



Hensie Page

November 20, 1917 - April 21, 2016

Hensie Page was born on November 20, 1917, in Mullins, South Carolina, the youngest of six children born to Jeanette and Jack Page. He was baptized at Bethlehem Methodist Church in Marion, South Carolina. In 1936 he moved to Baltimore, Maryland.

During 1941-1945, Hensie had four children: Kai, Arnett, Sharon, and Sandra. His daughters gave him three grandchildren: Andre, Algenon, and Cherise, and many great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

In 1965 Hensie joined Bethel AME Church where he served on the usher board for many years. That same year, he married Shirley Bonita Caldwell, and in 1967 they had a son, Darren. Hensie worked at Baltimore Luggage for many years before joining the International Longshoreman Association where he worked until his retirement in 1996. In 1998, he came out of retirement to join Life, Incorporated, where he worked until he was ninety-one years old. Hensie touched many lives as evidence of his many acquaintances and friends. He was known for his generous spirit, his charismatic personality, and his love of his children. He found and focused on the positive in others, and he possessed and practiced great faith in God. He believed that life should be FUN and filled with good times. He was a food enthusiast, a bon vivant, and a master card player who enjoyed playing pinochle and reminiscing about the "Good Old" days. He imparted true values to his children about respect, honesty, and love and was generous to a fault. He was deeply committed to his sons, Darren, and Brian (Cynthia) and their children: Jordan, Lauryn, Alex,

and Brianna. He loved them with prayerful perseverance and kindness, and he never failed to tell his wife of 51 years that she touched his life, his personhood and brought to light those things which were hidden even to himself. He moved to life eternal on Thursday, 21 April 2016. May God continue to bless him as he blessed us.

To die proudly when it is no longer possible to live proudly. Death of one's own free choice, death at the proper time, with a clear head and with joyfulness, consummated in the midst of children and witnesses: so that an actual leave-taking is possible while he who is leaving is still there.

~Friedrich Nietzsche, Expeditions of an Untimely Man

Previous Events

Wake

MAY 14. 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Bethel A.M.E. Church
1300 Druid Hill Avenue
Balto., MD 21217

Memorial Service

MAY 14. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Hensie Page*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *To Aunt Shirley, Darren and the rest of the family,*

I was so saddened to hear of Uncle Hensie's passing and he will be missed beyond words. When I think of him so many things come to mind but the picnics and words of wisdom I will remember always. There was never a time that he didn't show me love when he saw me and I feel so blessed that he was in my life and I called him my uncle. Stay strong for we will see him again. I love you....

Love, Danielle, Rick and Antonio DeLaVega

Danielle DeLaVega - May 16, 2016 at 08:36 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 - April 28, 2016 at 05:02 PM