



## Leonard Thomas Ledford Sr. (DOWNTOWN)

July 11, 1940 - October 17, 2023

Leonard Thomas Ledford Sr., was born July 11, 1940 in Louisville, Kentucky to parents William and Evelyn Ledford (preceded in death). Leonard attended High School at Louisville Central High before going on to receive his GED. In 1958 Leonard joined the United States Marine Corp where he served as a Heavy Duty Truck Driver for a few years. In 1962 Leonard started his career with United States Postal Service for the next 37 years where he worked as an Electrician. In 1966, Leonard found the teachings and beliefs of the Jehovah Witness Organization to be those of true teachings. Passing these teachings and beliefs on to others brought happiness and joy to his life, so much that Leonard in 1968 decided to dedicate his life to Jehovah by becoming Baptized. Leonard's desire to be a helping hand in Jehovah's organization led him to become a Congregation Elder in 1975 and continued as an Elder for 48 years. In 1960 Leonard married Christine, they were married for 63 years. During their Union 5 children were born. Leonard Jr (preceded in death) Michael, Kevin (Leontee), Roderick (Tia), Rhonda (Thomas), Annette Robinson. Along with 6 Grandchildren: Leonard III (Artisha), Bianca, Jazmine, Tyrese, Skyla, Tyson, and 2 Great Grandchildren: Lia' Nya and Aja. Leonard was known to be very active in the field ministry. He was also known as a zealous, kind, humble, loving servant of Jehovah. Many young ones viewed Leonard as a spiritual

Dad. He believed in the resurrection hope. It's also that hope that helped him to cope when his eldest son

Leonard Jr died. It is also that same hope, that we all long for to see our father, friend and dear brother, Leonard Ledford again (Rev 21:3,4)

Memorial service will be held at 11am Saturday, November 11, 2023 at Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witness, 1377 South 20th Street.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

NOV 11. 11:00 AM (ET)

Kingdom Hall of Jehovah Witness  
1377 South 20th Street  
Louisville, KY

# Tribute Wall

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“*Brother Ledford always welcomed me and my brothers over his house with his boys and we grew up like brothers because of it. There were many times we were all together in his station Wagon going to assembly and convention. At 65 and living in Florida—everyone knows the love I have for him. And looking forward to seeing him again*”

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**Kevin Harrington** - November 10, 2023 at 11:44 PM