



Nathaniel R. Howard

January 8, 1938 - March 10, 2013

NATHANIEL HOWARD, 75, began his journey home Sunday, March 10, 2013 at Norton Audubon Hospital, Louisville.

Nathaniel was a native of Keystone, WV. He served in the United States Air Force and retired from the Jefferson County Board of Education.

Known to many by the nickname "U of L," he enjoyed fishing, old western movies, building model planes and telling incredible jokes and stories to anyone who would listen.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Alphonso and Ida Lee Johnson Howard; a stepsister, Delores Townes and stepmother, Helen Wilson.

He is survived by his close friend and ex-wife, Betty Jo Howard; two children, Eric and Kenyatta Howard; two grandchildren, Marco Howard and Shy Heath Jr.; three brothers, Aaron Howard (Chequeta), Thomas Howard and John Cummings; three sisters, Jeanette Carter (George), Valarie Joyner and Ardelia Weathers; an uncle and aunt, Nathaniel Johnson and Bertha McQueen, along with a host of nieces and nephews who loved him, and knew him affectionately as their "Uncle Lolly." Visitation will be 6-9 p.m. Friday at A.D. Porter & Sons-Southeast, 4501 Bardstown Road.