



Pastor Terry D. Burnett

December 7, 1965 - July 2, 2022

Terry Dale Burnett, 56 years old, transitioned from earth to Glory on Saturday July 2, 2022, surrounded by his three girls (Veronica, Morgan, and Taylor). Terry was born December 7, 1965 to James E. Burnett and Barbara L. Burnett in Cullman, AL. He graduated from Hanceville High School in 1984. Terry attended Boyce Bible School (Newport News, VA), and later graduated from Angelos Bible College (Portsmouth, VA) where he received his Associates Degree in Biblical Studies. He enjoyed sharing the Word of God as Assistant Pastor at Little Mount Zion Baptist Church (Suffolk, VA.) under the Leadership of Pastor Horace L. Bazemore, Jr. Terry was employed with the Virginia Beach City Public Schools, Safe Schools Division, at the time of his passing.

Terry experienced a truly blessed marriage with his help meet, confidant, and best friend, Veronica Burnett (formally Veronica Saddler) for 27 years and 10 months. They enjoyed raising two beautiful daughters together, Morgan Blair (25) and Taylor Dale (21). Terry was the eldest son of eight children, and he has a twin sister. Preceding Terry in death was his father James E. Burnett and his baby brother Randy Burnett. In addition to his wife and two daughters, he is survived by his mother, Barbara L. Burnett, his siblings Lavorise Love (Joe), twin Sherry Wynn (Curtis), Anthony Burnett (Julia), Otis Burnett, James Burnett (Shawn), Nathan Burnett and Marvin Burnett (Whitney). Nephews Curtis Wynn Jr. (Myava), Caleb Wynn, Carlin Wynn, Landon Love, Corey Augburn (Rachel) and Derrick Augburn; Nieces Chanelle Wynn, Danielle

Love, Sha`Nia Flanigan, Jania Burnett and Monique Saddler; In-Loves, Maurice Augburn, Monroe Saddler, Anthony Richards, Keith Saddler, and Norton Richards; Son-In-Christ, Rhamar Suggs (Brooks); Closest friends, Antonio King (Luciana), Willie Bowen (Lee) and George Johnson (Kim); along with a host of God-children, aunts, uncle, cousins, and other friends.

Pastor Burnett or Pastor Terry, as he was affectionately called, began his growth in the Ministry under the leadership of Pastor Ralph Richardson, III (Little Grove Baptist Church, Suffolk, VA.). He served in many capacities in the Ministry. He served as Sunday School Superintendent, Sunday School Teacher, and Minister of Ministry, responsible for identifying needs, educating, and spiritually guiding families in the congregation and the community. In addition, he served as the leader of the Couples Ministry, along with his wife Veronica.

Terry endured a long illness with grace and faith. He playfully called himself "The Cancer Fighting Ninja". He shared his journey on social media while impacting many lives with his testimony of his reliance on his Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Terry's life exemplified what he believed to be true, according to the Word of God. He had a passion to see others benefit from knowing the goodness of God and following God's Word. He frequently quoted one of his favorite scriptures to provide instruction and encouragement to others: "Therefore I say unto you, take no thought for your life, what ye shall eat, or what ye shall drink, nor yet for your body, what ye shall put on...Behold the fowls of the air; for they sow not, neither do they reap, nor gather into barns; yet your heavenly Father feedeth them. Are ye not much better than they... But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you." Matthew 6:25-33.

Terry will be missed, by many, but not forgotten by any. He will especially be missed by his three girls (Veronica, Morgan, and Taylor). UNTIL WE SEE

YOU AGAIN!!!

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 16. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Little Mt. Zion Baptist Church
3288 Pruden Blvd.
Suffolk, VA 23435
(757) 539-1991

Service

JUL 16. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ J.T. Fisher Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Pastor Terry D. Burnett



J. T. Fisher Funeral Services - August 02, 2022 at 06:41 PM

LD

Veronica, I just found out and my condolences to the family! Love You'!!!

Louvenia DavisTaylor - August 16, 2022 at 12:44 PM

CW

“ Cindy Wilder lit a candle in memory of Pastor Terry D. Burnett



Cindy Wilder - July 17, 2022 at 08:16 PM



“ 31 files added to the album Life Tributes



J. T. Fisher Funeral Services - July 14, 2022 at 05:23 PM

LB

My friend my brother still lost for words. Rest in Peace Preacher Burnett 🙏🙏🙏

Leslie Benjamin - July 14, 2022 at 08:13 PM

DF

*Mr. Terry Burnett,
a man of faith and love for the Lord. He shared his belief and scripture with his colleagues and spoke so lovingly of his wife and beautiful daughters whom he cared greatly for. He did incredible works for the Lord and now it's sitting in the heavenly realms in his presence. Bless you Terry
In God's grace and love*

Daniel Ford - July 16, 2022 at 07:57 AM

BR

“ *Condolences to the family. Wishing you Peace to ease your sadness. Strength to lift your spirit up. Time to heal your heart and Faith that will see you through. Arthur and Barbara Robinson*

Barbara Robinson - July 13, 2022 at 03:13 PM

VC

“ *Vernon Clifton lit a candle in memory of
Pastor Terry D. Burnett*



Vernon clifton - July 13, 2022 at 12:03 PM

LR

My heart goes out to the Burnett and our aunt Bobbie. I speak for myself and my siblings we feel the pain we didn't know our cousins we talk of meeting all of our cousins we don't know time is ticking ,the family loss another good man Terry gave his life to the lord and he lives on in heart and memories he shared with his family and friends God bless you cousins Larry Rudolph and your Cleveland family RIH

Larry Rudolph - July 14, 2022 at 10:23 PM

MA

*Every year is a year of missing you!
Love you, Maurice*

Maurice Augburn - November 05, 2025 at 09:23 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of
Pastor Terry D. Burnett.*



July 12, 2022 at 03:40 PM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Pastor Terry D. Burnett.*



July 12, 2022 at 12:08 PM



“ *Little Mount Zion Baptist Church purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Pastor Terry D. Burnett.*



Little Mount Zion Baptist Church - July 11, 2022 at 04:37 PM



“ *My heart is still heavy. Everything about Terry would make anybody love him. He would give you the shirt off his back!!! I love you brother. I can't say enough good things about this man, he is going to be missed by many. My heartfelt condolences, thoughts, and prayers are with his family, friends and anyone who had the pleasure of knowing him, cause if you did I'm sure he impacted your life in some way. May there be light, and comfort during this difficult time. I'm going to miss hearing your car roaring down the street. I'm going to miss my friend. 'Til we meet at Jesus' feet.'*

Ty Roseborough - July 10, 2022 at 01:34 PM

RH

“ RUTH HIGH HARTSFIELD lit a candle in memory of Pastor Terry D. Burnett



RUTH HIGH HARTSFIELD - July 07, 2022 at 08:55 PM

WL

“ I will miss Pastor Terry and will always remember how he makes me feel welcome whenever I am in his presence. At Little Grove, in their home and at Little Mount Zion. Rest In Peace

I love you and I am here.

And I heard a voice from heaven saying, “Write this: Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from now on.” “Blessed indeed,” says the Spirit, “that they may rest from their labors, for their deeds follow them!”

Roman



Wilfred & Michelle Lewis - July 07, 2022 at 06:37 PM

LY

“ Condolences to the family



lynnetterichardson9@gmail.com - July 07, 2022 at 06:12 PM

RM

“ Minister Terry Burnette not only preach the word of God but he lived the word and whenever he saw us he always had something encouraging to say or joke to tell. 😊 We will be praying for Veronica the girls and the entire family 🙏
From The McClenny Family

Rhonda McClenny - July 07, 2022 at 07:35 AM

LW

“ It was a pleasure knowing such a wonderful man of God! Take your rest



Lawanda Warren - July 07, 2022 at 04:55 AM

TJ

“ A blessing to know such a wonderful man of God! He was the epitome of grace during suffering. So thankful for his witness and testimony of Jesus Christ in the earth! May God's peace surround you and your family during your time of bereavement.



Tish Johnson - July 06, 2022 at 08:33 PM

PB

“ You were faithful til the end and you never complained. You have gone on to be with the Lord and to receive your rewards. Praying for your wife, daughters, and entire family. Good job my Friend.

Patricia Bryant - July 06, 2022 at 11:12 AM



“ *Lillian Wilson-Joyner lit a candle in memory of Pastor Terry D. Burnett*



Lillian Wilson-Joyner - July 06, 2022 at 06:03 AM