



## Alex Ernest Alexander

May 10, 2020

Alex “Ernest” Alexander a resident of Algiers and a retired Merchant Seaman, departed this life on Sunday May 10, 2020 at Touro Infirmary in New Orleans, LA. Born May 8, 1929 to the late Ernest Alexander and Florence Anderson Alexander Kitt and stepmother Cornelia Gayden Alexander. He is preceded in death by his loving wife of 70 years Lola Mae Shepard Alexander and one daughter in law Sheila Marie Oliver Alexander.

He leaves to cherish his memories four children: Etheldra A. Stokes, Elliott Alexander, Eric ‘Kirk” Alexander and Deana (Ronnie) Scott; four grandchildren Tabitha (Travis) Charlot, Erica (Boris) Harris, Erin Alexander and Kiana Alexander; five grandchildren Timothy, Amari, Alexander, Acire and Camryn; two sisters Priscilla Alexander, Donna (Ted) Jones and one brother in law James “Eightball” Shepard.

Alex was a member of the St. Mark B.C., pastor Lonnie Williams located on Wiltz Lane in Algiers, where he served on the Deacon board until his health started to decline.

Alex enjoyed spending time with his family, he was an avid antique collector and he was always the life of the party. He will truly be missed!

Due to the Government Social Distancing Guidelines, the family prepared a private funeral service on Monday, May 18, 2020 at D. W. Rhodes Funeral

Home. Arrangements entrusted to Rhodes Funeral Home New Orleans, LA.

Special thanks to the doctors and nurses at Touro Infirmary, ICU and special thanks to Lisa Zullo for taking very good care of our loved one

# Tribute Wall

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“ *The family of Sandra Leonard sends our deepest condolences on the death of your dear father. He is resting in the arms of our Dear Father. No pain, no illnesses. Hold on to your memories. Pray that you all will see him again. Love ❤️*



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