



## Thomas Wesley Elgin

January 4, 1947 - October 4, 2017

Thomas Wesley Elgin, Sr. was born January 4, 1947 in Austin, Texas to Mattie Elgin.

He was a deacon at Freedom Home Baptist Church in Austin, Texas.

His lifetime jobs included being on the custodial staff at Brackenridge Hospital and a cook then bus driver at the University of Texas.

Thomas was preceded in death by his mother, Mattie Elgin; his father L.V. Shelton; his son Tommy Shields; his brother Marvin Elgin; his sisters Lucille Cox and Eula Dancy; and his life partner Florence Mae Lott.

Thomas departed this life on Wednesday, October 4, 2017. He leaves to cherish his memory: His Sister, Georgia A Shields-Gray, and his brother Carlton L Elgin (of Miami, Florida); his daughters Desree Elgin and Teresa Shields; his sons Thomas Elgin, Jr, Jason Shields, Teddy Shields; Jonathan Shields; eight granddaughters; eight grandsons; three great granddaughters; three great-grandsons, and one great grandchild on the way. His niece Chalisa Pennick and nephew John Shields, Jr., a host of cousins, other relatives, church family and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Taylor City Cemetery

1101 E 4th Street  
Taylor, TX

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **13**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

King-Tears Mortuary, Inc.  
1300 East 12th Street  
Austin, TX 78702

## Celebration Service

OCT **14**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Freedom Home Missionary Baptist Church  
3405 Oak Springs  
Austin, TX 78721

# Tribute Wall



“ *Thomas Wesley Elgin*

October 06, 2023 at 07:08 AM



“ *Brigitte Gilbreath lit a candle in memory of Thomas Wesley Elgin*



**Brigitte Gilbreath** - October 07, 2017 at 08:24 AM



*My condolences to the Elgin Family. Thomas is my Dad's first cousin.*

**Brigitte Gilbreath** - October 07, 2017 at 08:25 AM



*Sorry for your loss. Please know that others care about your loss. and that Almighty God feels and care about your pain and he will comfort ya'll 1 Peter 5:7*

**Olevia Taylor** - October 10, 2017 at 12:09 PM



“ *Chalisa Pennick lit a candle in memory of Thomas Wesley Elgin*



**Chalisa Pennick** - October 06, 2017 at 01:52 AM