



## Mr. Osborne Edwards Jr.

February 26, 1933 - September 16, 2023

"And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any pain, for the former things in life are passed away." Revelations 21:14.

Osborne Edwards, Jr age 90, was born in New York on February 26, 1933. He was the only child of Leotta Edwards. He transitioned to eternal sleep at home on September 16, 2023 in Grimesland, N.C. Osborne attended the New York public school system. He served in the United States Army in the 82nd Airborne division. After serving in the army, he worked for the New York Transit Authority as a motor man and also as a maintenance man for over 30 years.

Osborne was very outgoing, loved people and never met a stranger. He befriended everyone and anyone with whom he met. He made all people feel welcome through his sense of humor, wit and kindness. He loved paddleball and while living in New York, during his retirement, he could be found in the local YMCA playing paddleball or sharing his knowledge of juicing for health benefits.

Osborne leaves to cherish in loving memory Nina and Walter Blackwell, Santana Barrett; caregiver, James Robinson; a special friend, Leotta Blackwell; his cousin and a host of family and friends.



# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life Service

SEP **30**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mr. Osborne Edwards Jr.*

October 06, 2023 at 05:52 AM



“ *Ben Wooten- lit a candle in memory of Mr. Osborne Edwards Jr.*



**Ben Wooten-** - September 30, 2023 at 02:59 AM



“ *Janice Scott And Family lit a candle in memory of Mr. Osborne Edwards Jr.*



**Janice Scott and Family** - September 29, 2023 at 09:20 AM



“ *"Oscar" as he was know to us was one of a kind. He was full of wisdom and had a way of making people feel at ease. He always had a word of encouragement to share and usually made you laugh on the process. Rest on Oscar!!!*

**Nina Blackwell** - September 28, 2023 at 05:55 PM

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“ *Ricky & Paulinda Council lit a candle in memory of Mr. Osborne Edwards Jr.*



Ricky & Paulinda Council - September 28, 2023 at 12:40 PM

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“ *Congleton Funeral Home and Staff wishes to express our sincere condolence on the passing of your love one. We light this candle in their memory.*



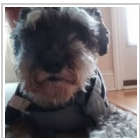
Congleton Funeral Home and Staff - September 25, 2023 at 04:40 PM

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“ *Nina Blackwell lit a candle in memory of Mr. Osborne Edwards Jr.*



Nina Blackwell - September 20, 2023 at 06:12 PM



“ *My cousin will be missed by all who knew him. He was a great listener, patient and loved people. Everyone he met might have started off as a stranger but that person ended up as a friend and he has many lifelong friends that speak highly of him to this day. He lived life to the fullest and now he is with God in Heaven!!!! I love you Cousin Oscar!! God bless you!!!! Love, Leotta*

Lee Blackwell - September 20, 2023 at 04:45 PM

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“ *May Jesus Christ Continues To Comfort And Strengthen The Family*



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**Evangelist Gwen Hudson** - September 19, 2023 at 02:18 PM