



Oscar Banks

April 27, 2021

Oscar Eugene Banks was the 2nd eldest of 7 siblings. He was born to the late Clara Mae Banks on November 22, 1954 in Bessemer, Alabama.

Oscar graduated from Jess Lanier High School in 1973. Immediately after he graduated, Oscar joined the United States Army in 1973. He successfully completed his term of 20 years, until his retirement 1993, when he relocated to Woodbridge, Virginia. During his time in the military, he met his sweetheart, Chom Soon Park and they were married on October 28, 1975. It was a union that would last 45 years. Of this union, they were blessed with 3 children, Diana Nichelle, Kenny Charles and the late Mikiko Nichelle; as well as a bonus son, Michael Anthony Fields.

Oscar was employed with the United States Postal Service for 20 years, until his retirement in 2019.

Oscar was a family man, he loved his family and always provided, no matter what. He also loved his church, Fort Belvoir Chapel, where he was very active and taught church school. He definitely loved his Bible and The Lord.

One more thing Oscar loved was his manicures. Every two weeks, he HAD to have his manicure, pedicure and massage.

And, of course, his favorite team was the Denver Broncos.
GO, BRONCOS!

Oscar went to his rest peacefully on April 27, 2021. He leaves to mourn his loss, his loving wife, Chom Banks; two children, Diana Banks and Kenny Banks, "bonus son" Michael Fields and six grandchildren, Kasem Fields, Kyree Tabor, Jaquan, Javon, Tashaun and Jalen. He also leaves to mourn, his two sisters, Margaret Banks and Angela Banks, both of New York; one brother, Ronald Banks, of New York; one aunt, Ethel Augusta (Brown) of Cleveland, Ohio, as well as a host of family and friends.

Oscar is preceded in death by his two sisters, Patricia Banks and Lisa Smith and one brother, Johnny Banks.

The family will receive visitors Saturday, May 15, 2021 from 10-11 a.m. with a service at 11 a.m. at Belvoir Chapel, 5950 12th Street, Ft. Belvoir, VA 22060. Interment at Arlington National Cemetery will be at a later date.

Cemetery Details

Arlington National Cemetery

Previous Events

Viewing

MAY 15. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Belvoir Chapel
5950 12th Street
Ft. Belvoir, VA 22060

Funeral Service

MAY 15. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Daddy Dearest. It will be 4 years tomorrow that you transitioned. I miss you so much Dad. I know your rejoicing in Heaven with your family. I don't want to be selfish and wish you was here but I do because your living pain free💔 I just wanted to say I love you so much and I just ask you continue to be with me in spirit Daddy and please visit us in our dreams. Your family miss you dearly. Fly on Daddy, I 💜💜 you! You're my Angel in the sky.....*



Diana Banks - April 26, 2025 at 07:10 AM

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“ *Almost 2 years later and this pain hurts as bad as day 1! Besides the pain and grief I'm doing well daddy. Your family misses you so much💔 Until we meet again daddy please watch over me and your family that you loved so much🙏🙏*

Diana - April 07, 2023 at 01:26 PM



“ *Oscar Banks*

January 12, 2023 at 12:00 PM

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Diana Banks - June 19, 2021 at 05:11 PM

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“ Diana Banks sent a virtual gift in memory of Oscar Banks



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Diana Banks - June 19, 2021 at 05:10 PM

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“ Diana Banks lit a candle in memory of Oscar Banks



Diana Banks - June 19, 2021 at 05:09 PM

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“ My loving, caring, spiritual father...I miss you dearly! Tomorrow June 20th will be the first Father's Day without you....I want to wish you a Happy Fathers Day in Heaven❤️ You meant the world to me....Watch down on me and the Family Dad.I Love You

Diana Banks - June 19, 2021 at 05:08 PM