



Robert Boatwright Jr.

December 1, 1928 - December 23, 2017

ROBERT BOATWRIGHT was born December 1, 1928 to the late Robert and Marie Boatwright in Salem, South Carolina. God called him home on December 23, 2017 after a brief illness. He was educated in the Pamlico school system.

Junior was a God fearing man that accepted Jesus Christ as his personal savior at an early age.

In early years he was a member of Mount Olivet Baptist church and later became a faithful member of Village Baptist Church until his passing.

Robert was affectionately known as "Junior", "Pops", and "Uncle Junior". He married the loved of his life, Lucille Thomas, on December 4, 1948 whom preceded him in death. From this union they birth seven children.

In 1951 he relocated the family to Baltimore, Maryland and was gainfully employed at Eastern Stainless Steel for 36 years.

He leaves to cherish fond memory: his children, Edward, Charles, Carolyn, Jaqueline, Stevie, Kimberly, and Andre whom preceded him in death: Richard Feaster his other son; a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Shirley Boatwright; fifteen grandchildren, thirteen great-grands and seven great-great-grandkids.

Preceding him in death was his siblings Nolie, Loree, and Charlie, left to cherish his legacy is his brothers, James, Alfred, Fred, Junior, and sisters, Marie and Jeannette; a host of nieces and nephews and cousins; special bond for life, Nanette Davis, they were raised as sister and brother, James Davis. Willie Joe Graham, Bishop Graham.

He had very strong family values. His family meant everything to him.

He was a loving and devoted husband and father who touched the lives of all that knew him. To know him was to love him. With a heart as big as gold, he fed you if you were hungry. If you needed an ear, he listened. If you were suffering financial difficulties; he extended his hand. If you needed a sermon you got that too.

Being the proud man that he was, he became father to a large extended family who loved him, respected him, and will cherish his life and legacy. He made numerous friends wherever he went and he was a devoted neighbor to the Edmondson Village Community.

Robert enjoyed a 20 year span of playing Bid Whist with his card club. He felt he was unbeatable and when he was beat, he came back with a vengeance. He was a impeccable dresser. (Oh how he could dress). Stepping out on Sunday morning! He was sharp as a tack and cleaner than the board of health. Gracing your presence in a three piece suit and a top hat. He enjoyed a good sermon and often attended gospel concerts. (That good old down home singing).

Cemetery Details

King Memorial Park Cemetery - Grand Heritage Chapel & Mausoleum

8710 Dogwood Rd.
Baltimore, MD 21244
(410) 944-8300
info@kingmemorialpark.com
<https://www.KingMemorialPark.com>

Previous Events

Public Viewing

JAN 1. 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore
4300 Wabash Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215
(410) 542-2400
info@marchfh.com

Family Hour

JAN 1. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

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4300 Wabash Avenue
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Wake

JAN 2. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

Village Baptist Church
100 S. Hilton Street
Baltimore, MD 21229

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Robert Boatwright Jr.*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *My sincere condolences to the entire Boatwright Family during their period of grief. I was your neighbor at 1702 N. Regester St. around 1960-61 and would frequently play with the kids (especially Charles Earl, Jackie and Stevie) just before the family to Edmondson Village. I remember Mr. Boatwright and Mrs. Lucille so well! Even at the age of 8, I can remember him as a man who worked hard all the time and who cared for his family. I remember Mrs. Lucille as being the first woman that I ever saw drive a car! She drove this station wagon and the neighborhood kids would point and say, "That's a woman driving!" She had a beautiful smile with a personality to match. I am praying that God will walk with you and sustain as you lay your father to rest. He was a MAN who walked among men.*

SHELDON JOHNSON

Sheldon JOHNSON - January 02, 2018 at 12:39 PM

JB

Thank you so much. Yes I do remember you, I think you had a sister, maybe Diane was her name. I remember all so clear the house you lived in

Jacqueline Boatwrijt - January 09, 2018 at 12:06 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Robert Boatwright Jr..*



December 31, 2017 at 06:26 PM



“ *Mr. Boatwright was our neighbor for over 50 years. Growing up we saw him demonstrate the example of a hard-working and responsible father, husband and neighbor. He became affectionately known as the "mayor" of the 600 block of Augusta. I remember seeing him sitting on the porch whenever I came to visit my parents. He was always smiling, friendly and had something humorous to say. My dad was a friend of Mr. Boatwright's and they spent many days at the fence or on the porch talking with each other during their retirement. He was family and he will truly be missed. Thank you Mr. Boatwright for being part of the wonderful memories of our growing up on August Avenue.*
Shelly, Rozzie & Sharon Maddox

Michelle Maddox Braxton - December 29, 2017 at 12:13 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 - December 28, 2017 at 08:09 AM