



## Kenneth W. Crandell Jr.

November 28, 1984 - September 19, 2012

Kenneth Wal'let Crandell, Jr., 28, of Clinton Maryland, went home to be with his Heavenly Father on September 19, 2012. Ken, Jr., or Kenny, as he was fondly called, was born on November 28, 1984.

Kenneth graduated from Spotsylvania High School in Fredericksburg, VA in 2003. He joined the U.S. Navy in 2003, and was honorably discharged in November 2011. He was a full-time student at the University of Maryland, pursuing a degree in Computer Technology.

Kenneth was a member of the Rough Riders-R Motorcycle Club. He was also a Founder and Member of Spirit of Love and Deliverance Baptist Church.

Kenneth is survived by his parents, Rev. Raymond and C. LaVerne Bell of Clinton, MD, Kenneth Crandell, Sr. and Rosalind Crandell, of Richmond, Virginia; one sister, Shawn Dillo; one daughter, Esperanza Williams-Crandell, and a host of other relatives and friends.

The wake will take place at Marshall March Funeral Home, (4308 Suitland Road, Suitland, Maryland, (301) 736-1616) on Friday, September 28th from 6-9 p.m. The viewing and funeral service will be on Saturday, September 29th; viewing from 8-9am and funeral starting at 9 a.m. at Faith Missionary Baptist Church, 9161 Hampton Overlook, Capitol Heights, Maryland, telephone

number (301) 350-2200.

# Cemetery Details

## Trinity Baptist Church Cemetery

Westpoint, VA

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP 28. 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Marshall-March Funeral Homes - Prince George's County  
4308 Suitland Road  
Suitland, MD 20746  
(301) 736-1616  
info@marchfh.com  
<https://www.marshallmarchfh.com>

## Visitation

SEP 29. 8:00 AM - 9:00 AM (ET)

Miracle Center of Faith Missionary Baptist Church  
9161 Hampton Overlook  
Capitol Heights, MD

## Service

SEP 29. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

Miracle Center of Faith Missionary Baptist Church  
9161 Hampton Overlook  
Capitol Heights, MD



# Tribute Wall



“ *Kenneth W. Crandell Jr.*

October 23, 2023 at 08:15 AM



“ *Kenneth, I reflect back to when you stood with my son as a Jr. Deacon at Potomac Baptist Church. Michael admired you and your family. Pastor and Mrs Bell, my deepest sympathy during this difficult time. Michael , Steven, Ms. Inez Johnson and myself hold you dearly in our hearts.  
To his Rough Riders MC family, this type of loss is always most painful, I share in your grief.  
Arlette Williams, VP  
BSMC, Richmond, VA Chapter  
NABSTMC*

**Arlette Williams & Family** - September 27, 2012 at 04:11 PM



“ *Arlette Williams & Family lit a candle in memory of Kenneth W. Crandell Jr.*



**Arlette Williams & Family** - September 27, 2012 at 03:48 PM

BS

“ TO KENNY,

*The rays of light filtered through, the collection of trees this morning. I sat in the garden and contemplated. The serenity and beauty of my feelings and surroundings completely captivated me. I thought of you.*

*I discovered you tucked away in the shadows of the trees.  
Then, I rediscovered you in the smiles of the flowers as the sun penetrated their petals  
In the rhythm of the leaves falling in the garden, In the freedom of the birds as they fly searching as you do.*

*I'm very happy to have found you, now you will never leave me  
For I will always find you in the beauty of life.*

*To My Pastor and My Beloved First Lady, words can express so much and this poem is just a hint of the LOVE I have for first OUR LORD AND SAVIOR "JESUS CHRIST" but for the both of you.*

*Becky*

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**Becky Sorrels** - September 27, 2012 at 03:10 AM



“ *I had the distinct pleasure of working with Kenny on the ship, and he had a confidence about him that was easy to spot, and a loyalty to others that you cannot find easily. Even though we may have lost him in this world, his memory will live on forever. There will always be a special place in my mind for the YN2 that I would always call my shipmate. -Law Rocket, Glen Burnie, MD.*

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**Darrell Larocque** - September 26, 2012 at 07:29 PM

BD

“ *Barbara Dorsey lit a candle in memory of  
Kenneth W. Crandell Jr.*



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**Barbara Dorsey** - September 25, 2012 at 11:23 PM

BF

*Forever in our hearts Ken will stay  
Even though he's gone away.  
We'll always keep him near and dear  
Remembering him we'll shed a tear.  
But we know it's best this way  
God called, Ken answered on his day.  
He is free from this world, now we know  
Such a special place he got to go.  
All your memories will keep you warm  
Will comfort through all the storms  
Memories of the love you shared  
The way you loved him the way you cared.*

*God be with you at this time and give you strength to bear your loss.  
May His love impart the peace and understanding that brings comfort  
to you all. I love you.*

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**Barbara Dorsey & family** - September 25, 2012 at 11:53 PM

AG

“ *Kenny I will always miss you and love you  
forever. You were the best bro to have on any  
deployment or life period. You will always be  
missed and you will never be forgotten. You  
will have a place in everyone's heart forever.*

*Until we meet again brother. Rest in peace Brother. My prayers  
goes out to your baby girl, your sweet family and you.*

*Aj-Jax, FL.*



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**April Jean Gooderham** - September 25, 2012 at 08:38 PM

MW

“ 1 file added to the album Friends and Extended "Family"



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**Michelle Washington** - September 25, 2012 at 01:24 PM

MW

“ *Gone too soon.....gone too soon. We will never know why but trust that we will reunite again one day.*

*Michelle & Michael*



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**Michelle Washington** - September 25, 2012 at 01:17 PM

AJ

“ *I will always remember you as being the funny guy that could out joke me. You taught me alot in a short span of time. You will never be forgotten.*

*Alisha*

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**Alisha M. Jones** - September 25, 2012 at 12:49 PM



“ 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** - September 25, 2012 at 07:32 AM

FC

*LaVerne you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. Flordeen*

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**Flordeen R. Cabiness** - September 25, 2012 at 08:56 AM

YS

*Our prayers and thoughts are for you and your family. We pray that with time the memories of your son's life will remain in your heart without sorrow but with the love and joy that he left behind for you to cherish. May God continue to bless and comfort you.*

*Yvonne & Haywood Stewart*

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**Yvonne Stewart** - September 25, 2012 at 10:52 PM

SL

*Rev. and Mrs. Bell, you and your family are in our prayers in this difficult time.*

*Sandra Lewis and family  
2850 Tavern Run Rd.  
Hague, Va. 22469*

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**Sandra Lewis** - September 26, 2012 at 06:26 AM

MJ

*To my former Pastor and First Lady, we (Debra & Moses Jones, are sadden by the news of your son. We are praying for you.*

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**Moses Jones** - September 26, 2012 at 10:58 AM

SL

*Rev. and Mrs. Bell, our hearts are with you at this difficult time.*

*Sandra Lewis and sons*

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**sandra lewis** - September 27, 2012 at 02:58 PM

SL

*Rev. and Mrs. Bell, The Potomac Church family grives with you'll in the passing of Ken Jr. We will remember the times we shared with him.*

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**sandra lewis** - September 27, 2012 at 03:00 PM