



Mrs. Cornelius Chrystal Knight

June 18, 1950 - October 8, 2025

Cornelius “Neil” Knight was born on June 18, 1950, to the late Jessie L Chrystal and Gladys. Neil was a student of Big Zion School and graduated from West Side High School. After retiring from Amite Oyster Co., Neil did many entrepreneur jobs like tax preparation and held the local in house candy shop, also known as the popsicle lady.

At an early age, Neil gave her life to Christ where she served faithfully at Big Zion AME Zion Church. Neil served many roles: Class leader, sang in the choir, on numerous boards but her most favored role was being over the Big Zion BUDs of Promise. Neil loved children. She was also a loving sister of the Lucy Chapter Order of Easter Star.

Neil’s earthly body departed on October 8, 2025, surrounded by loved ones at Lakeview Medical Center. Neil was preceded in death by both parents Jessie and Gladys Chrystal, her husband (Arthur), One Granddaughter and One Grandson.

She leaves to cherish her loving memories Roslyn “Roxy” Dokes (Robert), L. Dewayne “Wayne” Johnson, David “JJ” Johnson Jr. (Amber), Krystle “Krissy” Hookfin (Derrick). Two siblings Delores “LO” Sanders, Jessie “Bubba” Chrystal (Beatrice). Grandchildren, Great-Grandchildren, Godchildren and a loving abundance of nieces and nephews.

“Wings aren’t just given they are earned by the ones most deserving.”

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 18. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Big Zion
62268 Washington Avenue
Roseland , LA 70456

Service

OCT 18. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Interment

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Tribute Wall

MJ

“ I was so saddened to hear of your passing. You were an amazing person and will be deeply missed. I will always remember your smile, kindness and our conversations. Your friends Mary and Eunice Johnson. RIP 🌹🙏

Mary Johnson - October 17, 2025 at 02:09 PM

AJ

“ Aunt Elaine and Uncle Joey. purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Cornelius Chrystal Knight.



Aunt Elaine and Uncle Joey. - October 15, 2025 at 04:48 AM

MB

“ Mae Berry lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cornelius Chrystal Knight



Mae Berry - October 14, 2025 at 10:37 PM

AM

“ May Almighty Father God bless and comfort the family and strengthen the family



Anthony Martin and Jashon Johnson Martin - October 14, 2025 at 03:30 PM

AL

Wow my God may she rest in peace I'm praying for the family very sweet lady may God give the family comfort in a time of sorrow in Jesus holy name Amen

Ann Lumkins - October 17, 2025 at 02:01 AM

JS

“ *Joyce James Shamp lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Cornelius Chrystal Knight*



Joyce James Shamp - October 14, 2025 at 11:28 AM