



Mr. Gene Edward Thompson Sr.

December 6, 1947 - June 18, 2021

Obituary

Gene Edward Thompson, Sr. entered into eternal rest on Friday, June 18, 2021. He was born to the late Mr. Frazier Thompson, Sr. and the late Mrs. Lucille Duncan Thompson of Wilcox County Georgia on December 6, 1947. He was also blessed with a stepmother, Mrs. Cornelia Thompson.

Gene was educated in Wilcox County Schools. He graduated from Excelsior High School in Rochelle, Georgia in 1966. He attended Trident Technical College. Gene was a proud Vietnam War Veteran and served in the United States Marine Corps.

While stationed in Charleston, SC he met Genita Wilson and the two married on December 9, 1972, and from this union they were blessed with a son, Gene ("Treat") and a daughter, Geneene.

Gene worked at WCIV-News Channel 4, ADT Security Systems and retired from Comcast Cable Communications, LLC (Xfinity) after years of dedicated service. Gene enjoyed studying the Bible, fishing, and watching television game shows. He was a loyal friend and touched the lives of many people with his generosity and genuine compassion.

Many heartfelt memories will forever be cherished by his loving and devoted children, Gene E. Thompson, II of Charleston, SC and Geneene N. Thompson of Greenville, SC; sisters, Mrs. Ceola Richey and Mrs. Mary Slaughter of Decatur, Georgia, Mrs. Sandra Lane (Myron) of McDonough Georgia; brothers, Mr. Roland Thompson (Annette) of McDonough, GA, Mr. Melvin Thompson of Cordele, Georgia, Mr. Frazier Thompson, Jr. (Bobbie Jean) and Mr. Carl Thompson (Repondsia Thompson) all of Pitts, Georgia, Mr. Sammy Thompson of Seville, Georgia and Mr. Forrest Thompson of McDonough, Georgia, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Walk-Thru Viewing - Friday, June 25, 2021 - 4:00 - 6:00 PM

Celebration of Life Services: Saturday, June 26, 2021 - 11 AM

Smith-McNeal Funeral Chapel - 2119 Dorchester Road, North Charleston, SC

Interment: Military Honors - Riverview Memorial Park

3715 Azalea Drive, North Charleston, SC

Cemetery Details

Riverview Memorial Park

3715 Azalea Drive
North Charleston, SC 29405
(843) 744-3949

Previous Events

Celebration of Life Service

JUN **26**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Smith-McNeal Funeral Home
2119 Dorchester Road
North Charleston, SC 29405
(843) 722-3676
smithmcnealfuner@gmail.com

Tribute Wall

BJ

“*Rest in Power in Heaven, Sir.*” from Barbara Ann Jackson in Sierra Vista, Arizona (Rochelle GA Native)



Barbara Ann Jackson - June 24, 2021 at 10:48 PM

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“*Aunt Shirley & Uncle Hank purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mr. Gene Edward Thompson Sr..*”



Aunt Shirley & Uncle Hank - June 24, 2021 at 07:19 PM

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“*Missing the man we the Cannon and Williams-Hopkins family call Uncle Gene. My father Henry Cannon long time friend/bro from the Marines. our hearts are heavy during these times. My thoughts and prayers are with the entire family especially his daughter Geneene and son Gene II*”

Carmen William-Hopkins - June 24, 2021 at 03:33 PM

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“ WILCOX COUNTY CLASSES OF 1975-79 purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mr. Gene Edward Thompson Sr..



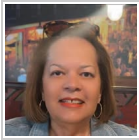
WILCOX COUNTY CLASSES OF 1975-79 - June 23, 2021 at 09:55 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Gene Edward Thompson Sr..



June 23, 2021 at 08:13 PM



“ Dedra Gourdine Davis purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Mr. Gene Edward Thompson Sr..



Dedra Gourdine Davis - June 23, 2021 at 05:26 PM

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“ DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO THE THOMPSON IN THE PASSING OF GENE. MAY HE REST IN PEACE.

ARNOLD AND SARA MACK - June 22, 2021 at 08:21 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mr. Gene Edward Thompson Sr..*



June 22, 2021 at 02:26 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with my entire family especially his daughter and son my cousins. To know my uncle was to love him. My mother especially doted on him. He brought much fun, laughter, mischief, fairness, and love to our family. He served his country and he overcame a lot to devote himself to being a loving father and brother and uncle. He had recently called my brother on his birthday and this brightened his day so much because he called him by his full name. He was a vital part of us, and I hope and pray that he is now without pain and at peace.*

*His niece,
T. Butts of Tifton, GA*

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