



## Canute Brown

February 15, 1936 - January 25, 2016

Canute Alberga Brown was born to Adela Campbell and Clarence Brown on February 3, 1936, however he was not registered at the court house until the 15th of February, hence the 15 of February is listed on all of his legal documents. Berga as he is affectionately known went to Chaulky Hill School. He loved bartending and worked at the Run Away Bay Hotel while living in Steer Town. He met Cecily and they had Trevor, Garnett(Paul), Ann-Marie (Jeanie) and Arnold (Jimmy) He also worked at the Shaw Park hotel. He migrated to New York in the early 1970s working with Pan Am Airways. Not long afterwards, he was able to bring his children (Trevor, Paul and Jeanie) to New York. After Pan Am folded he worked as a manager for Edison Parking in NYC. He wanted to run his own limousine business and drove for Mr. Wunderman.

Berga would do whatever it took to take care of his family. He was hard working and an old fashion type of person. Yes, old fashion. He did not spear the rod either. Yes, all he had to do was to give you that look and you knew what was next. He was a loving disciplinarian. We do need some of that type of discipline in today's society. Dad would show up at school unannounced. I was in my senior year, two weeks before school ends and grades were already in. I knew I had already gotten an "A" in physics so that homework was not a priority. Who decided to show up to parents day after he said he had to work. Yes, he had to work but he took time because he wanted to make

sure we knew he had our backs.

He met Anita in 1984, and was married in December 2000. They have two sons, Kendrick and Raymond. He was baptized in April 2001 into the Seventh-day Adventist message. Berga moved to Virginia in September 2002 and later opened a Jamaican restaurant in July 2003 (CB's Jamaican & American Cuisine) but soon had to close it in August 2005 due to health reasons. He became an active and full time deacon after he closed the restaurant.

He loved working for the Lord in whatever capacity God called him to be in. It just so happened it was Community Service work. He loved to help people wherever it was needed. He not only picked up food from various locations but he also supervised the distribution and other volunteers. He loved the Lord and always would ask if I made it to church. He is now resting, awaiting the sound of the trumpet for when Jesus will return to take His chosen children home.

Canute is not dead, he is sleeping. Therefore we can say: "Good night, I'll meet you in the air on that great resurrection day".

In lieu of flowers, please make donations to Capernaum Seventh Day Adventist Church, 314 York Street, Suffolk, VA 23434

# Cemetery Details

**Private**

## Previous Events

### Visitation

FEB 4. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

J.T. Fisher Funeral Services  
1248 N. George Washington Hwy.  
Chesapeake, VA 23323  
(757) 487-3700  
info@jtfisherfuneralservices.com  
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### Service

FEB 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

Capernaum Seventh-day Adventist Church  
314 York Street  
Suffolk, VA 23434

# Tribute Wall



“ J.T. Fisher Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Canute Brown



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**J. T. Fisher Funeral Services** - February 04, 2016 at 02:47 PM



“ May God's words provide peace and comfort to you and your loved ones during this difficult time. Thinking of you Ms. Anita

*LaVern*  
*Your early morning coffee friend*



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**LaVern** - February 04, 2016 at 02:49 PM



“ 39 files added to the album Life Tributes



J. T. Fisher Funeral Services - February 04, 2016 at 02:10 PM



“ FROM YOUR SAYSAT FAMILY purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Canute Brown.



FROM YOUR SAYSAT FAMILY - February 03, 2016 at 11:49 PM



“ To Brown Family : May Jehovah God continue to bless as you prepare to say good by to your love one, the family will always be in our prayers. From : Winborne family



William Winborne - February 03, 2016 at 05:22 PM

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“*Meet the strongest man that I know. He's the only one that I know that would fight Stage 4 Cancer since 1997 and yet make sure that I'm well fed and doing well in school. This is the man who not only conceived me, but raised me. This is the man who wasn't a social worker, yet made a significant impact on the church's community service department. This is the man who I will literally do anything for. This is my hero, celebrity, and goal to achieve as I mature as a Christian. This is the man who was the epitome of a deacon, dad, husband, and man.*

*On January 25, God allowed my dad's pain to finally end as his mission here on earth came to a close. Although I didn't get a chance to tell him one last time that I loved him or goodbye, I'm reminded that soon and very soon, we'll be flying around in heaven together. He wanted to attend my graduation, but he'll be there when we both get our crown & gown.*

*My earthly dad may be gone, but my Father is very much alive. I'm glad that his pain is over and that my mom has less stress. Thank you all for your prayers and words of encouragement. I now have a hope that burns within my heart; hope in the coming of the Lord. A better day will come after while, and we shall get home someday. Rest in Paradise, dad.*



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**Ray Brown** - February 02, 2016 at 04:39 PM

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*Brother Brown : We all at Capernaum SDA Church will deeply miss you.*

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**William Winborne** - February 03, 2016 at 05:19 PM