



Mr. Freddie Lee Bonner

April 14, 1950 - November 16, 2018

Mr. Freddie Lee Bonner, 68, of Peoria, IL transitioned from this life to the next at 1:24 pm on Friday, November 16, 2018 at his home surrounded by his loving and devoted family.

Freddie was born on April 14, 1950 to Juanita (McCorkle) White. He was a 1974 graduate of Manual High School where he played football and was a wrestler. Freddie earned a BS Degree in Political Science from Illinois State University and a Master's Degree in Criminal Justice. He married the mother of his children, Esther Jones Bonner on October 8, 1979.

Freddie was a very determined and focused man, he put himself through college at ISU. He was a former officer at the Hanna City Youth Farm where he worked for years. He retired as a Probation Officer with the Peoria County Adult Probation Program, where he served for many years. Freddie loved spending time with his family and friends, whether it be playing his favorite game of Tonk or hanging with the grandchildren at Halloween giving candy out to children. Freddie was loved by all.

Freddie leaves to cherish his most precious memories his loving and devoted family; eight daughters, Taihesha Bonner, Monique Bonner, Deshaunda (Robert Laney) Bonner, Kelli Bonner, Christeia Bonner and Kandis Bonner and Brianna Bonner all of Peoria and Brittani Bonner of Woodridge, IL; two sons, Christopher Hyson-Bonner and Freddie Bonner, II both of Peoria; nine sisters, Patricia Griffin, Doris Griffin, Bernice Griffin, Linda Rose, Cynthia Griffin, Clara Gonzales, Gloria (Andrew) Flatt all of Peoria and Marilyn (Billy)

Bacon of St. Louis, MO, and Ann (Jimmie) Smith of Canton, IL; six brothers, Herbert Griffin, James Kimbrough, Carl White, James White and Tyrone Brown all of Peoria and Gregory Griffin of Chenoa, WI; 39 grandchildren; 7 great grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews other relatives and friends. He is preceded in death by his mother, one sister, Renae Griffin, one brother, Samuel McCorkle and two grandchildren, Anyia Bonner and Envy Watson.

Funeral services will be held at 10 am, Saturday, November 24, 2018 at Pilgrims' Progress C.O.G.I.C with a visitation one-hour prior beginning at 9 am. Host Pastor is Elder James Rodgers and Elder Andrew Flatt will officiate. Freddie will be laid to rest at Lutheran Cemetery. Simons Mortuary has been entrusted with arrangements. Online condolences may be made at simonsmortuary.com.

Cemetery Details

Lutheran Cemetery

914 S Pleasant St
Peoria, IL 61604-5954

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **24**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Pilgrims' Progress C.O.G.I.C
3033 W. Marquette St.
Peoria, IL 61605
(309) 676-7560

Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Freddie Lee Bonner*

January 29, 2023 at 06:10 AM



“ *Mr. Freddie Lee Bonner*

January 29, 2023 at 03:12 AM



“ *Keith Broomfield lit a candle in memory of Mr. Freddie Lee Bonner*



Keith Broomfield - November 27, 2018 at 06:30 AM



“ *My condolences goes out to the Family n friends close n far. I'm sending a big hug out to his children,wife n grandbabies. Y'all r in my prayers. God wiping y'all 🥹. He have his arms wrap around all y'all R.I.P Uncle Fred.*

LaKisha Davis - November 21, 2018 at 09:01 PM



“ *Linda Hoskins lit a candle in memory of Mr. Freddie Lee Bonner*



Linda Hoskins - November 21, 2018 at 05:17 AM

RP

“ To the Griffin, Bonner and White family, I was sorry to hear of Freddie's passing. My condolences and prayers are with you. Freddie was always a good and loving person and I know that he will be missed. Keep your trust in the Lord and He will see you through this difficult time.

Ruby Peary - November 20, 2018 at 08:58 PM

ML

“ One of the really good men I knew growing up in Peoria....rest now Brother.

Mark Lampkin - November 20, 2018 at 04:59 PM



“ To the Bonner family, i am sending my deepest condolences to you for the loss of Freddie. i have known Freddie for many many years. We both worked at the courthouse back in the late 70"s. May you each find comfort with each other and know that God never makes a mistake. Humbly submitted
Dlane Dotson-Herron
Bloomington, il



Diane Herron - November 20, 2018 at 08:54 AM

AH

“ A Housley lit a candle in memory of Mr. Freddie Lee Bonner



A Housley - November 20, 2018 at 08:19 AM

AH

Freddie was a good neighbor and I'll miss seeing him down the block. My deepest condolences to the family, trust God to comfort and strengthen you!

Annette Housley - November 22, 2018 at 08:23 AM

BE

“ *So very sorry to hear about your loss! Fred was a man with a good heart and a great father. He was Ray's best friend! I pray that the Lord helps you through this trying time.*



Belinda(Lynn)Spencer-Little - November 20, 2018 at 06:36 AM

BE

“ *Belinda(Lynn)Spencer-Little sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. Freddie Lee Bonner*



Belinda(Lynn)Spencer-Little - November 20, 2018 at 06:31 AM

EB

“ *Emel Buckner lit a candle in memory of Mr. Freddie Lee Bonner*



Emel Buckner - November 19, 2018 at 04:10 PM