



## Thomas Thaniel, Jr.

July 7, 1932 - October 7, 2010

Thomas Thaniel, Jr. (Tommy) was born on July 7, 1932 to the late Thomas E. Thaniel, Sr. and Nelia Shelton. His sister Aretha Thaniel White preceded him in death. Tommy peacefully slipped away to be with the Lord on Thursday, October 7, 2010.

Tommy (TT) was educated in Hanover County, Virginia. At the age of 18, Tommy joined a quartet called the Silvertones of Montpelier, Virginia. Thomas was employed by Reynolds Metals Company from where he retired after 30 years.

Tommy met and married Vernice in August 1989 and was a loving, caring, and devoted husband and father. Tommy enjoyed life and singing.

Tommy accepted Christ as his Savior at an early age and was baptized at Bethany Baptist Church in Montpelier, Virginia. In later years, he moved his membership to Mosby Memorial Baptist Church in Richmond where he enjoyed music and loved singing in the male chorus.

He leaves to cherish his memory his beloved and devoted wife Vernice; daughter, Sharon Thaniel; stepdaughter, Kimberly Eaton (William); stepson, Thomas Davis, Jr. (Latarshi); six step-grandchildren; four great step-grandchildren; one brother, John (Ruth); six sisters, Naomi T. Mitchell, Lara T. Thompson, Elizabeth T. Mitchell, Alma T. James, Vernell T. Cary (James) and Vernon Thaniel; father-in-law, Rev. Henry A. Edens, Sr. of Baltimore, Maryland; five brother-in-laws; five sister-in-laws; and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.



# Cemetery Details

## Roselawn Memory Gardens

13389 Mountain Road  
Glen Allen, VA 23059

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 11. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home -Laburnum Chapel  
2110 E. Laburnum Ave.  
Richmond, VA 23222

## Wake

OCT 11. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

OCT 12. 12:00 PM (ET)

Mosby Memorial Baptist Church  
2901 Mechanicsville Turnpike  
Richmond, VA 23223



# Tribute Wall



“ *Thomas Thaniel, Jr.*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Though I never met Mr. Hairston, I am extending my sincere sympathy for your loss. Despite this difficult time though, you can find comfort in the Christian hope of the resurrection. Jesus promises at John 5:28, 29: "Do not marvel at this, but the hour is coming in which all those in the Memorial tombs will hear my voice and come out." Yes, we have a solid hope of seeing our loved ones again.*

**A Robinson** - October 11, 2010 at 04:36 AM



“ *Thomas was a wonderful person. My deepest sympathy to Vernice and her family in their time of sorrow. God Bless.*

**Charlie Hairston** - October 10, 2010 at 07:11 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** - October 08, 2010 at 12:11 PM