



Roland Walters

January 26, 1919 - October 14, 2006

ROLAND WALTERS SR. died October 14, 2006, at Mercy Hospital after a brief illness. Born January 26, 1919 in Summerton, South Carolina, Roland was the youngest of James and Luella's five children, Daniel, Louise, Isaac, Eva and Roland. Shortly after his birth, his family migrated to Philadelphia, Pa. Unfortunately both of his parents died before he became of school-age. As a result he was reared by his older siblings. It was in first grade that he first met a very special classmate named Edna Green. Edna and Roland were married in Philadelphia September 20, 1940. While in Philadelphia, Roland worked as a salesman for Watkins Products (retail business) and at the Philadelphia Navy Yard as a welder. In 1956, he opened his own store for Watkins Products and moved his family to Baltimore. He later moved into the transportation business, first as a cab driver for the Yellow Cab Company and then as a private cab owner. Roland retired in 1982. Almost immediately upon arriving in Baltimore, Roland and his family joined Eastern United Methodist Church. Edna became the church organist and Roland directed the senior choir and was an active member of the Great Hymns choir. Roland also was an active member of the Methodist Men. For almost 50 years Roland was a devoted member of Eastern. Both Roland and Edna also were faithful workers at the church's Tuesday Soup Kitchen. In the spring of 2006, Eastern United Methodist Church dedicated their music room to Roland and Edna. Roland was a member of the East Baltimore Democratic Club and was an active member in his community. He had many friends and was a role model to

many young men by example. He represented consistent values of self-respect and respect for others, responsibility for your actions, and most importantly church and family. Roland was always willing to lend a hand to his neighbors in need. Roland's love for his family and pride in their accomplishments were his foremost passions. Nothing pleased him more than attending family gatherings and/or events in which his children or grandchildren were showcased. Surviving are: his wife of sixty-six years, Edna; sons, Roland Jr. (Donna), Edward (Wanda), Alfred (Ada), John (Ceires), and Daniel (Senora); eighteen grandchildren and six great-grandchildren and a host of extended family and friends. His daughter Jeannette preceded him in death June 1, 1994.

Tribute Wall



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“ *John and Family: Please accept my sincere condolences. Your father, you and your family are in my prayers.##imported-begin##Patricia Zyla##imported-end##*

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“ *We extend much sympathy to you and pray that God will comfort you and give you strength.##imported-begin##The Edens Family##imported-end##*

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“ *To the family, I offer my sincere sympathy. During times like these I have found comfort from the wonderful promises in God's Word, the Bible. Scriptures found at Acts 24:15, John 5:28,29 and Isaiah 66:13 have been a great source of comfort for me. Please read these when you have a minute. Feel free to contact me if you would like to discuss these wonderful provisions further.##imported-begin##Gwen Winston##imported-end##*

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“ My sincere condolences to the family and friends of Mr. Walters. As the days and the years go by, please be comforted by Almighty God words which says at Isaiah 25:8, "He will swallow up death forever...for Jehovah himself has spoken it." Yes, Almighty God will eradicate death forever and will make it possible for our dead love ones to be resurrected under peaceful conditions. (Acts 24:15) Please be comforted by these encouraging words.##imported-begin##V Adams##imported-end##

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“ To the Walters Family, You have my condolences on the loss of your dear loved one. Death is truly a sting. May you find comfort from God's word in knowing that John 5:28, 29 tells us that there will be a resurrection of the righteous and unrighteous. Seeing our dear loved ones again will most surely be a joyful time. May you find strength from God's word.##imported-begin##M. Douglas##imported-end##

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“ Hello ! Walter's ! May I take this opportunity to express my condolences to you all.I have lost some family of too. Death breaks the family circle. Mr. Roland was 88 years old when he died. The bible say at Ps.90:10, some may live to be 70 years, with special mightiness some may live to be 80 years old, Mr. Roland lived past that. During Mr.Roland life , he spend time with his family and others. Jesus loved his family and friends too.Lazarus family too was sad when he die however whem Jesus raised his friend from death his family was over joyed to tears.We can look forward to the many promises of our heavenly father coming ture. May all the cherished memories of Mr. Roland stay close to your hearts. Sincerely, Lillian Crosby.##imported-begin##Lillian Crosby##imported-end##

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“ My deepest sympathy during your time of sorrow but know that the God of comfort is with you all during this time of tribulation. (2Corinthian 1:3-4) Due to the many unforeseen occurrences that brings tragedy to our lives Jehovah God promises one day soon Death will be no more (Rev 21:3-4) and his son have been given the authority to bring all those in the memorial tombs back to life. John 5:28-29 Just think there will come a time not only will death be no more but Jehovah promises that no one will have to say I'm sick according to Isaiah 33:24. I feel the need to express these words of hope because so many of us today treasure the gift of life and we do all we can to maintain it to hold on to it. That is why it hurts so badly when our loved ones die. With so many of us desiring life today no matter how good or bad it is we still want life here on earth. No one looks forward to that time of death. That is why I am under obligation by the spirit and love of God to share that hope that is in our near future that the righteous shall inherit the earth and reside upon it forever according to Psalms 37: 29 along with the above stated promises on a paradise and peaceful earth. We all can hold true to this everlasting promise because Isaiah 55:11 states all the words Jehovah have spoken WILL NOT RETURN WITHOUT RESULTS. What a wonderful prospect for our future especially enlight of the fact that Hebrews 6:18 States of God, it is IMPOSSIBLE for him to lie.##imported-begin##Carter##imported-end##

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“ To the family and friends: Please accept my sincere condolences for your loss. I too have lost loved ones in death. Even though we know that death is inevitable, it is still difficult to accept. God’s original purpose was not for us to ever die. The thought of death is heartwrenching to us and it always will be because Jehovah God has created within us the keen desire to live forever. We never get used to death. We feel deep down in our hearts that this should not happen because, “Even time indefinite he (God) has put in their heart,” says Ecclesiastes 3:11. One of the wonderful parts of his plan is the hope of the resurrection of dead loved ones. (John 5:25, 28, 29). Just imagine our loved one coming back to life in the most beautiful earthly paradise you could ever imagine! Wouldn’t it be wonderful to greet them, tears of joy running down your faces and knowing that you will never lose them in death again. Please be assured that Jehovah God loves us and wants the best for us. Take comfort in the promise that he has given us at (Rev. 21: 3-5) of a new earth where there will be no more death. These promises have brought comfort to millions. I wish the same for you.##imported-begin##Senita Swann##imported-end##

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