



Joseph Melancon Sr.

May 25, 2024

Joseph Melancon Sr. a native of New Orleans, Louisiana was born on 9 September 1942 and departed peacefully in Coweta, Oklahoma on Saturday, 25 May 2024, at the age of 81. Joseph was a retired Chef, loving son, father, brother, grandfather, great-grandfather, uncle, coworker and friend to many.

Son of Reverend Clifford Melancon Sr. (deceased) and Cora Jones Melancon (deceased).

Father of Joseph Melancon Jr. (deceased), Lisa Melancon-Hammonds (LaVance), Romona Adams-Fabre (Kevin), Rene Melancon (Sonya), Avril Adams, Shantell Blouin, Tedvis Adams Sr. (Kenya), Laquita Adams, and Shanqunell Adams-Harper (Scottie).

Brother of James Henry Melancon (deceased), Clifford Melancon Jr. (Deceased), Alcee "Pee Wee" Melancon (deceased), Helen Melancon-Grimes (deceased), Gloria Bourgeois (deceased), Doris Winzer, Joyce Nu'Man (Rafeeq), Paulette Larkin, Antoinette Sam (Garry), Charles Melancon, and Anthony Melancon Sr. (Antoinette).

Joseph is also survived by a host of grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend his Funeral Service on Saturday, 15 June, 10:00 am at Gentilly Baptist Church, 5141 Franklin Ave, New Orleans, La.

Interment afterwards at Mount Olivet Cemetery, 4000 Norman Mayer Ave, New Orleans, La.

Arrangement by D. W. Rhodes Funeral Home, 3933 Washington Ave. New Orleans, La.

Please visit www.rhodesfuneral.com to sign the online guestbook.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Olivet Cemetery

4000 Norman Mayer Ave.
New Orleans, LA 70122

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 15. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Gentilly Baptist Church
5141 Franklin Ave
New Orleans, LA

Funeral Service

JUN 15. 10:00 AM (CT)

Gentilly Baptist Church
5141 Franklin Ave
New Orleans, LA

Tribute Wall

JJ

“ I have not spent a lot of time near you, nor much time on the phone. I have not met your children, my cousins and those of their own. I have kept you within and warmth with memories of your everlasting smiles.
Your spirit I saw it!
It was televised during Katrina,
Don't quote me on that, but I'm sure it was you.
I'm sure we'll meet again and be as it should, with friends and families and those from the hood.
Uncle Joseph
My heart has not stopped smiling the last we talked.
Love you more than just a lot!
Joe Winzer Jr (Doris)

Joe Winzer Jr - June 15, 2024 at 12:05 PM

RM

“ Hey man you are loved and missed, what a blessing it was just knowing you, Just think you can eat whatever your heart desire, c u later PK. Ronnie Mckittrick a PK also

Ronnie Mckittrick - June 14, 2024 at 10:35 PM



“ Bountiful Rose Basket was purchased for the family of Joseph Melancon Sr..



June 14, 2024 at 07:43 PM

MH

“ *Marc Melancon, son of James Henry planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joseph Melancon Sr..*

Marc Melancon, son of James Henry - June 14, 2024 at 07:43 PM

LW

“ *Lannis and Gloria Williams purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Joseph Melancon Sr..*



Lannis and Gloria Williams - June 13, 2024 at 05:49 PM

LO

“ *Lake Forest Post Office purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Joseph Melancon Sr..*



Lake Forest Post Office - June 13, 2024 at 05:03 PM

AA

“ *A wonderful father, grandfather, and great grandfather whose timeless wisdom and quiet spirit will be missed by all! Rest well dad.... You deserve it! We love you!
Thank you for keeping your promise !!*

Love you!

Avril

Avril Adams - June 13, 2024 at 01:19 AM

AS

“ God blessed my brother Joseph with wonderful healing and kept him satisfied until he called him home. I thank God for this, and for blessing me for being there for him. God is our life, bless the Lord of Host the God of Jesus.

Anthony Melancon Sr - June 12, 2024 at 11:53 PM

PB

“ To my dear friend Lisa Melancon Hammonds and family.

My sincere condolences on the passing of your father. May you find strength and peace in the memories you shared.

From Pastor Kerry and Lady Octavyah Brashears 💕



Pastor Kerry & Lady Octavyah Brashears - June 12, 2024 at 09:12 PM

RF

“ My prayers for the family I remember him at PTM in Frederick he was kind humble loved his daughter RIP

ronald Fridge - June 11, 2024 at 07:51 PM

UI

“ U.S. Army Garrison Italy purchased the Lily and Rose Tribute Spray for the family of Joseph Melancon Sr..



U.S. Army Garrison Italy - June 11, 2024 at 03:46 PM

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“ U.S. Army Garrison Italy planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joseph Melancon Sr..

U.S. Army Garrison Italy - June 11, 2024 at 03:46 PM

KA

“ *" I know all about it"! Missing you Mr. J.*

Kenya Adams - June 11, 2024 at 02:59 PM