Jackie Leon Copeland

77, a resident of Van Buren, Arkansas, passed away August 1, 2008 at the Select Hospital in Fort Smith, Arkansas. He was born August 3, 1930 at Lincoln, Arkansas, the son of Leon Vester and Mertie Elzora Hardin Copeland.

He was a member of the Oak Cliff Baptist Church in Fort Smith, Arkansas.

Jackie loved to fly model airplanes and was a member of the Flight Master's Model Aircraft Club. He served four years in the United States Air Force.

He was preceded in death by his parents and one son, Jackie Earl Copeland.

Survivors include his wife of 57 years, Earlene Copeland of the home; one son, Leon Copeland and his wife, Shannon of Van Buren, Arkansas; two daughters, Cathy Cullen and her husband, Bill of Vian, Oklahoma, and Caren Copeland of Fort Smith, Arkansas; his mother in law, Jessie Watson; seven grandchildren, Hope Outlaw and her husband, Coby, Jacque Cialone and her husband, Scott, Joshua Copeland and his wife, DeAnna, Jena Cullen, Dillon Elkins, MacKinzie Copeland and Riley Copeland; five great grandchildren, Megan Outlaw, Jordan Outlaw, Addie Marie Outlaw, Colton Copeland and Justin Cialone; life long friend and brother in law, Chester Avis and sister in law, Carole Avis; one niece, three nephews and numerous friends.



APPRECIATION

On behalf of the Copeland family, we wish to express their gratitude for your many acts of kindness, and for your attendance at the funeral service.

Luginbuel Funeral Home Prairie Grove, Arkansas

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Jackie Leon Copeland August 3, 1930 - August 1, 2008

TWENTY THIRD PSALM

The LORD is my Shepherd; I shall not want.

He maketh me to lie down in
green pastures: He leadeth me beside
the still waters.

He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me: thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.

Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the LORD forever.



CELEBRATING THE LIFE & MEMORY OF

Jackie Leon Copeland

DATE, TIME & PLACE OF SERVICE

Tuesday, August 5, 2008 - 10:00 A.M. South Side Baptist Church - 2400 Dodson Ave. Fort Smith, Arkansas

DATE, TIME & PLACE OF INTERMENT

Tuesday, August 5, 2008 - 1:00 P.M. Lincoln Cemetery - Lincoln, Arkansas

ORDER OF SERVICE

Prelude Music Katie Kerr

Obituary Rev. Phil Whitten

Scripture

Prayer

"Amazing Grace" Caressa Avis
Pianist - Katle Kerr

Words of Comfort & Victory

Dr. Kent Sweatman

Pastor - Oak Cliff Baptist Church - Fort Smith, Arkansas

Prayer

Postlude Music Katie Kerr

FINAL RESTING PLACE

Lincoln Cemetery - Lincoln, Arkansas

PALLBEARERS

Carvel Avis - Craig Avis - Chris Avis - Coby Outlaw Scott Cialone - Tracy Fant - Bob Arnold

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Members of Jackie's Sunday School Class

MEMORIALS

Oak Cliff Baptist Church - 3701 Gary St. - Fort Smith, Arkansas 72903