



## Mr. Oliver Roland Jackson

December 21, 1924 - December 26, 2015

Mr. Oliver Roland “Chief” Jackson

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 AM Saturday, January 2, 2016 at St. Mark United Methodist Church in Opelousas, LA, for Mr. Oliver Roland “Chief” Jackson, 91, who entered eternal rest, Saturday, December 26, 2015 at his residence in Opelousas, LA.

Interment will be in Bellevue Memorial Park in Opelousas, LA. Rev. Junius Egby will officiate at the services.

Oliver leaves to cherish his memory three children, Melba Jackson of Opelousas, LA, Karl Jackson (Sherry Ann) of Pearland, TX and Becky Watson (Clarence) of Opelousas, LA; four grandchildren, Christopher Jackson, Clarence Watson, Jr. both of Opelousas, LA, Jayson Bradley of Pearland, TX, Crystal Watson of Spring, TX; a brother, Frank Jackson (Lilly) of Houston, TX; two sisters-in-law, Betty Jackson of Dallas, TX and Charlie Mae Jackson of Baton Rouge, LA; two Godchildren, Jennifer Jones – Pete and James Evelyn Landor both of Opelousas, LA and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends that loved him dearly.

Mr. Jackson was preceded in death by his wife, Mrs. Ruth A. Jackson; parents, Timothy Jackson & Terry Denton Jackson; four brothers, John, Moses, James and Henry Jackson and a Godchild, Julie Cheryl Jones.

Visiting hours will be observed from 5:00 PM to 9:00 PM Friday, January 1, 2016 at St. Mark United Methodist Church in Opelousas, LA. Visiting hours will resume on Saturday, January 2, 2016 at St. Mark United Methodist

Church at 8 AM.

Share words of comfort with the Jackson family at [www.williamsfuneralhomes.net](http://www.williamsfuneralhomes.net)

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

# Cemetery Details

## Bellevue Memorial Park

Opelousas, LA 70570  
(337) 942-7055

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 1. 5:00 PM - 9:00 PM (CT)

St. Mark United Methodist Church  
534 S. Market Street  
OPELOUSAS, LA 70570

## Service

JAN 2. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

St. Mark United Methodist Church  
534 S. Market Street  
OPELOUSAS, LA 70570

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Oliver Roland Jackson*

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January 28, 2023 at 08:52 AM



“ *Chief was truly one of the greats from Opelousas. He and my dad worked together for many years and were great friends. Chief always had a smile on his face and words of wisdom for the people whose lives he touched. He was a great influence and a wonderful person. He will be missed.*

*Youlonda Donatto*

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**Youlonda Donatto** - January 02, 2016 at 05:51 PM



“ *Chief Jackson was and Inspiration to all of us. He will always be Remembered for Loving and Caring about all his young people he came in contact with Daily. He always had something to tell us about our future life after School. He was a True Mentor ,mentoring to all Education Education Education. RIP Chief . Johnnie Matthews /J S CLARK HIGH CLASS OF 65*

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**Johnnie Bee Matthews** - December 30, 2015 at 07:10 PM

TJ

“ Uncle Roland was always there to visit us (Melba too) whenever we came from Lake Charles to visit grand-dad/mom. There during the family reunions, The Chief was there greeting everyone and cared about our future goals! A great domino player, he was always genuine in family concerns. As in all of my UNCLES, I truly and honestly can say...each was a mentor as I do my part through their mentor ship! Long live my Uncle's memories inside of me and I miss them all!

*keep your enemy closer...as he would always say!*

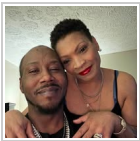
*I'm not able to attend his memorial...but I'm there!*

*nephew,*

*Timothy C Jackson*

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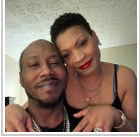
**Timothy Jackson** - December 30, 2015 at 12:54 AM



“ From childhood all the way into my adult life, I have always been grateful for God so graciously allow Chief to be a part of my life and family. He has played a HUGE part in my spiritual upbringing and I wouldn't change that for anything. To the rest of the family, I say to you all, stay strong and let's just be thankful that we were able to borrow Chief for the time God has allowed us to have him. His work here is done and now he has his heavenly duties to fulfill. So until we see him again, lets keep him alive in our hearts and souls. I love each a every one of you all and I will be here for whoever should need me, just as family should. GOD BLESS US ALL!!!

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**Telemikia Jackson-Jones** - December 29, 2015 at 06:46 PM



“ *Telemikia Jackson-Jones lit a candle in memory of Mr. Oliver Roland Jackson*



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**Telemikia Jackson-Jones** - December 29, 2015 at 06:38 PM

LW

“ *From the children of Aaron Kimble*



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**Linda Kimble Walker** - December 29, 2015 at 12:30 PM

DC

“ *I would like to extend my sympathy to the Jackson family. May his soul rest in peace.*



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**Darlene Charles-Breaux** - December 29, 2015 at 09:26 AM

LF

“ *MR JACKSON WAS MY TEACHER BACK DURNING THE DAY WHEN I ATTENDED J S CLARK HI IN OPELOUSAS LA....HE WAS A GREAT PERSON STRICT BUT YET GOOD AND FUNNY HAS WAS GOOD AT WHAT HE DID...PRAYERS FOR YOU AND YOUR FAMILY... LOUIS FONTENOT*

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**LOUIS FONTENOT** - December 29, 2015 at 09:00 AM

MF

“ We want to extend our deepest sympathies to the Jackson family during this time of sorrow. Chief Jackson will be missed by so many people. He touched so many lives while teaching at East Jr. High School. Rest in peace "Chief".

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**Mr. & Mrs. Russell White and Family** - December 28, 2015 at 08:29 PM

BL

“ Blanche & Lawrence Jackson & Nicki & Roger Lewis purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Mr. Oliver Roland Jackson.



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**Blanche & Lawrence Jackson & Nicki & Roger Lewis** -  
December 28, 2015 at 05:58 PM

RL

“ We know that Roland (Bo Bo/Chief) lived a Godly life and he is now in the presence of his God. Bo Bo was an example to us all and encouraged us to live and walk in the spirit of our God. Our prayers are with the family. Our memories of him will long be embedded in our hearts.

*Roger & Nicki Lewis*  
*Lawrence & Blanche Jackson*

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**Roger Lewis** - December 28, 2015 at 04:41 PM

GF

“ *Becky may God continue to embrace you and your family in your time of need. Your father was a respected member of Opelousas and surrounding communities because he gave of himself as the Lord requested we do. He gave the greatest gift Love. You all are in my prayers. Sending loving and good memories from the Franklin Family.*

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**Georgia Franklin** - December 28, 2015 at 04:15 PM



“ *"BUT THAT'S NEITHER HERE NOR THERE"*  
*Those who were privileged 2 be under his instruction knew this. Eye use him as a point of reference all the time in the raising of my sons. Eye wish there were men like Chief around my sons. "But that's neither here nor there". Eye rest my case. Thank you master teacher 4 being a positive influence in my life. He taught all the young boyz how 2 stand up like men. Rest in Peace "Chief"*



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**Thesage Oftime** - December 28, 2015 at 04:11 PM