



Arthur Pickens, Sr.

May 1, 1932 - August 16, 2013

OPELOUSAS- Funeral services will be held at 1:00 P.M. Saturday, August 24, 2013 at Holy Ghost Catholic Church in Opelousas, LA, for Mr. Arthur Pickens, Sr., 81, who entered eternal rest, Saturday, August 16, 2013 at his residence in Opelousas, LA.

Interment will be in Bellevue Memorial Park Cemetery in Opelousas, LA.

Mr. Pickens was a retired electrician and bus driver with the St. Landry Parish School District. He is survived by his wife Clementine Auzenne Pickens of Opelousas, LA; two sons Arthur Pickens, Jr. of Opelousas, LA and Michael Fontenot (Julie) of Dublin, OH; one adopted son Phillip Stevens (Lisa) of Opelousas, LA; five daughters Ella Mae Hill and Rosemary Curtis both of Beaumont, TX, Dianna Payne (Leon) and Barbara Washington both of Opelousas, LA and Toni Fontenot Kirby of San Antonio, TX; one adopted daughter Shirley Francis (Jerald) of Opelousas, LA; two brothers Peter Pickens and Willie Pickens, Sr. (Adele) both of Opelousas, LA; one adopted brother George Hill of Opelousas, LA; two daughter-in-laws Linda Pickens of Opelousas, LA and Eva Pickens Lindsey of Houston, TX; two sister-in-laws Sophie Pickens and Clara Mae Pickens both of Opelousas, LA; a special cousin Joseph (T-Joe) Pickens; a special friend Sylvester Garrette; 22 grandchildren, 39 great grandchildren, six great-great grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives, and special friends.

Mr. Pickens was preceded in death by his parents Rogers Pickens and Cornelius Castille Pickens, a son Michael Wayne Pickens, Sr., one brother

Edmond Pickens, Sr. a sister Bertha Jerry, two grandsons Wilton Dunbar, Jr. and Gregory Lynn Washington, Jr., three son-in-laws Wilton Dunbar, Sr., Charles Hill, and Gregory Lynn Washington, Sr.

Visiting hours will be observed from 7:00 A.M. to 12:45 P.M. Saturday, August 24, 2013 at Williams Funeral Home in Opelousas, LA.

Share words of comfort with the Pickens family at www.williamsfuneralhomes.net

Funeral arrangements are entrusted to Williams Funeral Home of Opelousas, 337-942-2037.

Tribute Wall



“ *Arthur Pickens, Sr.*

January 28, 2023 at 08:52 AM



“ *My heartfelt condolences to you Clementine and your family. Your loss of our beloved Arthur, Sr. will be felt by many. My prayers and thoughts remain with you today and everyday. Stella*

Stella J. Mason - August 24, 2013 at 02:10 PM



“ *Dianna and Leon,
Sorry we can't be with with you at this time. We are truly sorry for your lost. Keeping you in our prayers, we remain,
Sincerely yours, The Carters*

William James & Eva Carter - August 23, 2013 at 09:22 PM



“ *TO THE FAMILY, MAY GOD BLESS AND KEEP YOU. YOU HAVE MY DEEPEST SYMPATHY. MRS. CLEM I KNOW YOU WILL MISS HIM, BECAUSE YOU'LL WAS LIKE TWO PEAS IN A POT. BUT GOD HAVE ALL THE ANSWERS. WHEN YOUR HEART IS LONELY READ PSALMS 23. LOVE YOU MRS. CLEM., BEVERLY, TERRENCE & MARIO*

BEVERLY RUBIN - August 23, 2013 at 11:55 AM



“ *God has called your loved one Home. May your heavy hearts be lifted by his promise of eternal life to all the faithful.*

Andrea Brisco - August 22, 2013 at 01:57 PM

JJ

“ To Barbara a very dear friend and to her family I am so sorry for the lost of your love one. I know a lost is something you can never get used to but with love and support from family and friends you will get through it. My prayer for you and your family may you find strength and peace in Gods love that he gives us during this time. Always here for you Judy Joubert.

Judy Joubert - August 22, 2013 at 11:22 AM

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“ May God be with you during this time....My prayers are with you.

Rebecca Ann Richard - August 21, 2013 at 04:34 PM

JR

“ May God's blessing keep you in this time of sorrow...Know that Mr. Arthur is with God now, enjoying his reward for a great Life.....

Joseph M. W. P. Tojeaux Richard - August 21, 2013 at 04:32 PM