



William Mckinley Watford Sr.

August 4, 1934 - May 20, 2012

William McKinley Watford, Sr., was born on August 4, 1934 in Bertie County, North Carolina to the late Marganer Williams and William Watford. He was the youngest of two children. William was educated in the Colerain, North Carolina Public Schools.

At an early age, William accepted Christ as his personal Savior. William was a member of New Shiloh Baptist Church. His favorite gospel artist was Shirley Caesar.

William was very family oriented. William was a devoted husband and father throughout his lifetime. William's wife, Paula was instrumental in providing his caregiving for nineteen consecutive years. Paula's devotion, patience and support for her husband strongly contributed to enhancing his quality of life.

William worked for several employers which included, the Coca-Cola Bottling Company and Abacus Corporation. William was self-employed for the majority of his lifetime. William founded and operated a maintenance company and a lawn care and landscaping business.

William was joined in Holy Matrimony to Paula Watford, and at the time of death they had been married for fifty-six years. Six children were born out of this union.

William leaves to cherish his memory: his loving wife of fifty-six years; five children, Carolyn, Deborah, William Jr., Paula (Larry) and Crystal (Thomas Jr.) (William's youngest son, Michael preceded him in death); six grandchildren, Monica, Ashley, Thomas III, Michael Jr. (Maria), Natasha (Darren) and Deanna; three great-grandchildren, Cameron, Dominick and DaShawn, daughter-in-law, Robin Watford; and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

King Memorial Park Cemetery - Grand Heritage Chapel & Mausoleum

8710 Dogwood Rd.
Baltimore, MD 21244
(410) 944-8300
info@kingmemorialpark.com
<https://www.KingMemorialPark.com>

Previous Events

Public Viewing

MAY 25. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore
4300 Wabash Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215
(410) 542-2400
info@marchfh.com

Family Hour

MAY 25. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore
4300 Wabash Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215
(410) 542-2400
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Wake

MAY 26. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

New Covenant Tabernacle
3517 Harford Road
Baltimore, MD

Service

MAY 26. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *William Mckinley Watford Sr.*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *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 - May 29, 2012 at 07:59 PM



“ *I wish to express my condolences to the family. I know that your loss is great. May you find comfort from the God of all comfort who can help you to cope with the loss of your loved one. It can be so hard to face each day without your loved one, but the love and support of family and friends and, of course, our loving Creator, can help to ease the pain and sorrow. Again, please accept my sincere condolences.*

Karolyn Nichols - May 24, 2012 at 10:33 AM



“ 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 - May 22, 2012 at 01:05 PM

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I would like to extend my deepest sympathy to the Watford family during this time. My thoughts and my prayers are with you during this time. R. Wills

Rose Wills - May 23, 2012 at 11:17 AM