



Arthall A. Catlett

July 3, 1938 - September 13, 2004

Arthell Catlett was born in Baltimore, Maryland on July 3, 1938 to Eugene and Alma Janie Catlett. He was the youngest of ten children. Artie, as he was affectionately called, left these shores for his new home on September 13, 2004. He graduated from Carver Vocational Technical High where earlier he had been active in sports, especially football. Soon after his graduation, he joined the Navy from which he received an honorable discharge. A few years after his discharge he married his high school sweetheart, Thelma Flowers. Art and Thelma were the proud parents of three sons. Thelma preceded Art to our Heavenly Home. Art's strength of character and determination to provide for his family, plus his strong belief that a man should be given the opportunity to prove his worth, made him an excellent candidate to break down the suffocating, debilitating walls of segregation. So, when he was given the opportunity to be among those African Americans who made certain that Lever Brothers, a very large conglomerate, would have an integrated work force, he accepted the challenge. While employed by the company, his talents and expertise, especially his excellent communication skills, enabled him to rise to a top administrative position. Artie was truly the life of any social gathering and a much enjoyed, sought after storyteller. He loved to dance even though people accused him of having two left feet. More important, the respect people had for him spilled over on his family. Whenever he introduced a family member to his friends, their pleasure was equal to his pride. Mr. Catlett will be remembered for his ability to bring laughter and joy to others.

Art's other attributes included his courage, faith, and a love for God. Artie is survived by three sons, Arthell Jr., Michael and Richard (Ricky). Plus he was blessed with a grandson, Patrick and a granddaughter, Candace. Art's extended family included a niece, Lashelle Moore and nephew, LaMont Moore. Arthell is also survived by two sisters, Rosalie Wilkins and Jeanie Link, along with three brothers, Harold, Martin and John. Moreover, the group of survivors includes three sisters-in-law, two brothers-in-law as well as many nieces, nephews and cousins.

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“ To my uncle, who I was named after. May you and Michael, your son rest in piece. You, Michael, Ricky and Butch will always be in our thoughts and prayers. Alonzo, Dale & Rae Griffin##imported-begin##Alonzo Griffin##imported-end##

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“ My deepest sympathy during your time of sorrow but knows that the God of comfort is with you all during this time of tribulation. (2Corinthian 1:3-4) Due to the many unforeseen occurrences that brings tragedy to our lives Jehovah God promises one day soon Death will be no more (Rev 21:3-4) and his son have been given the authority to bring all those in the memorial tombs back to life. John 5:28-29 What a wonderful prospect for our future.##imported-begin##Carter##imported-end##

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“ Please accept my sincere condolences for the loss of your loved one. He lived such a joyful yet hardworking life. Such ones are highly esteemed by Almighty God. Please notice what God will do for our loved ones that we have loss in death. Daniel 12:2 says- "Many, many people of the earth that are dead and buried will wake up. Some of them will wake up to have life forever." They will come back to life as God originally purposed- no sickness, sorrow, death or pain. (Isaiah 33:24, Matthew 5:5 and Luke 23:43) May these divinely inspired promises give you much strength and comfort in the days ahead.##imported-begin##Sharon Hill##imported-end##

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“ I very fondly remember the Catlett brothers from Heathfield Road as we lived a few doors away. Butch was the oldest then Mike and Ricky. You were the nicest guys and I want you to know you have my deepest sympathy, take care and may God Bless and keep you in his care always. Sonja, Franklin's sister##imported-begin##Sonja Merchant##imported-end##

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“ Dear family, Please accept my condolences on the passing of your loved one. May you find comfort in 1 Corinthians 15:26 where Almighty God promises that he is going to get rid of the last enemy which is death. Also the scripture at Acts 24:15 where we are promised the hope of a resurrection.##imported-begin##Sophia Briscoe##imported-end##

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“ I will always remember you. The times you and your wife took me and my sister to the beach and you took a jelly fish off my legs. The times you and your friends at the Towanda Rec. Center playing basketball. I will always know that all of my fathers brothers were not only Uncles, but friends too. Peanut...##imported-begin##Harold L. Catlett Jr.##imported-end##

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“ To the Catlett Family: Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted. Matthew 5:4. "Do not let your hearts be troubled. Trust in God; trust also in me." John 14:1 May God words help you in your days ahead and know that He is always with you. Your Friend in Christ. (an old friend of Rick) Drena (Clinton) Byrd##imported-begin##Drena Byrd##imported-end##

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