



Melvin T George

March 6, 2025

Melvin T. George, age 87, of New Orleans, passed away Thursday evening, March 6, 2025, at

his home, surrounded by loved ones.

Melvin was preceded in death by his daughters LaVonna Denise George and Ingrid Glynell

George (Williams), and his brothers, George Carter, Wilfred Carter, and Lawrence George.

Melvin is survived by his wife, Rose Stephens George; his two sons, Eric George (Phyllis) and

Errol George (Dana); several grandchildren and great grandchildren; and many other family

members and friends who will miss him dearly.

Melvin was born April 28, 1937 in New Orleans, the son of the late Fannie Wrice and Lawrence

George.

He was a veteran of the United States Navy, and was a retired supervisor from the U.S. Postal

Service where he worked for nearly 40 years.

Melvin was a parishioner of St. Maria Goretti Church, where he served as a member of the Holy

Name Society. He enjoyed traveling and going out to dinner with his family, ushering at the

church, walking in Joe Brown Park with his friends, and giving sage advice to the many people who came to him for guidance. He always made time to listen to whoever came to him for help, and he was a shining light in the lives of all who had the privilege of knowing him. He was known by friends and family for his kindness, patience, laughter, mischief, boundless energy, and love of life. His journey on this earth will be remembered for the profound impact it had on the lives of those who had the pleasure of knowing him.

Funeral service and visitation will be on Monday, March 24, 2025 at St. Maria Goretti Church.

Visitation and Rosary will begin at 9:30am, followed by a U.S. Military Honor Guard at

10:25am, and service at 10:30am, with Father Daniel Green officiating. Burial will follow at

Southeast Louisiana Veterans Cemetery in Slidell, LA. Arrangements by Rhodes Funeral Home, 3933 Washington Avenue.

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

Cemetery Details

Southeast LA. Veterans Cemetery

34888 Grantham College Dr, Slidell, LA
70460
Slidell, LA 70460

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 24. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

St. Maria Goretti Catholic Church
7300 Crowder Blvd
New Orleans, LA 70127

Mass of Christian Burial

MAR 24. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

PC

“ Remember also our brothers and sisters who have fallen asleep in hope of the resurrection, and all who have died in your mercy, welcome them into the light of your face

Peter & Alethea Carriere - March 24, 2025 at 10:33 PM

DS

“ Denise St.Charles lit a candle in memory of Melvin George



Denise St.Charles - March 24, 2025 at 02:39 PM

KV

“ To Rose and Family:

My sincere condolences in the passing of Mr. George. His kindness and humble ways will always be remembered.



Karen & Randy Victor - March 24, 2025 at 12:53 AM

SR

“ Condolences to the family.

Samuel Robertson - March 23, 2025 at 02:29 PM

KW

“ Rest In Peace

Keith Williams - March 22, 2025 at 07:51 PM



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Melvin T George.



March 22, 2025 at 08:29 AM



“ My condolences to Melvin’s family. Melvin will be greatly missed. Working with Melvin, you could always look forward to getting a good laugh. Rest In Peace my friend.

Joyce Banks - March 22, 2025 at 05:08 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Melvin T George.



March 20, 2025 at 06:12 PM