

Pastor Edward McCants Sr.

October 21, 1951 - July 28, 2017

Edward Emmanuel McCants Sr., was born on October 21, 1951 in Princess Anne County (now, known as Virginia Beach), VA. He was the third of eleven children born to the late Beatrice N. Worsley. He received his education in the Virginia Beach School system from Union Kempsville High School.

He was a retired truck driver, but, later lived his life as an automotive mechanic; while, at times, providing charitable services, Ed always made himself available to assist anyone in need.

Pastor McCants will be remembered for his love and strong belief in our Lord Jesus Christ, he truly served the Lord in every aspect of his life. He was the founder and Pastor of the Greater Emmanuel Church of Christ which was established in 2000. He served as a Sunday School Superintendent, Director of the Young People's Holy Association, Trustee and Church Van Driver.

Through his illness, God continued to give Pastor McCants strength to minister to his congregation until he was called home to be with the Lord.

Pastor McCants leaves to cherish his memory, his loving and devoted wife of 34 years, Angela Freeman McCants. He was predeceased in death by two brothers; Christopher and Willie Worsley Jr., and one sister Shirley Wilson.

Pastor McCants is survived by six children; Emmanuel McCants(Sarah), April Johnson, Brian McCants (Sherri), Edward McCants Jr., Kurtis

McCants(Shamire), Kevin McCants; two step-daughters, Claudia Cuffee(Tye) and Carol Brown(Marsell); one sister, Sandra Scott; six brothers, Jerry McCants(Nita), Marshall McCants(Joyce), Douglas Worsley, Ray Worsley,

Phillip Worsley and Tim Worsley; grandchildren and a special grand-daughter, Saniya Brown; a host of nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Greenlawn Memorial Gardens

3920 Airline Blvd
Chesapeake, VA

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 2. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

J.T. Fisher Funeral Services
1248 N. George Washington Hwy.
Chesapeake, VA 23323
(757) 487-3700
info@jtfisherfuneralservices.com
<https://www.jtfisherfuneralservices.com>

Service

AUG 3. 12:00 PM (ET)

J. T. Fisher Funeral Services Chapel
1248 N. George Washington Hwy
Chesapeake, VA

Tribute Wall



“ J.T. Fisher Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Pastor Edward McCants Sr.



J. T. Fisher Funeral Services - August 02, 2017 at 07:05 PM

SJ

“ My heart ache for your loss. To know Ed was to love him. Proverbs chapter 17 verse 17 describes his heart. He had a honest heart and he was kind. John chapter 5 verses 28-29 gives us hope that we will see him again. Until that time comes Ed will be forever in my heart. AGAPE to everyone.
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sharon d johnson - August 07, 2017 at 04:44 PM

BC

“ To Ed and his family, please know that circumstances prevent our presence at the funeral of your dear Father, Pastor Edward McCants, Sr., but be assured that we are thinking of you and keeping you in prayer. Also know that in our every moment w/ you, you have ALWAYS demonstrated the very best that your Father tried to teach you. Continue to do those things. As God's people, we know where your Father is and that you will see him again. Stay strong in the Lord as he would want you to do.-- Rev. Keith, Billie M/ and Joseph Cook.

Billie Cook - August 03, 2017 at 06:44 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Pastor Edward McCants Sr..*



August 02, 2017 at 03:26 PM



“ *To the family of Prophet McCant, you have out sincere prayers of comfort today, knowing that the power of God's love will take you through. We love you dearly, Catherine, Marion and Gateway Pentecostal Church*

Marion Murphy - August 02, 2017 at 12:29 PM



“ *To the family of Rev. Edward McCants,*

We, the members of Brighton Rock Lodge #79 extend our heartfelt sympathies during your time of sadness. In the years that your congregation began worshipping in building, we could feel the presence of the Lord in Rev. McCants. He would often stop by and just chat with the brothers and impart a few words of wisdom to us. We were truly sorry to hear of his passing. My God continue to bless you and if we can be of any service to you, please reach out.

*The Officers & Members of
Brighton Rock Lodge #79
Prince Hall Masons
Chesapeake, VA*

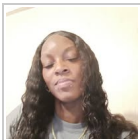
Maurice Holland - August 02, 2017 at 10:48 AM



“ 35 files added to the album Life Tributes



J. T. Fisher Funeral Services - August 01, 2017 at 06:42 PM



“ Your truly gonna be missed daddy I love you kiss my mom when you see her rest in heaven.

Charvella Jones - August 01, 2017 at 03:31 PM

KW

I knew your father as a minister at my childhood church, St. Paul UHC. He was the 'funny' minister who always had a joke and smile for the younger members. He also was a fiery orator of the Word... and a praying man. I lost tack of him as I ventured into the world, but he's never been far from my heart and mind. Suffice it to say that I am heartbroken knowing that he has ascended.

Kevin Wilkins - April 26, 2022 at 07:58 PM

CF

“ Dear Ed:

I will miss our "Cowgirls" and Redskins discussions. Only for you would I buy a "cowboy jersey while I was in Dallas last year for the game. It made me feel so glad to see you smile when I gave you the jersey. Rest in eternal Cowboy Heaven! Cassandra "Hail to the Redskins!" Freeman

Cassandra Rone Freeman - August 01, 2017 at 01:50 PM