



Wilmot Ellis "Bill" Carter

July 3, 2017

WILMOT ELLIS "BILL" CARTER 94, of Louisville, Kentucky, was born September 14, 1922. Wilmot, a great man, went to be with the Lord July 3rd, 2017 at his home. He graduated from Austin Tracy High School. He married Frances Evelyn Russell in 1943 and was a World War II Veteran, serving in the Phillipines and New Guinea. Wilmot was a member of Lyons Missionary Baptist Church where he served as song leader for 46 years. He loved gospel music and was a member of the Crusaders Quartet singing in Barren and Allen counties and parts of Tennessee. He was manager of the Standard Store in Scottsville, Ky and then became manager of the men's dept. at GES in Louisville. Wilmot then joined JC Penney as menswear salesman and buyer from which he retired in 1987. He loved gardening, woodworking and sports. He was known to be a real gentleman, a sharp dresser and was loved and respected by all. Wilmot was preceded in death by his parents, Voss and Cecil Carter, sister, Wanda Brewer and brother, Dean Carter. He is survived by his beloved wife of 74 years, Frances; their son Ronald and Ron's wife, Mary; his sister Jo Steenbergen; brother, Willard Carter and many nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be 11 a.m. Friday, July 7, 2017 at Owen Funeral Home, 5317 Dixie Highway with burial in Union Cemetery, near Fountain Run, KY. following the funeral. Visitation will be 3 – 8 p.m. Thursday, July 6, 2017 at the funeral home.

Tribute Wall

RG

“ *Wilmot was everyone's favorite person. I only found out about his passing too late to be at the cemetery. I am so sorry but KNOW where he is. My parents were Carl and Ellen Carter Goad of Fountain Run. It was a true joy to know him and one day soon will see him again.*

*Love and Prayers,
Roger Goad*

Roger N. Goad - June 28, 2018 at 03:56 PM

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“ *Mr. Carter was a fine gentleman. He was a friend, customer in my business with the tape ministry from his church, and father to my friend Ron Carter. My wife Dorissa and I are so sad to hear of his passing on. May his family find peace and comfort.* Gary Falk

Gary Falk - June 28, 2018 at 03:56 PM

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“ *My sincere condolences to the Carter family. I never met the other members of the family but have known Ron for many years. If Rons reputation and character is an example of his fathers then he was truly a fine man. My thoughts and prayers are with the family. With much love,*

*Ric Overton
Tim Speakman*

Ric Overton - June 28, 2018 at 03:56 PM

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“ Evelyn, Ronnie and Mary
So sorry for your loss, Wilmot was a fine man. Just want to say
thanks for treating me like family all these years. You have always
been my family. Love you guys
Norma

Norma and Buddy Hasch - June 28, 2018 at 03:56 PM

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“ Sister Carter I'm so sorry for the passing of Bro. Carter. As a child
my memories that I remember the most are of Bro. Carter always
wearing his Sunday's best and ready to sing praises for the Lord.
Every Sunday he would be there in the second pew over in the
choir when he wasn't leading. Then as it came time to start he
would get up and lead everyone in song as church began. Then you
would always be sitting in the first pew next to the isle on the right
hand side of the church. Once again I'm sorry for your loss. You and
your family are in our thoughts and prayers. Much love!

Ashley Warren (Pellerin) - June 28, 2018 at 03:56 PM