



Carlton Henry Tyler

August 25, 1922 - April 26, 2014

On August 25, 1922, a beautiful baby boy was born. He was raised by his mother Louise Parker Tyler and his father Rev. William Tyler. Quietly on April 26, 2014, Carlton entered into eternal rest.

Carlton was born in Stafford Virginia. He was raised in Alexandria Virginia and attended Alexandria and the District of Columbia public schools. He graduated from Dunbar High School in the District of Columbia. He also attended Virginia State College. For several years, Carlton worked for the Civil Service Commission as a Clerk Typist, and at the Pentagon. He went on to work for the United States Post Office, until he retired in 1985 after 40 years of service with the United States Post Office.

Carlton was a faithful member of Alfred Street Baptist Church for many decades. He gave his life to the Lord on many years ago. He truly loved his church. He was a loving and devoted, father, grandfather, in-law and friend. He was the ultimate provider, dedicated and loyal. Carlton was an outstanding employee and well respected by his peers. Throughout his career he received numerous awards for his outstanding performance at the Post Office. In 1970 he received a Superior Accomplishment Certificate from Postmaster Beall, and in 1985 he received a Service Award Recognition for 40 years of service to the Government of the United States, from Postmaster Cochran and Paul N. Carlin the Post Master General, just to name a few. He was very proud of

the inscribed Bulova watch he received upon retiring from the Post Office.

It has been said that Carlton loved sitting on his dad's lap as a child when he was in the pulpit. Earlier in life Carlton enjoyed photography, rumor has it that he would take pictures of anything. Carlton also loved gospel music and would sing the old gospel hymns in his deep baritone voice. He also enjoyed the Washington Redskins . He was affectionately known to his friends as "Doc." This nickname he received from his dear friends Ben and Roscoe Mercer many years ago. As the years past, he was known to the next few generations as "Unk." We would be remiss in not saying that he truly loved the ladies. He demonstrated nothing but strength and determination in life and despite his health struggles he lifted up blessings and prayers to God.

Carlton leaves to cherish his memories, a devoted son Royce (Leon) Hamm, daughter in law Maria Hamm, three grandsons, Royce (Leon) Jr, (Koi), D. André, Sr., (Bernice) and Dameon. Seven great-grandchildren, Raphael, Sr. (Tiffany) D. André, Royce III, Ryan, Kennedy, Kaleb and Kameron. Three great-great-grandsons, Ryan, Raphael , Jr., and Ronald. Two nephews, Ed (Celestine) and Carlton, a host of nieces and nephews. He also has two long time devoted friends, Vincent and Rose .

Carlton's death will leave an empty place in the hearts of all who knew and loved him. His outgoing, warm and sincere personality created friends wherever he went. He was always willing to go the extra mile to help his family and friends. Carlton will be sincerely missed. We are sure that the Lord was pleased with His servant Carlton.

Cemetery Details

Bethel Cemetery

Wilkes Street
Alexandria, VA 22314

Previous Events

Viewing

MAY 5. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Alfred Street Baptist Church
301 S. Washington Street
Alexnadria, VA 22314

Funeral

MAY 5. 11:00 AM (ET)

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