



Robert Harry Coverton

October 6, 1928 - August 28, 2008

Robert Harry Coverton Sr., affectionately known as “Bob” to many, was born in Richmond, Virginia on October 6, 1928, the eldest son of Edmonia Bolden. His journey on this side ended on Thursday morning, August 28, 2008 surrounded by family and embraced by their love. Bob grew up in Bungalow City, attended New Bridge Baptist Church and was educated in Henrico County schools. He continued to be a part of the school system as a school bus driver before joining the military. During World War II, Bob served in the Army and began to find joy as a chef in the military kitchen. His meals were tasty and known to be spiced with plenty of pepper. Union Envelope served as a primary employer throughout his life. There he was a truck driver and retired after over twenty five years of service. While many have hobbies, Bob simply loved to talk, hang with his friends and dance. His dance style was special and like none other. As a young man, he enjoyed hunting and drawing. His love for people was well known, and being alone was not one of his favorite things. However, after many years of sharing a home, he settled in his own quaint apartment in his much loved Churchill. His routine included a daily walk around the neighborhood, often calling his children before turning in for the night. And if no one answered, he would leave the same message; “It’s your Daddy calling.” And when asked about something planned down the road, he often replied; “If the good Lord’s willing.” He leaves to cherish the memory of his life four sons, Robert Coverton Jr., of Berlin, Germany, Vernon Coverton, Nehemiah Malachi and Geoffrey Coverton; daughter, Jill Coleman and son-in-law, Chris; three

grandsons, Gerrin, Jullian and Samiel; mother, Edmonia Bolden and brother, Chris Bolden, all of Richmond; his children's mother, Della Coverton; a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends. He is preceded in death by his son, Dr. Ronald W. Coverton and brother, Charles Bolden. His legacy of unconditional love to others, and his faith will remain forever in our memories. A wise farmer watches over his crops to make sure they prosper and grow...much as a wise father tends his children. Being there sounds like such a simple thing, but it means so much. Just knowing that you were there gave us strength, and the guarantee that we would always have more than our share of laughter and good times....plus all the love we need. Thanks, Dad, for being there. You have no idea how much that means. Your children

Tribute Wall



“ Robert Harry Coverton

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ I send my sincere and heartfelt condolences to the family of Robert. The faithful man Job in the bible asked this question, "If an able - bodied man dies can he live again? The answer: "You will call, and I myself shall answer you. "For the work of your hands, you will have a yearning." So Job knew that one day God would ressurect him from the dead, which is the true hope for the dead. In harmony Acts 24:15 promises that there will be a ressurection of bothe the righteous and the unrighteous." May you be comforted in the knoledge that one day Robert will come to life again, and he will never have to die again, because God has promised that he will destroy death forever. 1st Cor 15:26. May your precious memories of Robert help you to cope in the days ahead.###imported-begin###Rita Johnson###imported-end###

July 02, 2010 at 02:21 PM



“ I'm sorry to hear about your loss. I would like to express the Bible's hope for the future. At John 5:28,29, Jesus spoke about the time when "all those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice and come out." Yes, the Bible speaks about a resurrection of the dead. If you have any questions regarding this message, please contact me via e-mail. Wendell Sloane WSloane@verizon.net###imported-begin###Wendell Sloane###imported-end###

July 02, 2010 at 02:21 PM



“ I send my condolences to the family on your loss. I know that this time can be an especially hard period, but it is comforting to note that the Bible does offer us hope. Acts 24:15 tells us that "there is going to be a resurrection". So, our loved ones will have the chance to live again on this earth, and we have the chance to reunite with them. I hope this promise from God, as well as many other promises laid out in the Bible, prove to be a source of comfort for you.##imported-begin##K Adams##imported-end##

July 02, 2010 at 02:21 PM