



Robert E. Buchanan

April 18, 1921 - February 20, 2012

Robert Edward Buchanan, Jr., the beloved son of the late Robert and Eliza Buchanan, was born on April 17, 1921 in Rock Hill, South Carolina. Robert was one of four Children. On the morning of February 20, 2012, the Lord summoned Robert to his eternal place of peace and rest.

Robert received his education in the South Carolina Public School System. Continuing his quest for knowledge, after high school he attend North Carolina Agricultural & Technical State University's College of Engineering receiving a Bachelor of Science. After receiving his degree, Robert was drafted in the U. S. Military where he fought in World War II as part of the allied forces attempting to end Hitler's malicious rear in Europe. While in the military, Robert was struck with misfortune when his new bride and child died during labor.

After completing his tour of duty, Robert received an honorable discharge from the United States Army and decided to start a new, by moving north to Baltimore, Maryland, where he met and married Phoebe Edna Buchanan on August 9, 1949. From this union they were blessed with a son, Gerald Buchanan. Upon his arrival, Robert also took a position at the second largest steel company in the United States, known for producing warships, Bethlehem Steel, known by Baltimore ans as "Sparrows Point", where he was a committed employee for over 40 years until his retirement.

Robert who was affectionately known as “Uncle Rob” by his extended family was well known through out the community because he had a knack for making friends everywhere he went. He will be forever for his mild mannered demeanor, being dependable, supportive and having a very strong will. Robert will also be remembered and admired for his quest for knowledge he was extremely well read and known for reading books such as the encyclopedia, bible and almanac from cover to cover. He never traveled without having his reading material with him in a bag giving him the nickname of “Shopping Bag Rob”.

Robert leaves to cherish his memory; his wife Phoebe Buchanan; two sons, Gerald Buchanan and Leonard Habersham; daughter-in-law Karolyn; three grandchildren, Leonora, Shae and Kyle; one close cousin Harriett Demony; a very special family, the Partlows; and three special he was abundantly blessed with Thelma, Barbara and Lisa of the Partlow family and a host of other family and friends.

Cemetery Details

Garrison Forest Veterans

11501 Garrison Forest Road
Owings Mills, MD

Previous Events

Public Viewing

FEB **28**. 10:00 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - East Baltimore
1101 East North Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21202
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Wake

FEB **29**. 12:30 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Robert E. Buchanan

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“ I'm so sorry for your loss and would like to offer my condolences to your family. Death is such a terrible thing for a family to go through, I actually lost my mom 3yrs ago. I'm truly grateful that I have the truth about death and look forward to the future when there will be "a resurrection of both the righteous and the unrighteous."—ACTS 24:15. I'm sure you would love to see your dead loved one again in the coming Paradise here on earth! Again so sorry for your loss!!

Ms Springer - February 24, 2012 at 09:19 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.

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