



Ronald Celestine

February 6, 1952 - December 7, 2016

Age 64 of Mounds View Visitation, Monday, December 19, 2016 from 10AM - 2PM. Ronald Celestine Sr. was born to the proud parents of Hodges Celestine Sr. and Lula Mae Celestine on February 6, 1952 at Charity Hospital in New Orleans, La. Ronald had 4 older brothers and 2 younger sisters. He was the youngest of the brothers. Ronald was what you would call an introvert and always like to be alone unless surrounded by family; especially his grandkids. Ronald had a heart filled with pure love and affection; he would give his last to anyone, even if it meant him being without. Ronald accepted Jesus Christ at a young age and was baptized at Christian Mission Baptist Church. Ronald attended Andrew J. Bell Junior High School and graduated from John McDonogh Senior High School. Ronald worked as Maintenance personnel at New Orleans International Airport and as a carpenter most of his adult life. Ronald was preceded in death by his Mother Lula Mae Celestine; His Father Hodges Celestine Sr; His Brothers, Melvin, James & Alvin Steen; His younger sister Sandra Celestine Causey and his Oldest Son Ronald Celestine Jr. Ronald leaves to cherish his estranged Wife Ida Celestine, His children Donald and Shannon Celestine; His Daughter-in-Law Cheakita Celestine; His sister Jacquelyn Celestine and Brother Hodges Celestine Jr; and his Sister-in-Law Annie Steen. He also leaves behind a host of grandkids, nieces, nephews and cousins. Ronald was called to heaven on Wednesday December 7, 2016. Ronald Sr. will be missed dearly and his loving soul will live on forever in our hearts.