



Ronald A. Jenkins

November 12, 1931 - March 5, 2017

Ronald A. Jenkins, age 85, passed away peacefully at home on Sunday, March 5, 2017. Ronald was born on November 12, 1931 in Boston, MA to the late Leroy and Lovie Jenkins. He was a graduate of Boston Latin School prior to honorably serving in the United States Army from 1952-1960. He served as a medic during the Korean War and was awarded the Korean Service Medal with 1 Bronze Service Star, the United Nations Service Medal, and the National Defense Service Medal. After leaving military service, he began a career as a Laser Engineer Specialist at Raytheon Co. and retired after 39 years of dedicated service.

Ronald met the late Mildred (Layne) Jenkins of Cambridge, MA and they were married on October 20, 1956. “Ron” and “Mil” moved to Framingham, MA and lovingly raised two daughters. He was a devoted and committed husband and father to his wife and children. However, his greatest commitment was to our Lord Jesus Christ. At an early age, Ronald was baptized in the name of Jesus and received the gift of the Holy Ghost. Serving the Lord and His people was a mindset that became part of his nature. He served in many roles including Sunday School Instructor, Bible Study Teacher, Worship and Praise Leader, Guitarist, Prison Ministry Leader, Counselor, Deacon, and Elder. In 1978, he responded to the call to preach the Gospel and was an ordained minister of the Pentecostal Assemblies of the World.

Ronald, affectionately called "Buddy" by his grandchildren, was preceded in death by his loving wife of 53 years, Mildred, and his sister Yvette Wallace. He leaves to celebrate his life, his children, Andrea Jenkins of Portsmouth, VA, Tara (Jenkins) Johnson and her husband Terrell of Acworth, GA; three grandsons, Rahjon, Andrew, and Daniel; one granddaughter, Bethany; one sister, Yvonne Bagby and her husband William of Pittsboro, NC; many nieces, nephews, cousins, church family, and friends. He will be deeply missed by all who knew him.

Cemetery Details

Greenlawn Memorial Gardens

3920 Airline Blvd
Chesapeake, VA

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 9. 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

MAR 10. 11:00 AM (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
Ronald A. Jenkins



J. T. Fisher Funeral Services - March 10, 2017 at 12:58 PM

CW

*Andrea, keeping you and your family in prayer.
Costella Williams*

Costella Williams - March 10, 2017 at 01:11 PM

BJ

*Our two heroes of faith and love are together again in the loving arms
of the Lord!*

*They fought a good fight kept the faith and finished the course.. so
graceful!*

Their love remains and their life still speaks to us.

With our love and prayers

*Bishop Arthur Jack , First Lady Angelia &
The Holy Tabernacle Church family
Boston Massachusetts*

Bishop Arthur F Jack - March 10, 2017 at 06:04 PM

AA

*True love will last forever, beautiful memories of my Uncle and Aunt
plus family. Andrea you are a beautiful person I love the video can't
stop crying. God bless*

Annette Anderson - March 10, 2017 at 07:52 PM

RD

*Well Done !!!! 🙏
Deacon Ike and Sister Ruth Davis*

Ruth Loving Davis - March 11, 2017 at 12:42 PM

GM

Wonderful video. Had the pleasure of serving with them when they came to Boston to be with us at Holy Tab. They showed what it meant to be the perfect examples of God's love and the devotion and love between them showed us how to love your mate. Truly wonderful saints and they will be missed. We will continue to keep your family in prayers.

The Shivers and Merritt Families...

Gwen Merritt - March 11, 2017 at 02:37 PM

JB

Sending my deepest sympathies/condolences to you, Tara & the family cousin, may Uncle Ronald rest in peace. Love, cousin Jonathan

Jonathan Bagby - March 13, 2017 at 02:49 PM

RD

“ *On behalf of Deacon Ike Davis and myself, I want you to know the family are in our thoughts and pray. We almost moved there a few years ago. It was because the love your parents showed to use .*

Ruth Davis - March 10, 2017 at 10:58 AM

FC

“ *Andrea,
Please know that you are in my thoughts and prayers today as you celebrate your father. You are truly blessed as you were a blessing to your father. Continued prayers*

Felicia Coker - March 10, 2017 at 10:23 AM

CS

“ I have yet to find someone as humbled and kind as Elder Jenkins. Thank you for the seed you planted in my life. Our prayers are with you Andrea and Tara.

The Steele family -

Claude and Nichiera Steele - March 10, 2017 at 09:49 AM

FF

“ From Evangelist Margaret Booker and Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Ronald A. Jenkins.



From Evangelist Margaret Booker and Family - March 09, 2017 at 11:02 PM

LB

“ Elder Jenkins was a true man of God. I loved to hear in preach, and he had a dance like none other. He will be missed.



Lynn Baxter - March 09, 2017 at 08:55 PM



“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Ronald A. Jenkins.



March 09, 2017 at 05:31 PM



“ 32 files added to the album Life Tributes



J. T. Fisher Funeral Services - March 09, 2017 at 10:22 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Ronald A. Jenkins.



March 09, 2017 at 07:52 AM



“ Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Ronald A. Jenkins.



March 07, 2017 at 07:59 PM

BG

“ *Andrea and Tara, as I reflect on the memories of your family, I know your Dad was a figure of strength to you. His memory may bring tears today, however these same memories will bring smiles in days to come.*

Bishop Green and I sincerely extend our prayers of sympathy to you.

Bishop John and Evang. Cynthia Green - March 07, 2017 at 07:15 PM