



## Leonidus M. Spellman

June 13, 1944 - July 15, 2014

On June 13, 1944, Leonidus McCoy Spellman was born to Elder Andrew L. and the late Evangelist Maude M. Spellman in Camden County, North Carolina.

In 1946, he along with his parents and little sister moved to Delaware. Leonidus started elementary school at Benjamin Banneker School in Milford, Delaware. He began forth grade at Ellendale Elementary School in Ellendale, Delaware and then attended William C. Jason Comprehensive High School in Georgetown, Delaware, from seventh through twelve grade, graduating. He went into the Marine Corps at the age of 18. He served two and a half years in Vietnam. He came back to the states and settled down in San Diego, California, where he married Ms. Nancy and raised two sons, David and Jonathan.

After returning from the Marine Corps, he worked for the San Diego Natural Steel & Ship Building Company as a welder and the U.S. Postal Services, until he retired. He came home during mother's illness and helped take care of her and his father. He made as many trips as he could while he was able. He was also a blessing to his brothers and sisters.

He leaves to mourn his wife, Nancy; two sons, David and Jonathan and his grandchildren; his father, Elder Andrew L. Spellman, who is 98 years of age; his sister, Celestine (Luke) of Dover, DE, Leola of Dover, DE, Linda of Ellendale, DE, Charlotte (Woody) of Baltimore, MD and Gracie; his brothers, Ronald of Dover, DE, Matthew (Diya) of California, Weldon (Patty) of Bear,

DE, Timothy of Dover, DE and Thornton (Lisa) of Dover, DE; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, great-nieces, great-nephews, uncles, aunts and friends.

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“ Please accept my condolence. My heart goes out to you in your time of sorrow. May you find comforting Job 14:14, 15, which says, “If an able-bodied man dies can he live again? You will call, and I myself shall answer you. For the work of your hands you will have a yearning.”

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**Sherry** - September 19, 2014 at 12:00 AM