



Walter Gillispie

September 19, 1939 - August 27, 2009

Chesapeake - Deacon Walter H. Gillispie, 69, of the 1100 block of Sir Lancelot Drive was called home to be with his heavenly father Thursday, August 27, 2009. He was a loving husband, father, and beloved friend. Walter was a dedicated servant and long time member of Noble Street Baptist Church. All who knew Walter experienced his unyielding spirit of care, kindness, and willingness to give fully of himself. He will surely be missed. The dedicated man of God, known by many as Gill, Poppie, Pop, Walt, and Walter is survived by his wife, Lena B. Gillispie; sons, Randy and Walter(Cynthia) Jr.; daughters, Sandi Cortez and Michelle Gillispie. Of this union; Jerome Black, LeNora Black, and Patricia Coleman (Eddie). Brothers; Lenwood (Rosetta), Larry (Gloria) Simmons, and sister; Martha Blake; uncles, aunts and a host of grandchild, great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins, and special friends; Arvine and Sylvia Spratt. Walter's walk on this earth touched the lives of many as he set forth in giving us the living example of faith and true salvation. Walter left this world peacefully.

In lieu of flowers, please send donations to the Noble Street Multi-Purpose building.

Previous Events

Service

SEP 1. 11:00 AM (ET)

Noble Street Baptist Church
100 Noble Street
Portsmouth, VA

Tribute Wall



“ J.T. Fisher Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Walter Gillispie



J. T. Fisher Funeral Services - August 27, 2009 at 12:00 AM



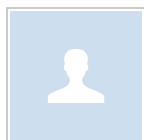
“ From Karen Lepp and family

The beauty and essence of his love lives forever, like a garden of carefully tended, sweetly fragrant roses, in the hearts and minds of those who dearly love him.

From Jared Lepp

He is in a very much better place now. We will still miss him, but he will look down on us for now and smile.##imported-begin##Karen, Eric, Jared, and Marika Lepp##imported-end##

September 19, 2009 at 05:43 PM



“ you are all in our thoughts and prayers through this difficult time. May God watch over you and be comforting. God Bless you all.##imported-begin##Adam and Susan Hollobaugh, and baby##imported-end##

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“ Gill has been a friend of our families since 1961 with the exception of a period of separation.

We are blessed to have shared this time with him. We will miss his smile, his unconditional love, and genuine concern for the welfare of others; we will miss his kindness, wisdom, understanding, and the way he would comfort you in the midst of the most difficult situation. Gill is not dead because Jesus has promised: "...Everyone who lives and believes in Me will never die." He has eternal life.

May God's love keep each of you always.

The Walker and Brinson Families.##imported-begin##Thelma D. Walker##imported-end##

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“ All though we never met Walter, both Terri and I feel we have known him through his daughter. She came into to our lives through my brother and has been a God send to him. Which is a reflection on her father as she could not be the kind caring person she is without her fathers love.

Our deepest sympathy goes out to you all during this time of mourning##imported-begin##Jim & Terri Dobson##imported-end##

August 31, 2009 at 09:07 AM



“ Our heart goes out to you and your family during you time of lost. May God be with you now and always.##imported-begin##Windell & Barbara Hutchinson##imported-end##

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“ Our deepest condolences. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Derwyn, Michele and Matthew Hollobaugh##imported-end##

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“ Our deepest sympathy to the family in their time of grief. We will keep all of you in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Dennis And Kristina Anthony##imported-end##

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“ We extend our deepest sympathy to the family. Although we never had the opportunity to meet Walter, we are certain that his star shines brightly in his daughter Gigi...our dear friend. May the heavens open and embrace Walter into a far better world.

Dave and Cindy House##imported-begin##Dave and Cindy House##imported-end##

August 29, 2009 at 07:21 PM



“ My pop was the best friend a daughter could have . I did no wrong when it came to my Pops even when I know I did. He knew I did but didn't admit which was what I lived for in our talks . My dad is the best grandpops my children ,my neices and my nephews have been able to have in their lives . He will forever be amongst me and our hearts. . ##imported-begin##Jennifer Gillispie##imported-end##

August 29, 2009 at 05:25 PM



“ *My fathers' single-minded faith in his God lets me know that he is where he is supposed to be... in heaven with all of his beloved family and friends. I have to believe this wholeheartedly or I would crumble from the sheer magnitude of the loss of him in the life of me and my family. Keep watching me Popi, I need you now more than ever. Your loving Kitten*##imported-begin##*SANDI GILLISPIE CORTEZ*##imported-end##

August 29, 2009 at 05:01 PM