



## Franklin Fields

September 22, 1922 - February 24, 2013

Franklin Fields, 90, Franklin Fields son of the late Rev. Armstead and Susie Fields was born on September 22, 1922 in Baltimore, Maryland. He entered into his eternal life to be with the God on February 24, 2013 at the blessed age of 90, after a brief illness. He was preceded in death by his wife Margaret L. Fields, brother Oscar Armstead Fields; children, Otis F. Fields, Alice Theresa Fields- Kennedy, Calvin F. Fields and James Brown.

“Frank” or “Mr. Fields” as known to many received his education in the Baltimore City Public Schools System. As a young man, he was employed by Dan’s Shoemaker in Baltimore, Maryland for 2 years, until he enlisted into the United States Army in 1943. He served his country in World War II, traveled by sea on the Williams B. Woods Ship docking at many ports, Naples, Casablanca Morocco, Rome, Fiji, and Italy. For serving his country, he received Good Conduct Medals, World War II Victory Ribbons and European Africa Middle Eastern Service Ribbon. Frank was discharge with a honorable discharge in 1945 upon returning to Baltimore. After serving 29 months in Europe, he united in marriage to the late Margaret L. Fields on March 17, 1946 and from that union five children were born.

To better his life, he attended the Maryland School of Building Trades, Inc. of bricklaying and graduated June 17, 1949. In 1950, he was employed by the Social Security Department of Civil Services Health, Education and Welfare

Division of Operation Transportation Department as a Truck Driver. Frank remained a valuable employee for 36 years of service, receiving safety and recognition awards for his contribution until he retired in 1982. In the last ten years of his life, he moved to Richmond Virginia.

He accepted Christ as his Lord and Savior as a young man at the White Stone Baptist Church and in 2011, he rededicated his life to Christ at The Saint Paul's Baptist Church. Frank demonstrated the true love of God to his family, friends and fellowman who did not mind extending a helping hand to anyone with a smile. He enjoyed going to the flea market, eating Popeye's chicken, Lisa's sweet potato pie and crabs. Most of all, he showed his love for God and his fatherly love to his children doing whatever he could do in any way. His words was "Thank the good Lord" and "a hundred years you won't even know the difference".

He leaves behind to cherish his loving memories five daughters, devoted Frances Franklin "Frankie" Fields-Crawley (Anthony) of Richmond, VA, Felicia "Lisa" Edwards (Timothy), Joyce Brown-Harrison (Johnny), Daisy Cooper and Mary Brown all of Baltimore, MD; two sons, Reginald F. Fields (Sylvia) Oklahoma City, Oklahoma and Graylin F. Fields of Baltimore, MD; 14 grandchildren, Cathy, Tiffany, Terry, Adam, Sade, Terrica, Kenny, Shontae, Latiem, Jamal, Sherria, Damion, Brittany and Trinity, 12 great-grandchildren; goddaughter, Constance L. Nelson; long time friend, Frances L. Brown of Baltimore, MD; and a host of other relatives and friends.

Daddy...thank you for securing us and spending all your time showing and teaching

us what is the true meaning of a Father's Love. Our Heavenly Father, He knows what is best and so you ran the race and finished the test, now God has decided to give you eternal rest. We love you daddy!



# Cemetery Details

## Arbutus Memorial Park Cemetery

1101 Sulphur Spring Road  
Baltimore, MD 21227

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

MAR 1. 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home-Laburnum Chapel  
Richmond, VA 23222

## Family Hour

MAR 1. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

MAR 2. 12:00 PM (ET)

St. Paul's Baptist Church  
4247 Creighton Road  
Richmond, VA 23223

# Tribute Wall



“ *Franklin Fields*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *To the family of Franklin Fields:*

*Please accept my sincere condolences for your loss. Death is the enemy of all mankind, yet when it touches us personally, few seek the comfort they search for. The unscriptural doctrines that are taught concerning death do not leave those who are grieving with comfort or a hope. They do however, leave many with unanswered questions. The response that "God works in mysterious ways" or that "God needed another angel", does not satisfy the spiritual needs of those who are grieving. Nonetheless, many have found comfort in the pages of God's word the Bible (2 Corinthians 1:3, 4). In God's word we find the promise that we can be reunited with our loved ones (John 5:28,29; Acts 24:15). The Bible tells us where this happy reunion will take place (Psalm 37: 11, 29). We are told why we die (Genesis 3:17-19; Romans 5:12), and that the God of the Bible will end death forever (Isaiah 25:8; Revelation 21:3,4). Learning the truth about Jehovah, the God of the Bible (Psalm 83:18), God's Kingdom (Daniel 2:44), and the state of those who have died (Ecclesiastes 9:5), is the start to finding true comfort concerning loved ones who are sleeping in death (John 11:11-14; John 8:32). To find the Bible's satisfying answers to many other questions, please go to the website [jw.org](http://jw.org).*

**William Bolt** - March 13, 2013 at 02:12 AM

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“ I am so sorry for your loss, may you find comfort in the scriptures at Revelation 21:4 " he will wipe out every tear from their eyes, and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore.”

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**Ms. Howard** - March 05, 2013 at 07:57 AM

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“ To the family of Mr. Fields:

*I was sadden to hear of the passing of Mr. Fields. May the memories of him help to ease your pain of sorrow.*

*Please remember the avenue of prayers (Psalms 55:22) brings out; Throw your burdens upon Jehovah himself, He will sustain you.”*

*I will keep your family in my thoughts & prayers.*

*Take Care of yourselves,*

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**Mamie A. Boyd** - February 28, 2013 at 10:41 PM

JW

“ To the family, Each of you, has my deepest sympathy for such a huge loss. Mr. Fields was a kind and loving man who touched all who new him.. May God wrap his outreached arms around him for eternity. Jeff Walker.

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**Jeff Walker** - February 28, 2013 at 11:32 AM

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*Thanks you so much Jeff.....From Lisa*

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**Felicia Edwards** - March 14, 2013 at 11:42 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.

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**March Funeral Homes** - February 26, 2013 at 05:10 PM