



## Rev Dr. Arthur Stroud Sr.

June 22, 1943 - July 25, 2020

“TO EVERY THING THERE IS A SEASON, AND A TIME TO EVERY PURPOSE UNDER THE HEAVEN:”

Dr. Stroud was known for his interest in outreach to the community. His outreach ministries included: encouragement in implementing the Saturday Church School in the 37th Place Neighborhood (encouraging children to become involved in church activities), assisting Minister Ronald Greenfield and others with implementing the Burrito and Ice Cream Evangelism Ministry, held on the Church parking lot, serving all ages of community participants. Dr. Stroud bridged the connection between St. Judah Spiritual Church and Upper Room, encouraging joint worship during Christmas and Thanksgiving each year. He encouraged and helped to implement worship services at the Allen House Senior Citizen Home each first Sunday. He instituted evangelism at the service station across the street from Upper Room. Dr. Stroud encouraged Upper Room Baptist Church to visit other churches for revival service. He instituted the Food Pantry, a ministry designed to help feed those in the community who need food. He also encouraged church and local community connection with the Civic Association, having Evangelist Johnson become liaison for this ministry. Dr. Stroud recommended and ordained Brother Larry Newsome as Deacon on July 12, 2009.

Dr. Stroud always took time to remind each parishioner of the seriousness and holiness involved in carrying out the Communion Ordinance. Each time he

administered Communion Service, he built in a quiet wait moment for each parishioner to focus on the purpose before partaking of the sacraments.

Dr. Stroud conducted and participated in workshops held for the growth of the Church. Dr. Stroud found much joy in attending the Adult Sunday School Class taught by Deacon Knight.

Dr. Stroud was the epitome of warmth and friendship. He refused to allow anyone to leave his presence without a smile or a good laugh. His smile and laughter would fill an entire room. Dr. Stroud earned respect through genuine love for people.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Samuel and Ruby Pate Stroud; brother, Jimmy Stroud, Sr. (Barbara), aunts, Fannie Mae Pate Allen, Elnora Pate Lockhart, Julia Pate Green, and Irine Pate; uncles, Curtis Pate, Rufus Pate, James Pate, Charlie Lockhart, Charlie Allen, Albert Kendall and James Green, niece, Ruby Green.

Dr. Stroud leaves to mourn his memory: his wife D. Walette Stroud; son Arthur Stroud, Jr.; daughter Clarrissa Stroud-Kemp; three granddaughters: Taylor and Tia Stroud, Peyton Kemp and one grandson, Korey Stroud; sisters: Patricia (Charles) Walker of Thomaston, Georgia, Dr. Kay (Clarence) Eady of Albany, Georgia; brothers: Nathaniel (Sylvia) Stroud of Thomaston, Georgia; Dennis (LolaGrace) Stroud, Sr., of Dublin, Georgia; Benny McFarlin of Atlanta, Georgia; nieces: Wyketa (Alex) Shipman, Shayla (Brian) Read, Amber Eady, Vedra Folsom, Rickesha Stroud, Tameka Quiller, Rycki Walker, Tia Jose ; nephews: Kelsey Miller, Sr., Ashley Eady, Dennis (Brittney) Stroud, Jr., Jimmy Stroud, Jr., Mark Stroud, Bilai Stroud, Brent Quiller; great-nieces and great nephews, cousins, sister-in-law, Robin Mumford, God children, church family and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## **Quantico National Cemetery**

Triangle, VA

# Tribute Wall



“ *Rev Dr. Arthur Stroud Sr.*

October 23, 2023 at 08:15 AM



“ *Arthur was a kind and genpassing. He spoke fondly of his Mother Ruby all the time. Loved his grandchildren, but most of all he loved the Lord with his entire being. I am so sorry to hear of Arthur's passing. I was trying to contact him recently and just discovered that he passed away. He is with the Lord and looking down and watching over you all. My sincerest condolences to the entire family.*



**Sharon** - June 04, 2021 at 05:50 AM



“ *I am sorry to hear of this. My deepest sympathy to the entire Stroud and Walker families.*



**Ezra Worthy** - August 21, 2020 at 01:57 PM



“ *Sorry for your loss your family will be in my prayers*

**Gloria thirnton** - August 10, 2020 at 04:57 PM

AL

“ Rest in heaven my dear cousin, I know you have everyone laughing with that great sense of humor you have. Love, Artis

Artis Lary - August 08, 2020 at 09:24 PM

KM

“ To the family: you all have our sincere condolences and will be in our prayers 🙏💙🙏

kahlita and Lorna Morgan - August 07, 2020 at 05:34 PM

PW

“ We never ended a conversation without expressing our love to each other. I love you brother and always will.



Patricia Stroud Walker - August 07, 2020 at 03:53 PM

AG

“ Sending condolences to the Stroud's family in the passing of their beloved brother. Uncle,cousin.

Annie Grant - August 07, 2020 at 12:00 PM



“ I am sure am going to miss you, Uncle Sonny, but I believe you're in a better place now. Rest in peace and thank you for being such a blessing to our entire family. I'll cherish the memories.

Love you always,  
Lee, Alex, Madison and Treyson

Wyketa Shipman - August 07, 2020 at 10:29 AM

TL

“ Teresa Leffson lit a candle in memory of Rev Dr. Arthur Stroud Sr.



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**Teresa Leffson** - August 05, 2020 at 05:57 PM

PW

“ I will love you always big brother and keep you close in my heart. We will forever miss you but we know that you are in your new home. Until we meet again.  
Rest in Heavenly Peace. Your Sister, Patricia

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**Patricia Stroud Walker** - August 02, 2020 at 01:39 PM

PW

“ Patricia Stroud Walker lit a candle in memory of Rev Dr. Arthur Stroud Sr.



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**Patricia Stroud Walker** - August 02, 2020 at 01:30 PM

TW

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



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**Thomas Widgeon** - August 01, 2020 at 07:39 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.

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**Marshall-March Funeral Homes** - July 31, 2020 at 06:49 PM