



Eugene Leonard Brown

January 16, 1948 - February 28, 2026

Eugene Leonard Brown, a man known for his generous heart and infectious sense of humor, passed away recently on February 28, 2026, leaving behind a legacy of service and laughter.

Born on January 16, 1948, in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, to Lizzel and Wilbert Brown Sr., Eugene was the middle child of 15 siblings. During his youth, the family relocated to Toledo, Ohio, where he became a proud graduate of Libbey High School and a standout player on the football field.

Eugene dedicated his professional life to Ohio Bell, eventually enjoying a well-earned retirement. Never one to sit still, he spent his golden years casting lines while fishing and serving his neighbors. He was a pillar of the community, known for his kindness in providing affordable or free transportation to those needing help with errands and appointments.

Beyond his service, Eugene was a legendary prankster. He delighted in keeping his family and friends on their toes, often using his array of comedic voices to trick and tease loved ones over the phone. A truly loving soul, Eugene was the type of man who would give his last to anyone in need.

He was preceded in death by his parents and three siblings.

Eugene is survived by his beloved daughter, Artis McCluster; two grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and 11 of his siblings.

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“ Although I only met him a few times. He was funny, kind and a flirt. He will be miss by family and friends but never forgotten..Prayers to the family.

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