



## Linwood Cannon

November 6, 1932 - September 19, 2018

Linwood “Bootsie” Cannon, at the age of 85, passed from this life to eternal reward on Wednesday, September 19, 2018. He was born on November 6, 1932, to the late Charlie James Cannon and India Adams, in Princess Anne, Maryland.

He was educated at Benjamin Banneker and Millsboro Public Schools. He joined the Army and served 2 tours of duty in Korea.

Bootsie was employed at various jobs such as Burris Foods and Townsend Poultry. He retired from Tyson Foods as a Weigh Master.

He was an avid baseball player. He played semi-pro with the Queenstown Tigers, Millsboro Mohawks, and Millsboro Blue Jays as their 3rd baseman. As his playing days came to a close, he utilized his time to help other young boys and girls by becoming a Little League Coach. During his 20 years as the first African American coach of the Millsboro Little League, he won two championships with the Millsboro Cardinals.

Bootsie accepted Christ as his Savior at Dickerson Chapel and held positions of vice-chair of the Steward Board, President of the Trustee Board and sang with the Male Chorus. He led barbeques and Men’s Day with much vigor.

In addition to his parents, he was predeceased by his brother, Charles Cannon Jr.; sisters Estella Ballard, Beatrice Hall; and grandson, Travis Reynolds.

He leaves to cherish his memories, wife Bessie M. Dennis-Cannon; three sons, Linwood Dennis (Brenda) of Delmar, DE, Keith Cannon of Coatesville, PA, and Jeffrey Cannon of Georgetown, DE. seven daughters, Yolanda McMillon (John) of Frankford, DE, Cheryl Rainey (Rev. Michael Rainey) of Oklahoma City, OK, Annette Satchell of Georgetown, DE, Trina Ennis (Eston) of Laurel, DE, Jerrilyn Holmes (James) of Millsboro, DE, Regina Hailey (Michael) of Atlanta, GA, and Jensen Maclin (Jarrad) of Stockbridge, GA; 15 grandchildren; 33 great-grandchildren; one great-great grandchild; one special cousin, Elizabeth Holbrook, and a host of nieces, nephews, and fr  
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# Tribute Wall

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 - September 29, 2018 at 12:54 PM

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“ On behalf of the Taylor family, I would like to express our deepest condolences to the Cannon Family. Trust in God and lean not to your own understanding. Be of good courage; God will continue to take care of you. May God continue to Comfort and Bless each and everyone of you.\r\n

Sebrena G. Taylor - September 27, 2018 at 03:18 PM

FM

“ Jeneen, \r\n\r\nWishing you some small comfort in this time of sorrow.

Frank and Jean Muchel - September 25, 2018 at 02:03 PM

LB

“ On behalf of Pastor Gary M. Russell II and the Greater Mt. Pilgrim Baptist Church family of Oklahoma City OK we offer our Deepest Sympathy to Michael and Cheryl Rainey.\r\n May God hold you close in His Comfort.\r\n\r\nSister Linda L. Bennett\r\nAdministrative Assistant

Linda L. Bennett - September 25, 2018 at 01:06 PM

YF

“ Jeneen, We are wishing you peace to bring you comfort, courage to face the days ahead and loving memories to forever hold in your heart. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.

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**Your Wewalka Family** - September 25, 2018 at 09:33 AM

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“ Sorry for your loss of a loved one. Read Isaiah 25:8 for words of comfort and peace.

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**Irene** - September 23, 2018 at 02:17 PM

JO

“ I am so sorry for the loss of your loved one and I would like to extend my deepest condolence to the family. May you find comfort in God's words in (Matthews 5:5).

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**JoyceA** - September 21, 2018 at 04:14 PM

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.

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**M Jones** - September 21, 2018 at 11:56 AM

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“ My dear wife and I would like to extend our condolences for the loss of your loved one with the hope that we can in some small way comfort you with what the Bible reveals to us about GOOD NEWS from Almighty God. \r\n\r\nAs recorded in the Bible, God\u2019s only-begotten son, Jesus promises that one day he is personally going to bring back to life all those who have died, just as he did when he was on earth as a man (John 5:28, 29; 11:43, 44). What a glorious and almost unbelievable day that will be! It\u2019s a reality and a sure hope we can rely on because it is absolutely impossible for God to lie (Titus 1:2; Isaiah 55:10, 11).\r\n\r\nMy wife and I are confident you will be encouraged and comforted by the marvelous hope God has in store for us (Psalm 1:1-3; John 17:3). Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you.\r\n

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**George & Christine Ragusa** - September 21, 2018 at 08:10 AM

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“ Sorry For Your Loss\r\nJesus Loves Me\r\nWe Are Special

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**Thomas Widgeon** - September 20, 2018 at 09:08 PM