



Douglas Patrick Pace

May 16, 1937 - January 24, 2017

“Beyond the gate our loved one finds happiness and rest.
And there is confidence in the thought, that a loving God knows best.”

Our beloved Douglas Patrick Pace, departed this life on January 24, 2017. He was born to the late James E. and Annie M. Pace on May 16, 1937 in Green County, North Carolina.

Douglas accepted Christ at an early age. He was educated in the Richmond Public School system, graduating from Maggie L. Walker High School. He furthered his education at Virginia Union University for two years.

He was drafted into the United States Army for two years serving his country proudly and received an honorable discharge. In 1958, he married his childhood sweetheart, the former Jean D. White and from their union, they were blessed with a daughter, Kawana.

He was employed with Reynolds Metal Company, as a machine operator, and retired after 30 years. He later was employed by the Henrico County Public School system for over fifteen years as a dedicated employee.

Douglas also known as “Doug” was a kind, considerate and friendly man. He enjoyed gardening and working in his yard. He also enjoyed watching sports

and westerns, listening to jazz and traveling. Douglas was a gentle and loving husband, a wonderful father, and a marvelous grandfather.

Douglas had a full and blessed life and he was a friend to all that knew him. The family cherishes all the years of love that he shared with us. He would never say goodbye, but see you later. He will be missed, but never forgotten.

He leaves to cherish his memory a loving wife, Jean White Pace; caring daughter, Kawana Pace-Harding; adored granddaughter, Kiara Harding Gray; two sisters, Aquincie Alma P. Brunson and Annie P. Harris; a devoted son-in-law, Gerald Harding and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and other relatives and friends.

“Golden Heart”

God saw you were getting tired and a cure was not meant to be
So he put his arms around you and whispered, “Come with me”
With tearful eyes we watched you, as we saw you pass away.
Although we loved you deeply, we could not make you stay.
Your golden heart stopped beating, hard-working hands at rest.
God broke our hearts to prove to us, He only takes the best.

Cemetery Details

Forest Lawn Cemetery

4000 Pilots Lane
Richmond, VA 23222

Previous Events

Service

JAN 27. 10:30 AM (ET)

March Funeral Home-Laburnum Chapel
Richmond, VA 23222

Tribute Wall



“ *Douglas Patrick Pace*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Sad to know you gained your wings and I didn't get to meet you personally grandad but now your resting see you when I get to them pearly white gates love charmekia pace*

charmekia pace - September 02, 2022 at 11:24 AM



“ *The nurses at BreMO Outpatient Infusion Center sends our deepest condolences to the family for the loss of our dear Mr. Pace. "Weeping may endure for night but joy comes in the morning!"*

~BreMO OPIC nurses

Tranae Cearnal - March 06, 2017 at 05:08 PM



“ *My sincerest heartfelt condolences to the family in the loss of your loved one. May you find needed comfort, strength and peace in knowing God is close to those broken at heart (Psalm 34:18).*

A.H. - January 29, 2017 at 05:52 PM



“ *Uncle Doug was always a favorite with his so cool swag. I pray God's comfort for Aunt Jean and family. Love you all, Lisa*

Alisia Stone - January 26, 2017 at 06:33 AM



“ We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.

March Funeral Homes - January 25, 2017 at 06:00 PM