



Elijah William Armstead

December 10, 1929 - April 5, 2008

Brother Elijah W. Armstead was born December 10, 1929 in Amherst, Va. He was preceded in death by his parents, James Sr. and Virginia J. Armstead two sisters, Alice Erwin and LeRussel, one brother, James Armstead, Jr. Brother Elijah graduated from Virginia State School for the Blind in Hampton, Va. He retired from St. Mary's Hospital after 30 years of service in the Radiology Department as a Dark Room Technician. Brother Elijah leaves to cherish his memories his devoted wife, Carolyn R. Armstead of 30 1/2 years, five stepchildren, Peggy G. Lorton, Frank Green, Sr., Cathy G. Kenney, Walter Green and Brenda G. Tolbert, twelve grandchildren, one devoted, Shawnell D. Tolbert, twelve great grandchildren, one sister, Mrs. Annie A. Hill, one brother-in-law, six sisters-in-law, Betty Armstead, Ruth Joy of South Carolina, Rosa Burnett, Pastor Joan R. MacDonald both of New York, Catherine R. Alexander and Audrey R. Williams both of Richmond, Virginia, a host of nieces and nephews, relatives and friends. Brother Elijah loved the Lord with all his heart, mind and soul. He served faithfully in the Pastor's Aid and Men's Fellowship Ministries at the Fair Oaks Baptist Church. He also sang tenor in the Fair Oaks Male Chorus. Brother Elijah loved his Pastor, Jonathan Robinson and the entire Fair Oaks family because they were so devoted to him and his family in more ways than you could ever imagine.

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“ *Elijah William Armstead*

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“ *To The Family, I want to express my deepest sympathy for your loss. I also want to share the comfort of John 5:28,29 which assures us of the hope that those who have fallen asleep in death will receive a "resurrection" back to life. Life on an earth restored to a beautiful paradise. Psalms 37:11 says, "The meek ones themselves will possess the earth, and they will indeed find their exquisite delight in the abundance of peace." While we await that wonderful time please find comfort in these promises.##imported-begin##Mrs. Jordan##imported-end##*

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“ *May God comfort you during your time of loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you. I knew Elijah through going to school at St. Marys and working with him there. He was a wonderful, caring person. May you find peace and comfort knowing your loved one has gone home to be with Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.##imported-begin##melinda hawkes##imported-end##*

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“ Please accept my condolences for the loss of Mr. Armstead. Acts 24:15 lovingly declares: "There is going to be a resurrection." May you receive much comfort and strength every time you think of the wonderful resurrection hope.##imported-begin##Mrs. Hill##imported-end##

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“ Finding comfort during the lost of a love one is difficult. 1Corn 15:26 "As the enemy, death is brought to nothing". Please take comfort to this scripture during your time of lost.##imported-begin##Phyllis Duvall##imported-end##

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“ I offer my sincere condolences to the family of Elijah. When Jesus was on earth he performed many wonderful miracles. He healed the sick, made lame ones walk, opened the eyes of the blind, and raised the dead back to life. His greatest miracles have not yet occurred, because even though he raised people back to life; in the near future he will resurrect millions more back to life. John 5:25-29 lets us know that Almighty God Jehovah has given his son the authority to resurrect the dead. Please consider this wonderful hope in the bible, and may you find much comfort and strength from the holy scriptures.##imported-begin##rita johnson##imported-end##

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