



Elwood Burrell,

October 6, 1944 - August 5, 2008

Elwood Burrell, Jr. entered into this world October 6, 1944. He was the first of four siblings born to the late Alleyne and Elwood Burrell, Sr. Tuesday, August 5, 2008, our beloved was called home to be with the Lord. At an early age, Elwood joined Mt. Herman Baptist Church. Billy, as he was fondly known, graduated from Armstrong High School. He joined the United States Army and served his country during the Vietnam War. He married his wife Evelyn June 28, 1975 and they were blessed with two sons, Kevin and Vincent. Upon his return to Richmond, Billy joined Fifth Street Baptist Church. In 1976, he transferred his church membership to St. James Baptist Church. There he affirmed his spiritual journey in the music ministry, D.C. Jones Doorkeepers and as a member of the Life Everlasting Sheepfold. Billy worked for the Greater Richmond Transit Company and retired after thirty years of service from the Company. Though he was a very outgoing person, Billy was private at the same time and had a gentle spirit. He enjoyed family gatherings, especially during the Christmas holidays. Much of his time was spent listening to music of all kinds and making home improvements. He always wanted the best for his family. Billy leaves to cherish his memory a loving and devoted wife, Evelyn R. Burrell; two sons Kevin and Vincent Burrell; one grandson Jay`Von Burrell; three sisters, Aretha Powell (John), Brenda White (Walter) and Joan Hopkins (Calvin); sister-in-law, Elsie Gray (Mike); two brothers-in-law, James Fields (Barbara) and Percy Fields, Sr. (Bessie); a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives, one devoted friend

Dr. Sylvester Smith.

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“ *I offer my deepest condolences to the family for your loss. It is truly devastating to lose a loved one in death, you have my deepest sympathy. I would like to share some scriptures with you to comfort and strengthen you during these difficult days. The bible lets us know that one day there will be no more crying, because noone will be getting sick or dying. Isaiah 33:24 speakes of the time when no resident will say, "I am sick." Also Rev 21:3,4 promises that one day the tent of God will be with mankind and he will reside with them, and they will be his people. Then it says that he will wipe out every tear from their eyes and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore, because the former things have passed away." Make you find much comfort from reading God"s word, and may the wonderful hope of one day seeing Elwood again in the ressurection bring joy to your hearts and peace to your souls. John 5:28,29##imported-begin##R Johnson##imported-end##*

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“ *To the family, Please accept my sincere sympathy. As you draw comfort from your precious memories, may you find strength to endure from the wonderful promise made at John 5:28,29.##imported-begin##Gwen Winston##imported-end##*

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

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