



Albert Elmer Woolford

November 9, 1933 - June 20, 2018

Albert Elmer Woolford, also known as “Buster”, was the sixth of eight children born to the late James and Mamie Hopkins Wolford. He departed his life at the age of 84, on Wednesday, June 20, 2018, at the House of Pines in Easton, Maryland, with his daughter, Eu-Nise by his side.

Albert was born on November 9, 1933, in Salem, Maryland. He was educated in Dorchester County Schools and graduated from F.D. St. Clair High School, class of 1951. In 1955, he joined the U. S. Army and served his country for two years. He also attended Delaware Technical & Community College in Georgetown, Delaware, for a few years until 1974. Following his time in the military, Albert returned and married Ethel Parker, the love of his life, and they had been together for 65years, when she passed on February 7, 2016.

Buster had been a faithful supporter of Hurlock United Methodist Church since his earlier years. In addition, he was a member of the Masonic Lodge in Preston, Maryland and worked as an Officer at Delaware State University in Dover, Delaware, for 30 years, until he retired in 1999.

Albert enjoyed spending time with all of his family and friends and those he met in his travels and jobs. He was always a positive person, gave great advise, and had a listening ear if you needed it. He took joy in playing the keyboard and piano. Some can remember the piano at the Woolford house ---

mostly all could play at least one chord of “Boogie-Woogie Blues, for Buster mastered that. He was also an “undercover cook” that loved to make his fried white potatoes and “buttermilk biscuits that would melt in your mouth.” Yum Yum Good!

Albert was preceded in death by his wife, Ethel Woolford; three daughters, Althorias Parker, Francine W. Jones and Barbara Downes; one great-grandson, Jamal Woolford, Jr.; three brothers, Joe, Lilan and Wesley Woolford; one sister, Gladys Young; and a special niece that was raised as a sister, Enola Woolford Parker.

Albert leaves to cherish memories, two daughters, Eu-Nise Woolford and Aretha Woolford (Domingo), all of Hurlock, MD; three sons, Thorrind Woolford (Mona) and Kevin Parker, Sr., both of Hurlock, MD and Albert Mouring, Sr. (Shanella) of Preston, MD; a granddaughter who was raised as a daughter, Althorias Woolford (Tito) of Hurlock, MD; 14 grandchildren; 29 great-grandchildren; two great-great-grandchildren; two brothers, Merrick Woolford of Baltimore, MD and Wendell “Sonny” (Elizabeth) of Raeford, NC; one sister, Gloria Parker of Baltimore, MD; five sisters-in-law, Helen Woolford of Baltimore, MD, Alberta Brown (Robert) of Melvin, AR, Sula Parker of Wilmington, DE, Blanch Spicer of Salisbury, MD, and Ann Woolford of NC; a few special friends, Rudolph Farrow and Roosevelt Boggs, both of Hurlock, MD, Anthony Cuffee, Sr. of Greenwood, DE, Charles Clark of Dover, DE and Bruce Thomas of Chestertown, MD. Buster raised his many nieces and nephews as his own---making sure each had the best life as they could and he was “The Wind Beneath Their Wings”. In addition to all listed, he had many cousins and friends he encountered along his journey, and ALL SHALL MISS HIM GREATLY!

Lovingly Submitted,
The Family

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“ My deepest condolences for the loss of your dear loved one. While nothing will completely take away your grief, by meditating on Gods promises found in the Bible, you can find real hope and the strength to keep going. My family and I have found the scripture at Isaiah 25:8 to be especially comforting. Here it promises that God "will swallow up death forever and the Sovereign Lord Jehovah will wipe away the tears from all faces."

H. Fields - June 30, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ Sorry for the passing of your love one. Read Isaiah 41:10 for words of comfort and peace.

Irene - June 28, 2018 at 12:00 AM

JO

“ I am so sorry for loss of Albert E. Woolford. May your precious memories of your time together help you through this time of sorrow and you can find strength in God's loving promise at(Isaiah 41: 10.)

JoyceA - June 28, 2018 at 12:00 AM

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“ Sorry For Your Loss
Jesus Loves Me
I Am Special To God

Thomas & Libby Widgeon - June 27, 2018 at 12:00 AM