



# OBITUARY

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April 30, 2021

Retired Detective Lawrence A. Pruitt, who retired from the department January 1, 1985, passed away April 28, 2021.

Retired Detective Pruitt was born October 29, 1928 and was 92 years of age at the time of his death. Retired Detective Pruitt was appointed to the department on September 16, 1956. His assignments included #3 District Station, #1 District Station, Field Investigation Unit, Major Case Unit, Robbery Section, Homicide Unit, South Burglary/Larceny Unit, South Property Crime Unit and South Crimes vs Property Unit where he was assigned at the time of his retirement.

Retired Detective Pruitt is survived by his children Gregory Pruitt, Constance (Bill) Andreasen, Terry Pruitt and Jeffrey Pruitt; sister-in-law Linda Needham; friend and former wife Pam Pruitt; as well as many grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

Visitation will take place Wednesday, May 5, 2021 9:30 AM at the Longview Funeral Home and Cemetery 12700 SE Raytown Road, Kansas City, MO 64149. Services to follow at 10:30 AM with graveside immediately following at the Longview Funeral Home and Cemetery, 12700 SE Raytown Road, Kansas City, MO 64149.