



Eddie "Jackie" Robinson Sr.

May 6, 1935 - November 8, 2017

On Wednesday, November 8, 2017, our beloved Deacon Eddie "Jackie" Robinson, Sr. slipped into eternal rest. Eddie was born in Caroline County, Virginia on May 6, 1935 to the late John and Lessie Harris Robinson. He was the fifth child born to this union.

Eddie was educated in Caroline County Public School system. He joined Second Mt. Zion Baptist Church at an early age. Later in life, he joined Mansion Avenue Triumphant Baptist Church in Richmond, Virginia. There, Eddie was ordained a deacon and found joy in being part of the spiritual leadership.

He was a welder at Superior Metal Fabricator Company. He never missed a day of work as a welder for more than 50 years.

After being together for 28 years, Eddie and Eugenia Spencer Robinson united in marriage and had 22 more wonderful years of happiness together.

Eddie was a good provider for his family. He was a people person and especially loved children. He will be remembered for his glorious smile, love of family and a strong faith in God. He had a feisty spirit, enjoyed sleeping, eating, watching television and sitting on his front porch people watching.

Eddie was called home to the pearly gates of heaven to unite with his loved ones that preceded him, his son, Eddie Robinson, Jr.; three brothers, Benjamin Robinson, Lunceford Robinson and John Henry Robinson; three sisters, Hazel Johnson, Lena Baylor and Beatrice James.

He leaves to cherish his memories, devoted wife, Eugenia Robinson; two

adored daughters, Jennie Robinson and Senora Easter; six caring sons, Earl (Thelma) Robinson, Arthur (Sherry) Robinson, Wayne (Robin) Robinson, Dexter (Sarah) Robinson, Zachary Robinson and Lorenzo (Priscilla) Robinson; three step-children, Robert (Cathy) Bragg, Patty (Joe Louis) Harris and John (Ione) Bragg; 20 grandchildren; 40 great-grandchildren; one special devoted friend and "Partner-in-Crime", great-grandson, Antonio Bragg, Jr.; 3 sisters, Beulah (Clyde) Clark, Clara James and Ethel Dabney; 2 brothers, Gerald (Francis) Robinson and Phillip Robinson; 5 sisters-in-law; 3 brothers-in-law; a host of nieces, nephews, cousins; and two devoted friends, Deacon Willie Butler and Deacon Mathew Coleman.

Cemetery Details

Forest Lawn Cemetery

4000 Pilots Lane
Richmond, VA 23222

Previous Events

Public Viewing

NOV 17. 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home-Laburnum Ave.
2110 E. Laburnum Ave.
Richmond, VA 23222

Wake

NOV 17. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Service

NOV 18. 12:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home -Laburnum Chapel
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Tribute Wall



“ Eddie "Jackie" Robinson Sr.

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ Amy, I am so sorry for your loss weeping may endure for a night but joy will surely come in the morning. Sending prayers for strength Be Blessed. Annette Lee-Thorne



Annette Thorne - November 12, 2017 at 09:30 PM



Love you ms Amy.my prayers are with you and as they say God take the best .but one thing i want you to keep in mind.he looking down on you.my heart hurt for you but now that its time for him to open his wings and fly on in the kingdom house.to the master.i will always have my father in law in my heart.God took a good man.

Priscilla Robinson.Daughttet in law - November 18, 2017 at 01:23 PM



I want to send my love to my fater in law mr Eddie Jackie Robinson Family.lorenzo Robinson your wife love you so much.Stay strong.my heart hurt..you no i was close to your daddy and it really have messed me up but i keep praying.call me when you get time.love all yall so much.Ms Priscilla Robinson

Priscilla Robinson.Daughttet in law - November 18, 2017 at 01:29 PM



Ms jennat.oh lord my heart hurt for you.please dtay strong.its hurting me bad in side.My brother in law now my father in law.my prayers are with you.i love you mother in law so much.will call latet.Give my husband my love

Priscilla Robinson.Daughttet in law - November 18, 2017 at 01:32 PM

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“ Please take comfort from the knowledge that others truly care....
That you are in each and every thought and every heartfelt prayer.
With Sympathy. Gladys Woodson and Family



Gladys Woodson - November 11, 2017 at 09:57 AM

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“ So sorry for your loss Amy, may god give u and your family comfort at your time of sorrow.
With sincere sympathy love Marie



Rose M Callaway - November 09, 2017 at 05:38 PM



“ 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 - November 08, 2017 at 04:27 PM