



Robert Rowley Temple

February 2, 1942 - March 16, 2021

TEMPLE, Robert Rowley Temple, 79, went home to be with the Lord on March 16, 2021. He was born in Greenville, South Carolina on February 2, 1942 and was the oldest of three children. Preceded in death by his late wife Arlene Street Temple, he is survived by his sweet wife Sally B. Temple; daughter Rebecca T. Chiera; granddaughters Ashley Ocasio (Kevin) and Kelsey Chiera; great-granddaughters Nirmarie and Keilynn; and brother, Lamar Temple. He was a loving husband, father, grandfather and friend; a faithful member of First Baptist Church Jacksonville and 2nd grade Sunday school worker for over 40 years. He served in the United States Navy for four years and was honorably discharged in 1967. His life's passion was to help everyone find and have a relationship with Jesus. His kind and generous nature and his reflection of God's love will be missed by all those blessed to know him.

The family will receive friends 5:00 pm until 7:00 pm Friday, March 26th at Corey-Kerlin Funeral Home, 940 Cesery Blvd., Jacksonville, FL 32211. Graveside Services will be held 11:00 am Saturday, March 27th at Arlington Park Cemetery with Dr. Bob Barton officiating.

In lieu of flowers or donations, the family requests memorials in his name to the First Baptist Church 2nd Grade Children Ministry, 124 West Ashley Street, Jacksonville, FL 32202.

Cemetery

Events

Arlington Park Cemetery

6920 Lone Star Road
Jacksonville, FL, 32211

MAR **Visitation** 05:00PM - 07:00PM

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Chapel of Corey-Kerlin Funeral Home
940 Cesery Blvd., FL, US, 32211

MAR **Graveside Service** 11:00AM

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Arlington Park Cemetery
6920 Lone Star Road, Jacksonville, FL, US, 32211

Comments



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Robert Rowley Temple.



March 24 at 04:13 PM



“ Robert was one of the best men I have ever known. He was kind with a gentle humor about him. Prayers for the Family and know he is soaring high!

Brenda Storay - March 24 at 01:07 PM



“ Brenda Storay lit a candle in memory of Robert Rowley Temple



Brenda Storay - March 24 at 01:01 PM



“ Bob will always have a special place in my heart as a wonderful friend and brother in Christ. Many times he let my husband and I know how much he cared and prayed for us over the years of our friendship and especially during my husband's illness. Thankfully, because of our shared faith in our Lord Jesus, we will all meet again in heaven!

May God comfort and bless his family knowing how many lives he touched.

Love,
Jean Parker

Jean Parker - March 21 at 03:59 PM



“ Mr Temple, was a sweet, Jesus loving man. Rest assured he is with Jesus. We love him. Eddie & Donna Merrell. RIP our brother.

Eddie Merrell - March 20 at 07:44 PM



“ Since I was a teenager Bob has been a good friend to me and my family. I couldn't possibly tell here what all he did for us over the years. When my husband Ronnie died suddenly, my parents were out of town, so I called He and Arlene and they went with me to the hospital and contacted my parents who came home immediately. His warm smile and kind words often lifted me up when I needed it, even though he probably didn't know. He was a fine Christian man and will be greatly missed by all who knew him.

Kathy Livingston Higgs - March 20 at 07:13 PM