



### *Acknowledgement*

The family of Kelvin A. Hobbs Sr. wishes to express their sincere gratitude for the many acts of kindness shown during this time of bereavement. May God bless each of you.

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*Celebrating The Life  
 of  
 Kelvin Alfred Hobbs Sr.*

*Sunrise* *Sunset*  
*October 2, 1947* *January 11, 2021*

**GRAVESIDE SERVICES**  
 January 20, 2021 - 1:00 p.m.  
**FORT SILL NATIONAL CEMETERY**  
 2648 NE Jake Dunn Rd.  
 Elgin, Oklahoma 73538  
 Minister Charla Goss - Officiating

# Obituary

Kelvin A. Hobbs, Sr. was called home on Monday, January 11, 2021. He was born to the union of Alfred and Lena Hobbs on October 2, 1947, in Blackstone, Virginia. Kelvin graduated from Luther H. Foster High School in Crewe, Virginia. He joined the United States Air Force in 1968, serving 22 years achieving the rank of Senior Master Sergeant and a Meritorious Service Medal holder. While in the U.S.A.F. Kelvin received his Masters of Human Relations from the University of Oklahoma, and a Bachelors of Arts in Management of Human Resources from Southern Nazarene University. After retiring from the U.S.A.F. Kelvin became the Director of Regional Prevention Coordinators at Eagle Ridge Institute. Kelvin spent 32 years in the prevention and substance abuse field. He was a Certified Prevention Specialist and a Certified Trainer for Substance Abuse Prevention Specialist Training and Exploring Ethics in the Prevention field. Kelvin also served as an Adjunct Professor of Sociology at the University of Central Oklahoma. Kelvin had a wealth of knowledge and experience working with youth, parents, schools and communities of all backgrounds and cultural diversities.

Kelvin was a loving and caring father, devoted husband, mentor, and dedicated friend who went out of his way to help others. He enjoyed traveling, spending time with his family, grocery shopping, and taking care of those around him. Throughout the years, he was often depended on to be a father figure for many extended family and friends.

Kelvin and his wife Patricia lived in Oklahoma City where they raised their two children, Khourie & Chip. Kelvin loved his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ and spent many hours studying His word. His faith was rooted in the Word of God and he never wavered, even in his final days where he was quoted saying "I'll see you on the other side." He was a unique individual who had the ability to make everyone feel as if they were a member of his family. Even as his time here on earth drew near, he was more concerned for his family than for himself.

Kelvin was preceded in death by his mother, Lena Hobbs and his father, Alfred Hobbs. He is survived by his wife of 49 years Patricia Hobbs, their children Khourie Jones, Kelvin "Chip" Hobbs and daughter-in-law Keasha Hobbs, his 6 grandchildren Sadie, Kacee, Kai, Khloe, Braylon and Ellis and his sister Edith Eppes.

*"For God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish but have eternal life" – John 3:16*

## Order of Service

OPENING PRAYER

SCRIPTURE

EULOGY

CLOSING PRAYER

MILITARY HONORS

### GOD SAW YOU GETTING TIRED

*God saw you getting tired  
when a cure was not to be.*

*So He wrapped His arms around you,  
and whispered, "Come unto me."*

*You didn't deserve what you went through,  
and so He gave you rest.*

*God's garden must be beautiful,  
He only takes the best.*

*So when I saw you sleeping,  
so peaceful and free from pain.*

*I could not wish you to come back,  
to suffer that all again.*

*"Well done my good and faithful servant"*

*– Matthew 25:21*