



Cleveland J. Woodard, Sr.

February 17, 1930 - July 9, 2022

MASK ARE REQUIRED FOR VISITATION AND SERVICE

CLEVELAND JOHN WOODARD SR., known by most as “COODA BOY” was born February 17th, 1930 in Winter Park, Florida. He was the only child born to the late Mrs. Della Pryor Scott.

He attended public schools in Westside Winter Park and the Historic Town of Eatonville, Florida. As a teenager he began working in several citrus packing houses.

As a young adult, he met Thelma Perkins they fell in love and were married November 14th 1953. From this union seven children were born to love and care for. This union lasted 68 years. He raised his family and lived his entire life in Winter Park.

As an adult he started his career as a chauffeur and grounds keeper for a private estate. His final career was as a custodian for The City of Winter Park working at the Winter Park Community Center until he retired.

Following his retirement, he joined Bethel Missionary Baptist Church under the pastorage of Kenneth Young. He worked as custodian and groundskeeper at Bethel for several years.

He spent most of his days meticulously tending to his yard and caring for the yards of many in his community. He enjoyed his days spending time with his family and talking with his friends.

Preceding him in Death, Mother: Della Scott; and Son: Cleveland John Woodard Jr.

He will be remembered and missed by his loving Wife: Thelma Perkins Woodard, Winter Park, Florida; Son, Anthony Stephen Woodard (Tangela), Lake Helen, Florida; Daughters: Dionne Denise Mikell (Frank), Orlando, Florida, Edith Evelyn Woodard, Orlando, Florida, Judith Ann Gorman (Michael), Sarasota, Florida, Jeanne Marie Robinson (Kevin), Winter Springs, Florida, Pamela J. Shaw (Marlon), Orlando, Florida, Grandchildren: Bruce, Nichole, Tynisha, April, Tiffany, Nikisha, Melinda, Shatavia, Frank Jr., Brandol, Sharonda, Michael Jr, Sierra, Taylor, and Jaylon; 29 Great Grandchildren with whom he had a close relationship. Several Great - Great Grandchildren and a host of other caring relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Eatonville Community Cemetery Association

600 South Wymore Road
Maitland , FL 32751

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL **15**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Bethel Baptist Church
425 West Welbourne Avenue
Winter Park, FL

Service

JUL **16**. 3:00 PM (ET)

Bethel Baptist Church
425 West Welbourne Avenue
Winter Park, FL

Tribute Wall



“ *Cleveland J. Woodard, Sr.*

October 22, 2023 at 05:49 PM



“ *Gloria King lit a candle in memory of Cleveland J. Woodard, Sr.*



Gloria King - July 15, 2022 at 03:48 PM



“ *Sending comfort in your time of need saddened by your loss may this time keep the family closer than ever blessings to the family sincerely Gloria King Davis and family*

Gloria King - July 15, 2022 at 03:46 PM



“ *His passion was working in his yard ... Rest easy Uncle known best as "Coota Boi" ... Stan & Des Wheeler*



Stanley & Desiree Wheeler - July 14, 2022 at 08:14 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Cleveland J. Woodard, Sr..*



July 14, 2022 at 04:36 PM



“ *Melvin Hutchens lit a candle in memory of Cleveland J. Woodard, Sr.*



Melvin Hutchens - July 13, 2022 at 06:35 PM