

### *Pallbearers*

Oliver Brown Jr.  
Mark Brown  
Ryan Florie

Vernon Brown  
Keith Florie  
Mark Florie

### *Flower Bearers*

Family and Friends

### *Interment*

Trice Hill Cemetery  
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Please drive with your lights on for safety and fasten your seat belts.

### *Acknowledgement*

The family wishes to express its sincere gratitude for the many acts of kindness shown during this time of bereavement.

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*"We Care"*

*II Timothy 4:8*

## *In Loving Memory of Oliver Charles Brown Sr.*



*Sunrise*  
*February 14, 1937*

*Sunset*  
*March 5, 2020*

### *Services*

*Saturday, March 14, 2020 - 11:00 a.m.*

*Wilshire Church of Christ*

*400 East Wilshire Blvd.  
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma*

*Jeremie Beller - Officiating*



## Obituary

Oliver Brown (aka Sweetboy) was born Feb 14, 1937 in Holdenville, OK. He was the 10<sup>th</sup> of 11 children born to Albert and Vassie Brown. He graduated from Holdenville HS in 1955; joined the Air Force and served 8 years.

After his tenure in the Air Force, Oliver worked as an electrician at Luke Air force base in Phoenix AZ. In 1963, while in Phoenix, Oliver met Martha Washington. The couple married in 1964 and had their first child, Oliver Jr, in 1965.

Oliver accepted a position as an electrician for the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) in Oklahoma City; and the family relocated there in 1966. They soon had sons Mark and Vernon. Oliver worked a total of 29 years for the FAA. He also owned a janitorial service for 30 years.

Shortly after moving to OKC in 1966, Oliver gave his life to Christ and was a very active member of The Garden Oaks, Creston Hills and Wilshire Churches of Christ. While a member, he visited sick members; drove the church bus to pick up members w/out transportation; as well as performed maintenance on the buildings and grounds. He was also a member of the United Male Chorus of OKC.

Oliver was a commendable husband and exceptional father. He also relished outdoor activities. He treasured riding horses and all things western. He was an active member of the Eastside Roundup Club and loved participating in holiday parades.

He doted on his grandchildren and cherished the time spent with them. He would often provide them with insightful words of wisdom while showing them how to ride horses and/or buggies; or taking them on the countless Chuck E. Cheese runs when they were younger. As they grew older, he was always there to share in their accomplishments as well as explain important life lessons.

Jesus called Oliver home on March 5, 2020. He was preceded in death by 2 brothers and 8 sisters. He is survived by his wife of 55 years, Martha; sons Oliver Jr., and Vernon (Kim); grandchildren Keisha Cowart (Tony), Brittany, Mark, and Brianna Brown; Bailey Bacon and a host of cousins, nephews, nieces, great nieces, great nephews, and great grandchildren.

## Order of Service

Welcome ..... Jeremie Beller

Song ..... Acapella Connection

New Testament Reading ..... Jim Baird

Old Testament Reading ..... Gary Dilworth

Honor Detail

Song ..... United Male Chorus

Remarks

Song ..... United Male Chorus

Eulogy ..... Jeremie Beller

Video Tribute

Viewing/Recessional

### Miss Me - But Let Me Go

When I come to the end of the road

And the sun has set for me,

I want no rites in a gloom-filled room;

Why cry for a soul set free?

Miss me a little - but not too long

And not with your head bowed low.

Remember the love that we once shared.

Miss me - but let me go.

For this is a journey that we all must take

And each must go alone.

It's all a part of the Master's plan,

A step on the road to home.

When you are lonely and sick at heart,

Go to the friends we know

And bury your sorrows in doing good deeds.

Miss me - but let me go.

- Author Unknown