



## Jonathan L. Murray

June 29, 1965 - March 8, 2018

### Obituary

Jonathan L. Murray, a resident of Westover, Maryland, was born on June 29, 1965 in Westover, Maryland. He departed this life for his eternal reward on Thursday, March 8, 2018 at his home in Westover, Maryland.

He worked in the family concrete business (Murray's Concrete) for many years. With much success, he decided to venture out to have his own concrete business, which was formerly known as John Murray's Concrete Works.

Jonathan was a faithful member of the Glorious Church of our Lord Jesus Christ of the Apostolic Faith in Pocomoke City, Maryland. He loved the Lord with all his heart.

Surviving to cherish his memories are: his wife of 20 years, Wanda T. Murray of Upper Hill, MD; his father-in-law, Theodore P. Waters, Sr.; two daughters, Jaquell L. Murray of Upper Hill, MD and Deschell (Jonathan) Collins of Westover, MD; one son, Dorvan (L. Jennel) Johnson, Jr. of Fruitland, MD; eight grandchildren, Briaja, Shadimon, Jonae, Tiara and Ashira Collins, all of Westover, MD, Cynaria Stephens and Tyshaun Johnson, both of Fruitland, MD and Zien Johnson of South Carolina; three brothers, Lindsey (Gloria)

Murray, Sr. of Westover, MD, Tyrone (Joyce) Murray of Westover, MD and William H. Murray, Jr. of Princess Anne, MD; three sisters, Gwendolyn (Arthur) Bull of Dover, DE, Cleona Murray of Washington, D.C. and Leah Murray of Kansas; his sisters-in-law, Cassandra Johnson of Princess Anne, MD, Gwendolyn McCleandon of Salisbury, MD and Sheila Murray, a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins, and a devoted friend Denise Maddox.

Jonathan was preceded in death by: his mother, Marzella Murray and his father, William H. Murray, Sr.; one brothers; Richard Murray, Sr. ; one sister; Carolyn Jones; one grandson Dorvan M. Johnson; a nephew, Richard Murray, Jr.; his mother-in-law, Agnes J. Waters and his brother-in-law, Theodore P. Waters, Jr.,

SORROWFULLY SUBMITTED,  
THE FAMILY

To send flowers to the family or plant a tree in memory of Jonathan L. Murray, please visit our Heartfelt Sympathies Store.

# Tribute Wall

CH

“ Wanda and the family, I just found out about my Big Heart-ed Friend John and his unfortunate passing. I only got to meet John and Tyronne last year, but immediately connected to the Big Man and enjoyed being in his presence. Always took all of his phone calls and always great to talk too. Truly a Gentle Giant and man of his word. God Bless and we will reunite in the eternal life. May peace be with your family and your faith stay strong.

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**Chris Higgins** - May 01, 2018 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ Wanda, Praying for you and family during this time. My family send our deepest sympathy. Just know that Jesus can heal and comfort you in your time of need.

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**Rev. Frances Fitchett** - March 24, 2018 at 12:00 AM

UB

“ We were saddened to hear of John's passing. John was a wonderful person and a very good friend; his presence and voice will surely be missed by all of us at Unique Styles Custom Home Builders. Rest in Peace, dear friend. Our sincere condolences to the family.

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**Unique Styles Custom Home Builders** - March 23, 2018 at 12:00 AM

AM

“ So sorry Mr John was always so nice on the phone and he will be greatly missed. Sorry I couldn't make it to services as I have been in and out of hospital. I pray your family can find peace and again from myself and Chaney Enterprise family we are deeply sorry

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**Ann Melvin** - March 23, 2018 at 12:00 AM

CO

“ Sending my heartfelt condolence to the Murray family for the loss of their husband,father,brother,uncle and my cousin johnny.I pray that God will comfort you in your loss.

Cornell - March 23, 2018 at 12:00 AM

JR

“ John will be so missed ~ I loved being able to joke around with him and his "MUD" he would be ordering!! FLY HIGH my friend!! I'm still in shock!!! you will be missed by all at Chaney Enterprises!!!

Joanie Rogers - March 23, 2018 at 12:00 AM

HF

“ 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 - March 18, 2018 at 12:00 AM

BD

“ Three years ago I met John and I am truly going to miss him . A wonderfully man who I always enjoyed being around always funny and warm never a bad day RIP John you will be truly missed .

Bob D - March 16, 2018 at 12:00 AM

LG

“ We're so sorry for you loss.

Lee & Jeannette Gardner - March 16, 2018 at 12:00 AM

GR

“ My dear wife and I would like to extend our condolences for the loss of your loved one. We send this condolence with the sure hope the Bible provides all of us at difficult times like this.

As recorded in the Bible, God's only-begotten son, Jesus promises that one day he is personally going to bring back to life all those who have died (John 5:28, 29; 11:43, 44). As death is an enemy to us, it is also an enemy to Almighty God (1 Corinthians 15:26). For that reason, as well as others, He promises to remove from this earth FOREVER all the pain, suffering, wickedness, and DEATH that mankind has had to endure for thousands of years (Revelation 21:3-5; Psalm 37:10, 11, 29). What a glorious day that will surely be! It's a reality and a sure hope that we can trust in because it is absolutely impossible for God to lie (Titus 1:2).

My wife and I sincerely encourage you to look up and meditate on these noted scriptures in your own Bible (1 Timothy 4:15, 16; 2 Timothy 3:16, 17). You will surely be encouraged and comforted by the marvelous hope our Grand Creator has in store for us (John 17:3). Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you.

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**George & Christine Ragusa** - March 15, 2018 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ I am sorry for your loss. Johnny was like a big brother to me. He will surely missed.

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**LISA A BALLARD** - March 13, 2018 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Rest in Peace, my friend. I'm surely gonna miss our talks and that "Thunderous" voice. My condolences to the family.

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**Jeanne Blake** - March 13, 2018 at 12:00 AM

TW

“ Sorry For Your Loss!

Thomas & Libby Widgeon - March 13, 2018 at 12:00 AM

JO

“ May the God of all comfort strengthen the family during this time of deep sorrow. Those who pass on, God keep in his memory because they are precious in his eyes. Please except my sincerest condolence.

JoyceA - March 12, 2018 at 12:00 AM

MJ

“ I am sorry for your loss, please accept my sincere condolences. I hope the family will find some comfort and strength in Jesus promise of the earthly resurrection(Acts 24:15)and the renewed Paradise earth, where death will be no more and no family will mourn the death of a loved one.-Revelation 21:3,4;John 5:28,29;Luke 23:43. may GOD(Psalms 83:18)grant you peace and comfort now, during this grievous time.-Matthew 5:4.

M Jones - March 12, 2018 at 12:00 AM

IR

“ Sorry for your loss of a loved one. Read Isaiah 41:10 for words of comfort and peace.

Irene - March 12, 2018 at 12:00 AM