



## Mr. Jerry Lightsey

July 13, 2014

Jerry Lightsey, 74, of Plant City, Florida, entered into eternal rest on July 13, 2014. He was a lifelong resident of Plant City. He also lived briefly in Jupiter, Florida, and Orange County, California. He was a Veteran of the United States Marine Corps, a member of the Plant City Lion's Club, and a longtime active member of the Evangelical Presbyterian Church of Plant City. He was a lifelong citrus farmer, and owner of Plant City Spreader Service. He was preceded in death by his wife Dorothy Ann "Dottie" Lightsey (<http://www.hopewellfuneral.com/obituaries/Dorothy-Lightsey/>); parents Russell and Mattie Lightsey; and brother Alan Lightsey. He is survived by his children Lisa Vivero (Francis), Maria McCoy (Dean), Mikki Pitts, and Ryan Lightsey; brother Larry Lightsey; grandchildren Joey Lightsey (Alicia), Jordan Vivero, Annabella Vivero, Brandon Russell, and Steven Pitts; great-granddaughter LilyAnn Lightsey; step-mother Jo Lightsey; close family members Tom and Carol Yarbrough, Mark Yarbrough (Lori), and Matthew Yarbrough (Lindsay); and nephews Craig Lightsey (Annie), and Todd Lightsey, and niece Kim Shallcross (Ed). A Celebration of Life service will be held on Friday, July 18 at 11:00 A.M. at Hopewell Funeral Home, 6005 CR 39 S, Plant City, where the family will receive friends beginning at 10:00 A.M. Interment to follow at Hopewell Memorial Gardens, Plant City. Expressions of condolence at [www.WeCare.io](http://www.WeCare.io).

# Cemetery Details

## Hopewell Memorial Gardens

6005 County Road 39 South  
Plant City, FL 33567  
(813) 737-3128  
office@hopewellfuneral.com  
<https://www.hopewellfuneral.com>

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**JUL 18.** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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## Celebration of Life

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# Tribute Wall



“ Hopewell Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mr. Jerry Lightsey



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**Hopewell Funeral Home** - July 20, 2014 at 11:42 AM

MJ

“ I am sorry for your loss please accept my deepest sympathy. I hope you will find your strength and comfort in Jesus promises of the earthly resurrection(:Acts 24:15) and the renewed Paradise earth, where death will be no more and no family will have to mourn the death of a loved one.-Revelation 21:3,4; Luke 23:43. May GOD(Psalms 83:18) grant you peace and comfort now during this grievous time.-Matthew 5:4.

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**M Jones** - August 23, 2014 at 10:23 AM

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**M Jones** - July 21, 2014 at 11:22 AM

MM

“ *Jerry will always be loved and missed by his daughters!*  
*Maria T. McCoy*  
*Altadena, California*

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**Maria McCoy** - July 16, 2014 at 09:14 AM

LB

*Together again....beautifully said.*  
*Lori Bean, Plant City, Fla.*

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**Lori Bean** - July 22, 2014 at 08:03 PM

LV

*Jerry was unconditionally loyal and generous, and there was nobody like him. He was a great man in so many ways. I'm thankful that he is reunited with my mom, and that I will see them both again.*

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**Lisa Vivero** - August 03, 2014 at 07:22 PM

DM

“ *Sending our thoughts and prayers to the family from Ricky, Deb, and Dave from R&R. Mr. Lightsey will be greatly missed.*

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**Debra moore** - July 14, 2014 at 05:14 PM