



Le Otis Arterberry

August 31, 1937 - June 9, 2020

Le Otis Arterberry, 82, of Providence Village, TX, passed away Tuesday, June 9, 2020 in Aubrey, TX. He was born August 31, 1937 in Meridian, OK to Carl Arterberry and Mable Starks. Le married Rita Hill on February 15, 1975 in Dallas County and for 45 years was a devoted and loving husband.

Le accepted Christ at an early age. Upon graduating high school in Oklahoma, he enlisted in the United States Air Force from 1954-1962 and served in the Korean War. After an honorable discharge from the Air Force, he worked as a telecommunications engineer for many years in both Oklahoma and California.

He had an entrepreneurial spirit and was a jack of all trades. He opened up multiple businesses for himself and assisted others. He attended college to further his career interests. Le was well known for his CPA services as he owned a business serving as a tax preparer and real estate broker for the North Dallas area in the late 70's and 80's. He retired from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) in 2007 as a Telecommunications and Information Specialist.

Le was a member of Friendship Baptist Church of The Colony and was a mason. Among his many hobbies were refurbishing surplus electronic components, tinkering with cars, gardening, fishing, golfing, baseball, and watching grandkids participate in sporting events. Le was an avid reader and enjoyed John Grisham novels. He enjoyed family and valued spending time with them and dreamed of living out in the country on acres of land. He will be

remembered as the family historian, a great story teller, and a wonderful listener. Le was adored by his family and friends and all who knew him. To most of his close friends and family in Oklahoma, he was affectionately known as Calvin.

Le is survived by his wife, Rita of Providence Village, TX; son, Maurice Arterberry of Denton, TX; three step-sons, Hayvard Broussard of Pearland, TX, Juan Broussard of Houston, TX, and Jody Broussard of Los Angeles, CA; four daughters, Leah Cook and husband Edgar Jr. of Lewisville, TX; Linda Hill and husband Larry of Denton, TX, Ericka Draper and husband James of Frisco, TX, and DeJaniero Lloyd and husband Paul of Orange, CA; twenty grandchildren; five great-grandchildren; sister, Alice Crusher of Guthrie, OK; and several nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Carl and Mable.

Visitation will be held 6:00PM-8:00PM, Monday, June 15, 2020 at Slay Memorial Chapel in Aubrey, TX. A funeral service will be held at 11:00AM, Tuesday, June 16, 2020 at Slay Memorial Chapel in Aubrey, TX with Reverend Gregory McCarroll officiating. Honorary Pallbearers are Joseph Arterberry, Maurice Arterberry, Jr., O'Maurie Arterberry, Edgar Cook III, Dedrick Marshall, and Micah Mobley. Online condolences may be shared at www.slaymemorialfuneralhome.com.

Arrangements are under the direction of Terri Slay and Slay Memorial Funeral Center

To send a flower arrangement to the family of Le Otis Arterberry, please click [here](#) to visit our Sympathy Store.

Tribute Wall

BW

“ *Rest In Peace, my friend.*

Ben Wong - June 16, 2020 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ *My sympathy and prayers to all of the family! May memories make you smile. I was blessed to talk to Le two weeks earlier and enjoyed that time. I will certainly miss our conversations. May God bless each one of you!*

Sandy Harris - June 15, 2020 at 12:00 AM

TW

“ *In loving memory of a beautiful soul. Thanks for your wisdom and truth Daddy Arterberry. Blessed are those that mourn for they shall be comforted.- (Matthew 5:4) Deggie and Marcel, we love you! We send our love to all. From Odeal, Wanda, Shika, Nicholas, Kelsey, Kyle, Jimmy*

Tashika Williams - June 15, 2020 at 12:00 AM

VT

“ *Codolences to the Arterberry family, friends and love ones of Le. He was truly a leader and a builder that bridged the communication that reached across the country as he brought the family closer. Le will truly be missed by all. With much Love!*

Vickye Arterberry Terry - June 14, 2020 at 12:00 AM

PW

“ *Grief can be so hard, but our special memories help us cope. Remembering you and your loved one today and always.*

Peggy Wicker - June 14, 2020 at 12:00 AM

CP

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Cassandra Price,

Seagoville, Texas

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CP

“ *May God bless you and your family in this time of sorrow.*

Cassandra Price - June 14, 2020 at 12:00 AM

AW

“ *May God bless you and your family in this time of sorrow. Uncle will always be in our memories, He was an outstanding, funny, great man of standards. Will be missed but not forgotten. Winrow, Coburn Family.*

Ada Winrow - June 14, 2020 at 12:00 AM

RC

“ *May your hearts soon be filled with wonderful memories of joyful times together as you celebrate a life well lived. Prayers and Condolences from the Calloway Family. RIH Mr.Le Arterberry!!*

Roderick & Joannette Calloway - June 13, 2020 at 12:00 AM

NS

“ *May his soul rest in the arms of our Lord and Savior, Jesus the Christ, and await the time when we shall see him on the other side-*
Nettiestine Smith and Family.

Nettiestine Smith - June 12, 2020 at 12:00 AM