



Marvin Avery Matthews

October 16, 1946 - July 11, 2023

Marvin's Life

Marvin Avery Matthews was born on October 16, 1946 in Seaford, Delaware. He was the first born and only son of Dorareno Savage. Marvin, or Butch, as he was affectionately known by his loved ones, passed away on July 11, 2023, at the age of seventy-six (76). He died peacefully with his beloved wife Susan by his side.

Marvin retired from Penco Warehouse in Seaford, Delaware as a shift supervisor in 2007, after thirty (30) years of dedicated employment. He was a devoted husband and loving father to 5 daughters and to one very special granddaughter, whom he loved and raised as his very own.

Marvin loved being outdoors and seemed happiest when he was outside mowing the lawn, raking leaves or simply sitting on the step enjoying nature. Although a man of few words, his voice was powerful, and when he spoke, his family knew and understood exactly what he meant. Always do your best... To Be Your Best!

Marvin has 5 sisters, Cliftonette Ricketts (Mike) of Delaware, Beverly Ogundare (Frank) of Delaware, Katrina Brown (John) of Delaware, Sherita Brown (Michael) of Florida, and Kimberly Savage of Maryland. He was preceded in death by his mother, Dorareno Savage, daughter, Tracey

Vanessa Purnell, and his loving grandparents, Emory and Wavey Laws.

Marvin is survived by and leaves to cherish memories: his loving wife, Susan of fifty-five (55) years; daughters, Sandra Hall (Rick) of Oklahoma, Patricia Anim Addo (Sheldon) of Delaware, Nichole Morton (Lamont) of Maryland, Jacqueline Spence (Tim) of Delaware, and Ashley Matthews (Maryland); 12 grandchildren; 12 great grandchildren and a host of nieces and nephews.

Rest in peace to a loving husband, father, and pop-pop. Although you are not physically here with us anymore, you will remain in our hearts forever. May you be granted the peace you deserve.

Lovingly Submitted,
Your wife, daughters, and grandkids

Tribute Wall

KV

“ *Kathleen Viens sent a virtual gift in memory of Marvin Avery Matthews*



Kathleen Viens - February 07, 2024 at 02:38 PM

PA

“ *Happy Thanksgiving Day Daddy. Our family will gather today, and though you will not be with us in the flesh your presence will be all around us.*

*We Love you Daddy
Happy Thanksgiving
Your daughter
Patricia*

Patricia Anim-Addo - November 23, 2023 at 10:06 AM

SA

“ *You will be greatly miss.*

*Love you Dad
Your Son in Law
Sheldon*

Sheldon Anim-Addo - July 29, 2023 at 03:03 PM

JE

“ It's hard to face your gone thank you for all the love and encouragement you gave me. I'll always love you like a dad. I know you have beautiful angel wings and are up there smiling. I'll never forget you and mrs Matthew's coming to the school with me and my best friend aka sister Ashley and having food with us. You will be missed by many but never forget. We love you



Jeanne - July 29, 2023 at 10:30 AM

KV

His singing was beautiful as I heard him on the Jimmy Swaggart CLASSICS and the way he sang putting so much emotion into it was truly unbelievable and I wish I knew him. Now he's with JESUS.

Kathleen Viens - February 07, 2024 at 02:35 PM

HA

“ I surely will miss you daddy. Another angel gain his wings. The man that started the foundation and gave us the tools to fix any situation thank you Your job is finished on this side may you rest now .Gone but never FORGOTTEN

Hallcassandra656@gmail.com - July 20, 2023 at 02:45 PM

MB

“ Marchelle Butler lit a candle in memory of Marvin Avery Matthews



Marchelle Butler - July 19, 2023 at 02:00 PM

PA

“ *I miss you Daddy*



Patricia Anim-Addo - July 19, 2023 at 07:42 AM

JS

“ *Jacqueline Spence lit a candle in memory of Marvin Avery Matthews*



Jacqueline Spence - July 18, 2023 at 10:42 PM

JS

“ *I love you daddy!*
Jackie



Jacqueline Spence - July 18, 2023 at 10:33 PM

JS

I love you daddy!
Jackie

Jacqueline Spence - July 18, 2023 at 10:35 PM

MH

“ *Minister Ricky Hall lit a candle in memory of Marvin Avery Matthews*



Minister Ricky Hall - July 18, 2023 at 08:59 PM

MH

Keeping the family I'm prayer

Minister Ricky Hall - July 18, 2023 at 10:46 PM

MH

Correction keeping the family in prayer 🙏

Minister Ricky Hall - July 18, 2023 at 10:47 PM

PA

“ *You Never Said Goodbye*

You never said I'm leaving, you never said Goodbye.

You were gone before I knew it and only God knew why.

If love alone could have saved you, you never would have died.

In life I loved you dearly, in death I love ❤️ you still.

In my heart you hold a place, that no one could ever fill.

It broke my heart to lose you, but you didn't go alone.

For part of me went with you, the day God took you home.

Author Unknown

I Miss you Daddy 😞

Love your Daughter

Pat

Patricia Anim-Addo - July 18, 2023 at 06:30 PM

PA

“ Thank you Daddy for loving and caring for me. Thank you for accepting me for me. Thank you for being the strong man you were and will always be to me.

Most of all Thank you for beingt he best father a girl could ever have.

Not a day will go by that I don't look up and know your looking down on us from heaven.

You will be greatly missed.

I Love You

Your Daughter
Pat

Patricia Anim-Addo - July 18, 2023 at 06:14 PM

AM

“ Hi Daddy,

I will miss us having ice cream ever night at 8. I will miss our trips to Dollar Tree.

I miss you so much.

Love your daughter
Ashley

Ashley Matthews - July 18, 2023 at 06:03 PM