



SAM EDWARD WILSON Sr

August 30, 1926 - August 18, 2019

Obituary

SAM EDWARD WILSON Sr.

Sam Edward Wilson, Sr, 92, passed away on August 18, 2019 at his home in Kansas City, MO. He was born on August 30, 1926 in Baxter, Arkansas to Doc and Reola Wilson. Sam grew up in Dermott, Arkansas and was educated in their school system. Sam dedicated his life to Christ at an early age and attended Emmanuel Baptist Church until his death. Sam worked for Trailways Bus Company as an express package handler for 25 years before retiring. In his retirement he decided that the work force needed him once again and drove a school bus for School Services and Leasing for 12 years. He received many awards for safety and attendance during his tenure as a school bus driver. Sam was an avid outdoorsman. He enjoyed fishing and hunting in his spare time. He often traveled around the United States to visit members of his family and he could always be found on a lake in those states.

Sam was preceded in death by his parents as well as his oldest son, Cecil Robinson Sr. and his youngest daughter, Patricia Wilson-Butler; his two brothers, James Wilson, Woodrow Wilson and sister, Vera Mae Murphy. He is survived by his beautiful wife, Lillie B. Wilson, of the city; his two daughters, Pearl Golman, of Chicago, IL; Darlene Saulsberry; four sons - Sam E Wilson Jr (Joyce), Charles Wilson (Donna), Willie Wilson and Donnell Wilson, all of

the city. Sam also leaves behind his sister, Gloria Jean Williams, of Indianapolis, IN; 19 grandchildren, 42 great-grandchildren, 5 great, great-grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. The family wishes to extend their gratitude to Lawrence A. Jones funeral home, Serenity Care hospice services and Pastor Ronnie L White, Sr. and Emmanuel Baptist Church of Kansas City, Missouri.

Funeral Services will be held at 11:00 A.M. on Friday, August 23, 2019 at Emmanuel Baptist Church 920 Olive Street Kansas City, Missouri. Visitation 9:00 a.m. Interment in Longview Memorial Gardens Cemetery.

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“ Sam Wilson, my beloved cousin, was a wonderful and caring person. My prayers are offered for his wife and his entire family.. My life was enriched by getting to know him over the years. I will always hold cherished memories of his smile, his laughter, and his always uplifting spirit. May all who knew and loved Sam hold dear to their hearts their own precious thoughts and memories. God will extend comfort to us as our tears gradually relent to smiles as we remember Sam Wilson.

Sandra Walker, PhD - August 26, 2019 at 02:42 PM

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“ A candle was lit in remembrance

Angela Bradley - August 23, 2019 at 11:48 AM

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“ My deepest condolences to the Wilson Family Mr. Wilson was a very good man, He Was very well liked and a very good provider for his family I Remember him always fishing and being outside and cooking all the time with his family. Im the Stepdaughter of Willie Wilson. He practically helped raise me im will deep grief this morning for the family. GOD BLESS YOU ALL Angela Malone Bradley

Angela Bradley - August 23, 2019 at 11:32 AM