



Donald J. Campbell

March 25, 1942 - July 6, 2017

Donald "Don" Jerry Campbell was born March 25, 1942 to the late Jesse Lee Campbell in Brooklyn, Georgia.

He was called home to be with the Lord on Thursday, July 6, 2017, after battling cancer.

Don leaves behind a family whom he cherished and loved deeply, and is survived by: his wife Earlease Campbell of 46 years; and his five children, Donald D. Campbell (Mary deceased) of Dublin, GA, Cynthia Ashley of Yonkers, NY, Ricky Bernard Campbell (Carmen) of Apex, NC, Elisa Campbell of Mt. Vernon, NY, and Chande "Camp" Campbell (Vera) of Suffolk, VA.

Fondly remembered by his loving brothers and beloved sister: William Campbell (Gloria) of McDonough, GA and Larry Campbell (Vivian) of Cartersville, GA and sister Irma Thompson (Rudy) of Edge Water, FL.

Adored and loved by his eight grandchildren: Marshayne, Tyler, Yasmine, Hailey, Donastasia, Chande, Morgan, and Grant and his five great grandchildren Marshayne, Mikyeal, Corey, Casey and Shyniece.

During his childhood Donald was a member of St. John Baptist Church in Claxton, GA until he moved to Mt. Vernon, NY where he attended Grace

Baptist Church. His affirmed faith and trust in the Lord remained strong throughout his life.

He will always be remembered as a dedicated father, loving brother, and loyal friend. Don cherished the time he spent with his family and was extremely close to his siblings. Although he lived in New York, he frequently visited his family and friends and looked forward to spending time with the fellas in Myrtle Beach-Marvin, Donnie, James Earl, and Carl.

He held a special place in his heart for his children and raised them to be strong, intelligent, and loving people. He relished hearing about the accomplishments of his children and grandchildren and was so very proud of them all.

Donald was an avid sports fan who enjoyed spending time with his family watching his New York Giants and rooting for Russell Westbrook and LeBron James dominate the basketball court. He was an expert bowler who participated in bowling leagues and continued that passion until recently. He was a music aficionado who often spent time listening to the sounds of old school artists like Al Green and Barry White, as well as contemporary music by Kem.

For over 40 years, Donald worked in construction. He retired as a certified brick mason from Grenadier Construction Corporation in NY. He loved his craft and was a master at his skill which allowed him to become an entrepreneur and start his own business. He will be greatly missed by all who knew him.

John 14:1

"Do not let your hearts be troubled. You believe in God; believe also in me."

Previous Events

Service

JUL 12. 3:00 PM (ET)

St. John Baptist Church
317 N. Grady Street
Claxton, GA 30417