..... "Safe In His Arms"
- Resolutions/Acknowledgments
- Remarks ..... 2 minutes only
- Song ..... "Stairway To Heaven"
- Words of Comfort ..... Minister Odie Bunch
- Celebration of Life Video Tribute .... Temple & Sons Funeral Directors
- Parting Glance ..... "I'll Be Loving You Always"
- Recessional

## 23rd Psalm

*The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies; thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.*