



Leon Young

February 9, 1957 - October 9, 2018

Mr. Leon Young age 61, went home to be with the Lord, on October 9, 2018. Mr. Young was a native of Archer, FL and a member of St. Peter Baptist Church, Archer, FL. He was a graduate of Newberry High School Class of 1976. He was employed by Shand's Hospital and the Malcom Randall VA Gainesville, FL. Leon was preceded in death by his parents; Joe Nathan Sr. and Marthena Miles Young, his twin brother Leroy Young and Johnny Alexander Young. He leaves to cherish fond memories his three children; Leon Young Jr., Newberry, FL, Sharika Young, Jacksonville, FL, and Whitney Young, Orlando, FL; five grandchildren; brothers, Joe Nathan Young, Jr., and Johnell Young both of Archer, FL; sisters, Joann(Warren) Johnson,Sr., Evelyn Young Stringer, Carolyn (Akil) Khalfani, Sr., all of Archer, FL , and Joann Young, Valdosta, Ga.; sister- in -law, Barbara Young, Newberry, FL. Funeral services for Mr. Young will be held 11:00 AM, Saturday ,October 20, 2018, St. Peter Missionary Baptist Church, 17026 SW 83rd Avenue, Archer, FL, Rev. Dwayne McBride, Pastor, Rev. Keith Smith, Presiding and Rev Marvin Buchannon, Officiating. Interment will follow in St. Peter Community Cemetery, Archer, FL. Arrangements entrusted to the care of Chestnut Funeral Home 18 NW 8th Avenue Gainesville, FL 32601. Visitation at Chestnut Memorial Chapel on Friday October 19, 2018, 2:00-7:00 PM and on Saturday at the church one hour prior to the service. Family and friends are asked to meet at the church at 10:30 AM.

Online condolences may be made to the family at www.chestnutfh.com