



Leedell Neil

July 9, 1941 - November 26, 2023

Leedell Neil was the second born of twin boys on July 9, 1941 to Lee and Rose Neil in Apopka, Florida. He graduated from Phyllis Wheatley High School in 1958. Leedell then enlisted in the United States Army in 1960 where he served as a sharpshooter and competed on the US Army boxing team.

He was a devoted husband and father. His bright smile and infectious personality, led him to a successful 35 year career as a top salesman with Orlando Dodge where he retired.

Leedell enjoyed photography, fishing, gardening, and socializing with family and friends. He was a co-founder and president of a community outreach program named Helping Hands whose charitable acts included food give-aways and toys for Christmas. He was also a long standing member of AMVETS Post 30 in Orlando, Florida.

We are truly going to miss your laughter, your jokes, your smile, and love. You will forever be in our hearts.

He was preceded in death by his Parents: Lee and Rose Neil; Brothers: Lee "Mickey" Neil, Odell Neil, Alfred Neil, Terrance Henry, and Nitter Neil.

Left to cherish his memory...Wife, Mary Neil of Orlando, Florida; Children:

Stephen Neil (Lashawnda) of Apopka, Florida and Donell Grimes, Jr. (Jeanelle) of Orlando, Florida; Brother, Earnest Neil (Marcia) of Altamonte Springs, Florida; and Sister: Eva Carroll Filmore (Freddie) of Orlando, Florida; 4 Grandchildren: Devin Neil, Genesis Neil, Donell Grimes, III, and Arielle Grimes; nieces, nephews, cousins, and a host of other loving relatives and friends.

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 8. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Zanders Memorial Chapel
232 W. Michael Gladden Blvd.
Apopka, FL 32703
(407) 886-3388

Service

DEC 9. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Martha lit a candle in memory of Leedell Neil*



Martha - December 08, 2023 at 06:36 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Leedell Neil.*



December 08, 2023 at 01:38 PM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Leedell Neil.*



December 07, 2023 at 09:52 AM



“ *Mamie Long Kelly sent a virtual gift in memory of Leedell Neil*



Mamie Long Kelly - December 05, 2023 at 06:09 PM

CD

“ Clara Desue lit a candle in memory of Leedell Neil



Clara Desue - December 05, 2023 at 12:26 PM

CW

“ Charlie Mae Warren sent a virtual gift in memory of Leedell Neil



Charlie Mae Warren - December 05, 2023 at 11:44 AM

CD

“ Clara Desue lit a candle in memory of Leedell Neil



Clara Desue - December 04, 2023 at 03:11 PM

HA

“ Neil euphemistically told me, a green 29 yr old, None of my Business after I asked who was the person in one of his interesting stories at AMVETS Post 30. Neil responded, "Some things a man ain't supposed to tell". That stays with me today at age 57.



Harroll - November 29, 2023 at 10:19 AM