



Welford John Gordon

December 19, 1939 - January 17, 2009

Our beloved brother, Welford John Gordon, departed this life suddenly Saturday morning, January 19, 2009, at his residence. At childhood he was given the nickname "GUS" and the name stuck with him throughout his lifetime. Gus was born December 19, 1939, and lived for many years at 1307 W. Leigh Street. He attended Richmond Public Schools and was proud to have lived his entire life in the "Uptown" area of the city. Gus loved the streets and developed longtime relationships with many people from various walks of life. He rarely drove, but could be spotted walking anywhere in the area, by the swagger, that was evident in the Gordon men. Gus lived life unapologetically. He was preceded in death by his parents, Sallie and Welford Gordon, siblings, Bessie, Rudolph, Charles Gordon and Ann Gordon Gilchrist. He is survived by two sons, Robert Simms (Sonya) and Welford Parrish; sisters, Margie Gordon Graves and Wilnet Gordon; a devoted brother, William "Preacher" Gordon (Angela); three grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews and friends.

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“ Please accept my heartfelt condolences for your loss. Look to te God of all comfort while you're dealing with your loss, because he cares deeply about what you are going through. At Isaiah 66:13 he expresses his love for us. He says, "Like a man whom his own mother keeps comforting, so I myself shall keep comforting you people." One day he promises that he will end all sickness and death, and bring peace to the earth. 2nd Peter 3:13 promises: "But there are new heavens and a new earth in which we are awaiting, and in these righteousness is to dwell." God never intended for people to die, and he promises that the dead will come back to life. John 5:28,29 says that all those in the memorial tombs will hear the voice of Jesus, and they will wake up from the sleep of death. May you be comforted by this wonderful promise.##imported-begin##R Johnson##imported-end##

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“ Please accept my condolences for the loss of your loved one. 1 Corinthians 15:26 reveals that our "enemy death" is to be destroyed. Also, Acts 24:15 lovingly declares "there is going to be a resurrection". May you receive much comfort and strength from this wonderful hope found in the Bible.##imported-begin##Mrs. Sharon Hill##imported-end##

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