



Daniel David Bowles

April 1, 1931 - June 4, 2020

Daniel David Bowles, who was affectionately known as Sonny, passed away at the age of 89 on June 4, 2020. The youngest of 17 children, Sonny was born on April 1, 1931 to James Robert Bowles and Laura Lee Bigsby in Ashburn, Virginia. In High School, his skills in basketball were impressive and he shined on the court. At the age of 20, he accepted Jesus Christ as his Lord and Savior, and was baptized at Emmanuel Baptist Church in Wash., D.C. The next year he married his sweetheart, Evelyn Grace Montague. Sonny and Evelyn made their home in Washington, D.C. In their marriage, they produced two beautiful children. Later in life, Sonny and Evelyn, who is known as Babe by those who love her, traveled across the nation in their Ford Conversion van.

In 1952, Sonny joined the U.S. Army where he rose to the rank of Corporal. He was honorably discharged in 1954 after returning from the Korean War. Mr. Bowles continued on in the United States Reserves until 1961. He worked the Montague Fuel Oil Co., the Best Foods SuperMarket, and then at the Federal Bureau of Engraving as a Special Police Officer until he retired. Sonny was a self-taught musician who played the guitar, loved the Wonky-Tonk sound and the smooth rhythm of jazz. Sonny had a knack of finding ways to make money. He repaired TV's and radios, and was Uber before there was such a thing called Uber or Lyft!

The Homegoing will be held June 17th at Marshall-March Funeral Home in Suitland, Md at 11 AM and will be streamed live from their website (go to marshallmarchfh.com and search for Daniel Bowles). The viewing is from 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM. Services will start at 3:00 PM.

Cemetery

**Cheltenham Veterans
Cemetery**
11301 Crain Hwy
Cheltenham, MD, 20623

Events

JUN 17	Visitation	01:00PM - 03:00PM
	Marshall-March Funeral Homes - Prince George's County 4308 Suitland Road, Suitland, MD, US, 20746	
JUN 17	Service	03:00PM
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Comments



“ To View the Webcast of the Funeral for Daniel David Bowles, Please Click the Link below.



Marshall-March Funeral Homes - June 16 at 04:10 PM



“ I remember Uncle Sonny as a very quiet man. He always had a smile on his face. He reminds me of my Father Eugene Whiting Sr. Rest In Peace! Prayers to our family!!

Lillian (Fran) Whiting-Lewis - June 17 at 01:27 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Daniel David Bowles.



June 15 at 12:39 PM



“ We never had the opportunity to meet Daniel Bowles, but he must have been a great man to raise such a great son. All of the family is in our Prayers.

David Pierce - June 11 at 07:54 PM



“ We were saddened to hear of the passing of your father, and loved one. Please know you are in our thoughts and prayers. With love,
The Singleton Family

Sandra Singleton - June 11 at 03:03 PM



“ We are saddened to learn about your family loss. May the God of all comfort help to ease the pain of your grief. Thinking of you all.

Evans family - June 09 at 05:22 AM



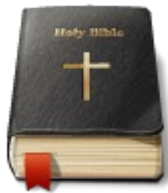
“ My prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time. I remember meeting your Dad at church and he was so gentle and gracious. God is calling home he's "seasoned" saints and we know he's in a better place now. Keep his memory alive.

Much love,
Kelly & Kameron Vaughn

K. Vaughn - June 08 at 09:47 PM



“ Sorry For Your Loss
Jesus Christ Loves Me
We Love You



Thomas Widgeon - June 08 at 05:31 AM



“ We the March Family and Marshall-March Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.

Marshall-March Funeral Homes - June 06 at 09:32 AM