



## Joseph Melvin Hamilton

August 10, 1928 - January 31, 2008

Joseph Melvin Hamilton Sr., was born August 10, 1928 to the late Thomas and Dora Hamilton. Joseph departed this life on January 31, 2008 after a lengthy illness. He was seventy-nine years old. Joseph received his education in the Farmville Virginia Public School System. Upon graduation, he enlisted in the United States Navy during World War II. After serving four years he received an honorable discharge. He then owned and operated Joe Hamilton's Trucking Company for many years. In the midnineties, he retired and pursued his favorite hobby as a mechanic. It was often said, "He could take an automobile apart piece by piece and put it back together." Joe (as we all knew him) loved the outdoors; he would often sit on the Hill with his friends hosting cookouts and shooting pool at the 19th Hole. Joe, an avid Orioles Fan, also practiced his skills playing semi-pro baseball in the position of second baseman. Joe leaves to mourn; six children, Nina (Willis) Redfern, Jerry (Tonya) Hamilton, Joseph Jr. (Sheila) Hamilton, Pasty Hamilton, Teresa (Eddie) Diggs and Melvin Hamilton; nine grandchildren Marvin, Crystal, Anitra, April, Tanisha, Nikia, Chanel, Eddie Jr., Marcus; eighteen great-grandchildren; two devoted nephews, Thomas and John; and one devoted niece, Charrise; a host of other nephews, nieces and relatives.

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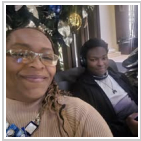
“ *Joseph Melvin Hamilton*

March 25, 2023 at 10:25 AM



“ *Joseph Melvin Hamilton*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Josette Fullard lit a candle in memory of Joseph Melvin Hamilton*



**Josette Fullard** - January 21, 2016 at 08:50 AM



“ *Patricia lit a candle in memory of Joseph Melvin Hamilton*



**patricia** - December 03, 2015 at 09:58 AM



*I miss you grandfather JOE*

**patricia** - December 03, 2015 at 10:02 AM



“ To the family and friends, I offer my condolences. It truly is unfortunate that we must experience the sorrow associated with the loss of one we love. May you find comfort and strength from the "God of all comfort" (2 Corinthians 1:3,4 ) who promises at Isaiah 66:13, "Like a man whom his own mother keeps comforting, so I myself shall keep comforting you people."###imported-begin##Gwen Winston###imported-end##

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“ Dad, I will miss you very much.###imported-begin##Sheila Hamilton###imported-end##

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“ We are saddened to hear of the passing of your loved one. Please know that our prayers and thoughts are with you and your family at this difficult time. May you find comfort and strength from the God of all comfort at 2 Corin. 1:3,4. I hope this message from the Bible comfort your heart and give you strength to go on.###imported-begin##Mildred###imported-end##

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