



## Calvin Warren Straughn

October 18, 1937 - March 6, 2004

Calvin Warren Straughn, Jr., (Sonny) son of the late Audrey and Calvin W. Straughn, Sr. was born on October 18, 1937 in Baltimore, Maryland. Very quietly he departed this life on Saturday, March 6, 2004 in Baltimore, Maryland. Sonny was baptized as a child at the St. Peter Claver's Catholic Church in Baltimore. He received his education in Baltimore City and DC public schools, where he met and married Jean Hall Straughn. Shortly afterwards, Sonny enlisted into the United States Navy. He served ten years with the Navy and received an honorable discharge. Sonny returned to the Washington, DC area and became employed with NBC Channel 4 news. He worked for NBC Channel 4 news for twenty years and then retired. Upon retiring from NBC Sonny rededicated his life to Christ. Sonny loved to play softball and socialize with his family and friends. As he was well known in the Baltimore and Washington, DC area others knew him by the name of "Yaddie." He leaves to mourn: seven sons, Derek, Gregory, Ronald, Edward, Steven of VA, Terence Sr. and Antoine Straughn of Maryland; two daughters-in-law, Pamela and Patricia Straughn; eight granddaughters, Jina Edwards, Ariela Straughn, Nichelle Straughn, Shayna Straughn, Natasha Beal, Shannon Straughn, Tanisha Straughn and Chelsea Straughn; one grandson, Terence Straughn, Jr. four great grand children two sisters, Shirley Shields-Eley and Delores Dyer; two brothers-in-law, Joseph Eley and George Dyer; four aunts, six uncles and a host of other relatives and friends.



# Tribute Wall



“ Calvin Warren Straughn

March 25, 2023 at 10:25 AM



“ Calvin Warren Straughn

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ My deepest sympathy during your time of sorrow but know 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 Just think there will come a time not only will death be no more but Jehovah promises that no one will have to say I'm sick according to Isaiah 33:24. I feel the need to express these words of hope because so many of us today treasure the gift of life and we do all we can to maintain it to hold on to it. That is why it hurts so badly when our loved ones die. With so many of us desiring life today no matter how good or bad it is we still want life here on earth. No one looks forward to that time of death. That is why I am under obligation by the spirit and love of God to share that hope that is in our near future that the righteous shall inherit the earth and reside upon it forever according to Psalms 37: 29 along with the above stated promises on a paradise and peaceful earth. We all can hold true to this everlasting promise because Isaiah 55:11 states all the words Jehovah have spoken WILL NOT RETURN WITHOUT RESULTS. What a wonderful prospect for our future especially enlight of the fact that Hebrews 6:18 States of God, it is IMPOSSIBLE for him to lie.##imported-begin##Carter##imported-end##

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“ Hello Family & Friends, I am so sorry to hear of your loss and I am offering my condolences. The scriptures can be of great comfort to us all. I am reminded of the scripture at Revelation 21:3,4 where Almighty God says that he is going to wipe the tears from our eyes and death will be no more neither will mourning nor crying nor pain be any more. The Bible also promises that we will be able to see our dead loved ones again by means of a resurrection. (John 5:28,29) It is my hope that you will be comforted by these scriptures as I have been.##imported-begin##Sophia Strachan-Briscoe##imported-end##

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“ to my uncle sonny : its been along time since ive had a chance to talk to you but if you can hear me we as family will always remember the good times an try to forget the bad. life has its plans for us all an one day we all will join you an we all can rejoice again.god bless you an we all love you .....mark shields##imported-begin##mark kenneth shields##imported-end##

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“ Please accept my sympathy. Unfortunately the shadow of death overtakes us all in one way or the other. May you and your family draw comfort now and in the days to come from, "...the Father of tender mercies and the God of all comfort, who comforts us in all our tribulation." 2 Corinthians 1:3,4.##imported-begin##Gwen Winston##imported-end##

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