

George Western Sr.

George Western was born November 29, 1941, in Cooksville, MS to the late Oathar and Lucille C Western. George was the middle child. There were two other siblings; Betty Lewis (oldest) and Alvin U. Hunt (deceased).

The family moved to Chicago in 1948, where he attended Shakespeare Grammar School and Hyde Park High School. After leaving high school he joined the U.S. Navy in 1960.

George married Constance on January 1, 1966, after meeting on the “L” train as they both traveled to work. He was blessed with two children; George O. Western Jr. and Lytrise Dionne Shingles.

George was employed with Hot Point. After the plant closed, he transferred to GE in Decatur, Alabama in 1989, working in refrigeration, retiring in 1999 with 35 years of service.

Mr. Western united with Decatur Christian Fellowship Church in Decatur. George had several hobbies which included; fishing, traveling over the USA by car, and horseback riding on the two horses that he owned.

He is preceded in death by his parents; brother, Alvin Hunt and daughter, Lytrise Dionne Shingles.

George will always be remembered by: **a son**, George O. Western, Jr. (Lawanda) of Matteson, IL; **his loving sister**, Betty Lewis of Chicago, IL; **grandchildren**, Victor Emanuel Shingles of Minneapolis, Neshia Neshae Shingles of Indianapolis, Julian Western, Aaron Western, Georgetta K. Western, George O. Western, III, Phillip Western and Grace Western; **great grandchildren**, Devay Ratliff, Toni Richardson, Jaden Shingles, Iyanna Western, Jaren Western and Juliea Western; **sister-in-law**, Debbie Hunt of Tulsa; **nephews and nieces**, Renee Lewis and Fabian Lewis of Chicago, Alaina Hunt and Corey Hunt of Tulsa and a host of cousins, other relatives and friends.

Order of Service

Soft Music

Seating of the Family

Scripture and Prayer

Bishop Cary Orr

Selection

Tribute

Words of Comfort

Brother John White

Selection

Closing Prayer

Recessional



*Dear Brother,
“God has smiled on you. He has set you free. God has smiled on you.
He has set you free. You’ve entered the Arc of Safety.”*

*Lovingly,
The Family*

Psalm 145:17-21

The Lord is righteous in all his ways, and holy in all his works. The Lord is night unto all them that call upon him, to all that call upon him in truth. He will fulfil the desire of them that fear him; he also will hear their cry, and will save them. The Lord preserveth all them that love him: but all the wicked will he destroy. My mouth shall speak the praise of the Lord: and let all flesh bless his holy name for ever and ever.



Acknowledgment

Perhaps you sent a lovely card, or sat quietly in a chair,
Perhaps you sent a floral piece, if so we saw it there.
Perhaps you spoke the kindest words that any friend could say
Perhaps you were not there at all-just thought of us that day.
Whatever you did to console our hearts,
We thank you so much, whatever the part.
The Family



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Born Into Time:
November 29, 1941

Born Into Eternity:
September 5, 2016

FUNERAL SERVICE

Saturday, September 17, 2016
11:00 A.M.

Reynolds Funeral Home Memorial Chapel
103 13th Avenue, NW
Decatur, AL 35601

Brother John White, *Officiating*
Decatur Christian Fellowship Church