



## Calvin Murrell

September 20, 1947 - January 17, 2025

Calvin Harold Murrell was born September 20, 1947 in Chicago, Illinois to Johnnie C. Murrell and Fatima I. Milai Murrell. He grew up in Hopkins Park, Illinois and attended Hopkins Park Schools and St. Anne High School.

In his younger years, he attended Camp Rehoboth Mennonite Church. Later, Calvin joined Angie Ray Ministries, then Fairhaven Church of God In Christ and lastly, Redeeming Life Ministries.

Calvin served in The United States Army. He had a love for his transistor radios and baseball - the Chicago Cubs and the Chicago White Sox.

He had been employed by Momence Pork Packers, Pontiac Prison, M&D Balloons and the Gilster-Mary Lee Corporation.

He leaves to cherish his memory, four sons, Kevin and Patty Murrell of Carbondale, Illinois, Omar Murrell of Dubuque, Iowa, Marcel and Lucy Murrell of Washington, D.C. and Orlando and Staci Murrell of Naperville, Illinois; one daughter, Vanessa Murrell of Buena Vista, California; 11 grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; two brothers, Cornell Murrell of Bourbonnais, Illinois and Floyd and Alicia Murrell of Nashville, Tennessee; two sisters, Amonez and Pastor Sam Rover of Pembroke Township, Illinois and Sylvia Murrell of Kankakee, Illinois, and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents, and six brothers, Johnnie, Wendell, Kenneth, Vernon, twin brother, Alvin, and Oreon Roberts; and one sister, Yvonne Murrell.

# Cemetery Details

## Abraham Lincoln Cemetery

20953 W. Hoff Rd.  
Elwood, IL 60421

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 25. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Redeeming Life Ministries  
2400 Waldron Road  
Kankakee, IL 60901

## Service

JAN 25. 12:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

MP

“ To the Murrell Family , and the Rover Family ,  
Wishing you comfort and love during this  
time. I will never forget Brother Murrells smile  
nor his peaceful ways. I have so many good  
memories growing up, around both the Murrell  
and Rover Families. Brother Murrell had a smile that lit up every  
room he was in, his presence created a positive environment,  
whenever I saw him. Sister.Rover, Please accept my sincere  
condolences,I will always remember how special your bond was  
with your brother, and my heart is broken for you. Sending you light  
, through my love, I wish you strength, and peace during this difficult  
time...  
Always,  
Melody



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**Melody Presswood** - April 26, 2025 at 11:21 AM

LG

“ Lenora Griffin lit a candle in memory of Calvin  
Murrell



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**Lenora Griffin** - January 26, 2025 at 10:27 PM

TC

“ My deepest condolences and sympathy to the famil

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**Terry Chusm** - January 26, 2025 at 10:27 AM

CJ

“ Catherine Jackson lit a candle in memory of Calvin Murrell



Catherine Jackson - January 24, 2025 at 01:57 PM

CB

“ Capri Smith Brooks lit a candle in memory of Calvin Murrell



Capri Smith Brooks - January 24, 2025 at 10:48 AM

ZF

“ ZAU TMU Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Calvin Murrell.



ZAU TMU Family - January 23, 2025 at 02:20 PM

ZF

“ ZAU TMU Family purchased the Large Basket Garden for the family of Calvin Murrell.



ZAU TMU Family - January 23, 2025 at 02:15 PM

CB

“ Cornell, Sylvia, and family, I am sorry for your loss.

Godspeed,  
Cynthia J. Dear-Babatunde



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**Cynthia Dear Babatunde** - January 22, 2025 at 10:26 PM

DF

“ Donna Jackson & Family lit a candle in memory of Calvin Murrell



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**Donna Jackson & Family** - January 22, 2025 at 03:30 PM

JF

“ JOANN FORD-BOX lit a candle in memory of Calvin Murrell



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**JOANN FORD-BOX** - January 22, 2025 at 03:28 PM

CW

“ Cheryl Wilson lit a candle in memory of Calvin Murrell



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**Cheryl Wilson** - January 22, 2025 at 10:39 AM

TW

“ *Terry Wilson-Lloyd lit a candle in memory of Calvin Murrell*



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**Terry Wilson-Lloyd** - January 22, 2025 at 10:25 AM