



Arthur W. Stansbury

October 29, 1939 - September 19, 2014

Arthur W. Stansbury, 74, of Centreville, Maryland passed away Friday, September 19, 2014. Arthur was born in Queen Anne's County, Maryland, on October 29, 1939. He was the son of the late Shedrick Stansbury and Martha Virginia Thornton-Stansbury of Centreville and brother of the late Violet Virginia Rochester of Oxnard, California.

He attended the Queen Anne's County public schools through childhood. He lived his entire life on the Eastern Shore of Maryland. He lived in Centreville behind the old Kennard High School, in Starkey's Corner north of Centreville, in Browns' Corner off 213 and Clannihan Shop Road, and at 353 Brownsville Road south of Centreville, Maryland.

He started attending the House of Prayer Temple in Centreville with the Carter Family, Pastor Bernard R. Carter Sr., his wife Dorothy L. Carter, and their children Bernard R. Carter, Jr., and Lori A. Carter. He also attended many other local churches for Sunday services and traveled from time to time to attend revivals at other church communities out of town. Arthur would work with Bernard's local refuse removal company sometimes where he would meet and greet many people as they traveled all over the shore.

Arthur is survived by his Brother-in-law Harvey K. Rochester, Jr. of, Oxnard, California, Nephews, Rudolph R. Carter and Partner Frank F. Wirmusky, Family Pets Cheyenne and Mercy of Centreville, Maryland, Daniel B. Carter of Alexandria, Virginia, Raymond L. Rochester of Burlington, Wisconsin, Randy M. Rochester of Oxnard, California, and three Grand Nephews, and five

Grand Nieces.

Uncle Arthur, "Dit Dat" as he was well known to all, loved to walk and visit his friends around the community. We will miss him now and forever, sadly submitted by the family.

To send flowers to the family or plant a tree in memory of Arthur W. Stansbury, please visit our Heartfelt Sympathies Store.

Tribute Wall

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“ I will miss seeing you around town. You were always ready with a smile and a friendly word. Rest in peace, my friend. Now you will walk on streets of gold.

Dora Garrett - October 02, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ Cousin Arthur affectionately known as Ditdat, rest in peace - may God welcome you to your heavenly home with open arms. I have such fond memories of you and your sister Violet when we (the Thorntons) use to come and visit. We all tried to get you to come out of your room but you always won that fight - you were shy but always had a smile and loving and calm nature. Our family will truly miss you.

Thomas Edward Thornton - October 01, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ being kept in my thoughts and prayers

Sandra Crawford - September 30, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ Gone is the face we loved so dear, gone is the voice we loved to hear, to far away for sight or speech, but not to far for thoughts to reach.

Brian Novak - September 29, 2014 at 12:00 AM

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“ One who brought so much joy to other people have fallen silent in death. Please accept my deepest sympathy. Sometimes just knowing others truly care about your loss and the departure of your loved one can be uplifting. Almighty God, "is close to the brokenhearted; He saves those who are crushed in spirit." Psalms 34:18 He also promises, "many of those asleep in the dust of the earth will wake up." Daniel 12:2 May meditating on this wonderful future blessing and what it will mean for the reuniting of your Family with the one so many called "Stansbury" bring you comfort.

Mary - September 29, 2014 at 12:00 AM