

Otis Boatwright, Fr.





Reflections of Life





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retired on December 27, 2007. In recent years he worked and resigned from Power Oil Co.

He was an active member and President of the Male Usher Board at Phillips Metropolitan E.M.C. Church. He loved helping family members and others who needed assistance. He was especially known for cooking his ribs and other foods on the grill.

He enjoyed hanging with the fellows, his uncles and male cousins who called him "Slick." To other family members he was called "Tommy." He was a lover of football and his favorite team was the Philadelphia Eagles. He also enjoyed playing cards. Otis will be greatly missed by all of those whose lives he touched.

Otis leaves to cherish his memories: his wife Tawana, five stepchildren, Keith, Kevin, Germaine, and Jhimar Babbs, and Steven Boatwright, four stepgrandchildren, Kamrin, Javon, Kaleb and Nova, one sister Carolyn, one brother Alvin (Sheila), three uncles James (JT), Joshua and Walter (Carol) Bond, one aunt Velma Brown and a host of nieces, nephews, extended family and friends.

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