



Raymond E. Butts, Jr.

November 8, 1959 - February 8, 2021

Raymond Earl Butts, Jr., 61, of Accokeek, MD, died Monday, February 8, 2021. Born on November 8, 1959, in Bethlehem, PA, he was the son of the late Raymond Earl Butts, Sr. and Vivian Williams Butts. He received both his B.A. and MBA from the University of Phoenix. He proudly served his community and his country in U.S. Army until 1985. Ray was a Systems Engineer with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency and the principal broker and owner of BRT Realty.

He is survived by daughters, Erica (Michael) Forbes of Manhattan, KS, Shanel Butts of Clinton, MD, Briana (John) Thomas of Capitol Heights, MD; sister, Sharon R. King of Fresh Meadows, NY; grandsons, Isaiah Michael and Elijah Michael Forbes, Manhattan, KS; granddaughters, Ava Brielle Thomas and Tamiyah Baker, Capitol Heights, MD; nephew, Derek King Jr., Newark, DE; fiancé Sadari English, Chester, PA and a host of family and friends. The family wishes to express their gratitude for the care and compassion provided by the Adventist HealthCare Fort Washington Medical Center staff during Ray's illness.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB **19**. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Bethlehem Baptist
2458 MLK Jr. Ave SE

Service

FEB **19**. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Raymond E. Butts, Jr.*

October 23, 2023 at 08:15 AM



“ *Please accept my sincere condolences for your loss, cherish your memories!*



Linda Hazelton - February 19, 2021 at 02:05 PM



“ *Brother Raymond Butts*

*Your Legacy will carry-on because of everything you have contributed in your lifetime, may God Bless and look over you, may he comfort your loved ones and may they always realize that the love you have shared will always be here in our hearts.
My Sincere Condolences to the Butts Family.*

Yolanda Edwards-Brown/WM PH#5 - February 19, 2021 at 12:00 PM

JD

“ Sending prayers of Comfort and the peace with God's strength to my family, Sharon, Erica, Shanel, Briana and Dereck. Thank you for sharing Ray with us for allowing us Thomas and Mazel Taylor children who are really the cousins to be the Brothers and Sisters. From my Husband Pastor Tyrone Dillard I will never forget how you walked my wife down the isle. I'm so blessed to have known you and thank you for accepting me and the help you extended to me and my wife. I will never forget you my brother-in-law Ray Butts. Today is tough...BUT GOD will see the family through.



Jacinta Taylor Dillard - February 19, 2021 at 10:11 AM

NH

“ May GOD continue to keep his loving arms around your family as you celebrate your love one's homegoing.

Norma J Hood, Prince Hall #5



Norma J. Hood - February 19, 2021 at 07:30 AM

CV

“ May God wrap each of you in his loving arm and provide you comfort in knowing that your father and fiancée is in a much better place. My prayers are with you. RIP Ray Butts
Catrice Vandross and Family



Catrice Vandross - February 18, 2021 at 04:51 PM

AR

“ *Sending prayers and condolences to you. I was deeply saddened to learn of Ray's passing. I enjoyed working with Ray at the Environmental Center in Fort Meade, Md. I could always count on Ray for providing excellent, prompt, knowledgeable service. My standing joke with him was "everybody loves Raymond" after the television show. His reply back to me was "not everybody" and we would both laugh. We worked together for about 20 years. I will miss him at the building. Be blessed, comforted and stay well.*

*Whatever my lot, you have taught me to say, it is well with my soul.
Amen*

Al Robertson - February 18, 2021 at 04:04 PM

PP

“ *Sharon, Erica, Shanel, Briana and Dereck, thank you so very much for sharing Ray with us and allowing us to bond with our beloved cousin as a dear brother. Ray, helped us Taylor children to really appreciate family. May God continue to strengthen each of you, provide comfort during this difficult time and remain a close knit family that he would be proud of. We are praying now and always.
Paula Taylor Price and Family*



Paula Price - February 17, 2021 at 02:05 PM

TH

“ *A Prayer of Empathy for Sharon, Erica, Shanel, Briana and Derek*



Praying the Lord will tenderly hold you in His loving arms and comfort you with His peace that passes understanding. May He give you strength to face each day and wisdom for all the decisions you will face. May you be surrounded with caring friends and family to support you during this difficult time. May God's mercy and grace be yours. You're in our thoughts and prayers with heartfelt sympathy. We Love You Ray 💔 Overseer Timothy and Della Taylor Hicks

Timothy & Della Hicks - February 13, 2021 at 10:02 PM

TW

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



Thomas Widgeon - February 13, 2021 at 06:19 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.*

Marshall-March Funeral Homes - February 12, 2021 at 06:07 PM