



Billie Earl Downing (Downtown)

July 4, 1935 - January 29, 2024

Billie Earl Downing, 88, passed away, Monday, January 29, 2024. He is a member of Greater Friendship Baptist Church. He is survived by his wife, Cemoria Downing, children, William E. Downing, James L. Downing Sr., Senora Ford (Samuel), Dr. Cleo Downing (Bev), 4 grandchildren, Shonda Bailey, Kendall Downing, James Downing Jr. and Brianna Ford. sister, Catherine Seewright (Charles), and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends. Visitation: Friday, February 9, 2024 from 5:00pm-8:00pm at A.D. Porter & Sons funeral home 1300 W. Chestnut St., funeral service Saturday, February 10, 2024 10:00am at Greater Friendship Baptist Church, 2325 Osage Ave. Burial: Calvary Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Calvary Cemetery

1600 Newburg Rd
Louisville, KY 40204

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **9**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

A. D. Porter and Sons Funeral Home - Downtown
1300 West Chestnut Street
Louisville, KY 40203
(502) 587-9678
a.d.portersoutheast@gmail.com
<https://adporters.com/>

Service

FEB **10**. 10:00 AM (ET)

Greater Friendship Baptist Church
2325 Osage Ave.
Louisville, KY 40210

Tribute Wall

LT

“ Condolences to the family and many friends of Brother Downing!!!
Sorry I can't be present for his celebration of life. He will always be
remembered as a true, upright, and just man....

L Thompson - February 09, 2024 at 02:25 PM

HM

“ Herb and Loretta Lofton, Merrillville,IN planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in
honor of Billie Earl Downing (Downtown).

Herb and Loretta Lofton, Merrillville,IN - February 09, 2024 at 09:07 AM

HM

“ Herb and Loretta Lofton, Merrillville,IN purchased
the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Billie
Earl Downing (Downtown).



Herb and Loretta Lofton, Merrillville,IN - February 09, 2024 at
09:07 AM

LK

“ Love Tomika, Angelo, and Kasai planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in
honor of Billie Earl Downing (Downtown).

Love Tomika, Angelo, and Kasai - February 07, 2024 at 02:20 PM

LK

“ Love Tomika, Angelo, and Kasai purchased the *Divine Peace Bouquet* for the family of Billie Earl Downing (Downtown).



Love Tomika, Angelo, and Kasai - February 07, 2024 at 02:20 PM

IR

“ Illinois Department of Human Rights planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Billie Earl Downing.

Illinois Department of Human Rights - February 05, 2024 at 10:41 AM



“ *Serene Reflections Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Billie Earl Downing (Downtown).



February 05, 2024 at 10:41 AM