



# Mr. Ulysses Edward Bowden

MAR 28, 1932 - NOV 12, 2016



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**M**t. Olive – Mr. Ulysses E. Bowden, 84 of 705 S. Breazeale Ave., passed on Saturday, November 12, 2016 at home. The celebration of his life will be held on Thursday, November 17, 2016 at 1:00pm at Winn Chapel Church, 110 Smith Street, Mt. Olive, NC. He will be laid to rest at the Carver Memorial Park, Breazeale Ave. Mt. Olive, NC with full military honors. There will be a visitation held on Wednesday, November 16, 2016 from 2:00pm until 6:00pm at J.B. Rhodes Funeral Home & Cremations with the family arriving to receive friends from 5:00pm until 6:00pm. He will lie in state from 12:00pm until 1:00pm at the church, at the family's request, there will not be a public viewing after the service.

He was born on March 28, 1932 in Wayne County, NC to Harry Edward Bowden and Lillie Mae Ward Bowden. He is survived by his wife of 51 years, Evelyne Beulke J. Bowden. Two daughters, Amber Bowden, an Operations Director in Santa Rosa, CA and Yvonne Bowden-Parker, retired Army (C. Victor Parker) of Baltimore, MD; one grandson, Victor Malik Parker, and additional family includes, Ulysses Edward Harris (Debbie) and their 6 children of Raleigh, NC and numerous cousins and friends.

He was drafted into the U.S. Army in 1952, where he served for 20 years. In 1980, he opened his own florist, "Ulysses Florist", which he ran until 2004.

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# Events

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## Visitation

**Wednesday**, November 16, 2016

2:00 PM - 6:00 PM ET

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1701 Wayne Memorial Dr., Goldsboro NC 27534



## Family Receiving Friends

**Wednesday**, November 16, 2016

5:00 PM - 6:00 PM ET

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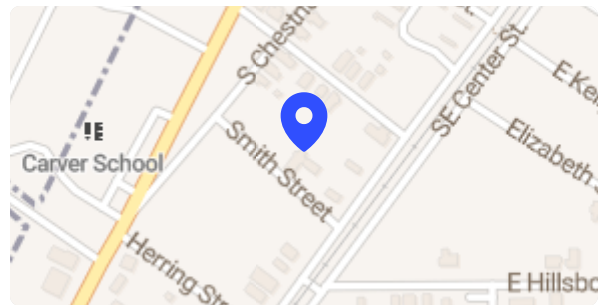


## Viewing

**Thursday**, November 17, 2016

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM ET

**Winn Chapel Church**  
110 Smith Street, Mt. Olive NC 28365

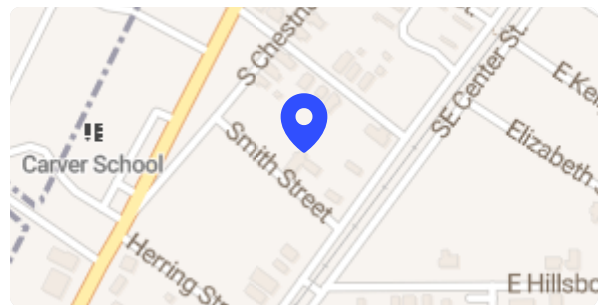


## Service

**Thursday**, November 17, 2016

1:00 PM ET

**Winn Chapel Church**  
110 Smith Street, Mt. Olive NC 28365





## Tribute Wall

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DK

**Dr. Leroy Kornegay** posted:

Dear Mrs. Bowden, Family & Friends,I would like to express my belated condolences and deepest sympathy to his beloved spouse, family and friends. In the summer of 1965, my late wife and I received a visit from Ulysses and Evelyne at our apartment in Munich, Germany. After my military discharge at Fort Hamilton, NYC, I attended Sunday service at St. Luke Church of Christ. Also his late mother was there, whereupon she told me that he was stationed in Fulda, Germany. We contacted each other following my return to Munich on July 17, 1965. It was quite an honor to have both of them as our guests; furthermore, we learned that Evelyne had grown up in Munich near the U.S. Army McGraw Barracks. Later when her mother went to live in a nursing home near the Old South Cemetery, Evelyne asked us during our visit in Mt. Olive to pay her mother a visit. After we returned to Munich, we went to see her mother and told her about our visit in Mt. Olive with Ulysses and Evelyne. She was extremely happy and told us many things about Evelyne growing up in Munich and also about herself. Ulysses will be solely missed, because he was a good man, husband and father. May God bless Evelyne and family.With my prayers,Dr. Leroy Kornegay

November 17 at 11:51 AM

JA

**James Armwood** posted:

My prayers are with you and your family may God continue to bless and encourage you so sorry for your loss.

November 17 at 9:35 AM

GW

**Gerald Williams** posted:

We, Hilda and Gerald Williams operated Williams Wholesale Florist. Ulysses was one of our favorite Florist customers for many years. He was always so nice and kind and always had a smile on his face. Many times his wife Evelyn would come to get flowers and we liked her a lot and became close friend as well. We delivered to his shop, but they came to our place on days our truck was not in town. Evelyn always said she was the gopher. Over the years Ulysses and Evelyn have become close friend of ours. They are very special to us. They are family to us! We loved both of them a lot. We appreciate all the business over the many years, and especially the friendship. We did not get to see him a lot so this will never seem real to us. Visit people you love,because tomorrow is not promised. We love them both forever and always. Very dear friends! We love you both! In Christ! We Love You, May God Bless You and Your Families. Gerald and Hilda

November 16 at 10:32 AM



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**Charletta** lit a candle in honor of Ulysses.

Such great memories of our families! We've shared so many good times. Many blessings to the family.

November 16 at 9:44 AM



**Margaret Southerland** lit a candle in honor of Ulysses.

Mrs Evelyn be encouraged in the lord because he cares for you. Mr Ulysses was my friend and he always made me laugh. Elder Clifford and Margaret Southerland

November 16 at 3:50 AM



**Anthony Ezzell** posted:

So sorry for the loss if your love one. Just know that even in this God is still good and he will see you through this difficult time. We will continue to pray for you and with you. Anthony & Gloria Ezzell

November 15 at 6:47 PM



**Barbara** November 16 at 4:52 AM

My condolences to the Bowden family. May God bless you in this difficult time.



**Davila Lofton** posted:

Our thoughts & prayers are with the entire family of Mr. Ulysses Bowden. May God continue to provide comfort during this difficult time. Levison, Davita & Brianna Lofton

November 15 at 6:35 PM



**Connie Lane** lit a candle in honor of Ulysses.

November 15 at 6:25 PM



**Connie Lane** November 15 at 6:26 PM

My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family



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BW

**Bernestine West** posted:

My condolences to the Ulysses Bowden Family. May God give you strength during this difficult time. Praying for your family. May God continue to heal you and give you peace.

November 15 at 6:05 PM

BW

**Bernestine West** lit a candle in honor of Ulysses.

To the Ulysses Bowden Family My condolences to you all. May God give you strength during this difficult time. May the peace of God be with you now and continue while you heal. Praying for the family. Bernestine West

November 15 at 5:57 PM



JR

**Janet Rose** posted:

Thinking of you at this difficult time. Wishing you peace and comfort in the coming days. Janet Rose

November 15 at 2:49 AM

CH

**C. Hammonds** lit a candle in honor of Ulysses.

We are sending our condolences to the Bowden family. Mr. Bowden will be missed. Your are in our prayers. Cassandra Davis-Hammonds & family

November 14 at 11:44 PM



RB

**Robert W. Brock** posted:

I RECALL STANDING IN ULYSSES' DRIVEWAY SHARING "WAR STORIES" ... AT THIS VERY SAD TIME OF LOSS MY WIFE AND I EXTEND HEARTFELT SYMPATHY & BEST WISHES TO HIS FAMILY ...  
ROBERT & LEORA BROCK, HAMPTON, VA

November 14 at 11:10 AM



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CW

**Charles And Carolyn Witherington** lit a candle in honor of Ulysses.



November 14 at 10:53 AM

CW

**Charles And Carolyn Witherington** November 14 at 10:56 AM

So sorry for your loss . Praying for you during this time. I know you will truly miss him .

DC

**Dr. Deniece Cole** lit a candle in honor of Ulysses.



November 14 at 10:11 AM

SC

**Shelma Crudup** November 15 at 4:34 PM

Mrs. Bowden I am so very sorry for your loss. Sending prayers and comfort to you and your family.

DC

**Dr. Deniece Cole** November 14 at 10:13 AM

I am so sorry for your loss, my prayers are with you. Mr. Bowden was a kind man, he will be greatly missed.

AJ

**Ada L. Jones** lit a candle in honor of Ulysses.

To the Bowden Family, Our thoughts and prayers are with you in your loss. Ada L. Jones and Family

November 14 at 6:29 AM



PL

**Peggy Land** posted:

To the family of Ulysses Bowen. I am sorry to read about the loss of your loved one. The pain is tremendous even with the passage of time. There are scriptures in the Bible to help provide relief of grief and distress. Please read Ps 65:2 that reads "The Hearer of prayers a source of comfort in times of grief and distress.

November 14 at 2:59 AM



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**Cliftine S. Shields** lit a candle in honor of Ulysses.

November 14 at 2:30 AM



**Tatetia Robinson** lit a candle in honor of Ulysses.

November 13 at 4:17 PM





# Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Ulysses by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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