



John Wilbur McConnell Sr.

September 12, 1932 - August 1, 2020

John Wilbur McConnell, Sr., age 87 of White Plains, Maryland, passed away on August 1, 2020. Born on September 12, 1932 in Richmond, Virginia, he was the son of the late Johnnie Wilbur McConnell and Elizabeth Long Lynch.

John served in the Air Force from 1951-1955 and received numerous medals to include National Defense Service Medal, Korean Service Medal, United Nations Service Medal, and a Good Conduct Medal. He went on to work as a State Highway Supervisor and the Asphalt Industry. He was also an avid reader and read the Bible daily.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his sister, Willamenia Carson.

He is survived by his former wife of 34 years, Carol McConnell; his sister, Juanita Knight of Lunenburg, Virginia; his children, Susan Hills of Baltimore, Maryland, John McConnell, Jr. (Joyce) of La Plata, Maryland, Rebecca Foley of Baltimore, Maryland, Jacqueline Persinger of Macon, Georgia, Karen Lopez-Major (David) of Hartwood, Virginia, Kimberly Curtin (Brad) of King George, Virginia, Cyndi Barron (Chad) of Newburg, Maryland; and numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Visitation on Wednesday, August 19, 2020 from 9AM until time of Funeral

Service at 10:15AM at Raymond Funeral Service Chapel, 5635 Washington Avenue, La Plata, Maryland 20646. Interment to follow at 11:15AM at Maryland Veterans Cemetery, 11301 Crain Highway, Cheltenham, Maryland 20623.

Memorial contributions in John's name may be sent to Meals on Wheels.

Face masks are required for all services and social distancing is to be observed with limited attendance.

Cemetery Details

MD Veterans Cemetery - Cheltenham, MD

11301 Crain Highway
Cheltenham, MD 20623

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 19. 9:00 AM - 10:15 AM (ET)

Raymond Funeral Chapel
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Tribute Wall



“ *John Wilbur McConnell Sr.*

October 08, 2023 at 10:45 PM



“ *John Wilbur McConnell Sr.*

October 04, 2023 at 03:12 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of John Wilbur McConnell Sr..*



August 18, 2020 at 03:32 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of John Wilbur McConnell Sr..*



August 17, 2020 at 02:42 PM



“ *"The Old Rugged Cross 30" Rose Gold Sonnet C hime was purchased for the family of John Wilbur McConnell Sr..*



August 17, 2020 at 02:38 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of John Wilbur McConnell Sr..*



August 16, 2020 at 12:15 PM



“ *America the Beautiful was purchased for the family of John Wilbur McConnell Sr..*



August 06, 2020 at 11:38 AM



“ *America the Beautiful was purchased for the family of John Wilbur McConnell Sr..*



August 06, 2020 at 11:27 AM

DW

“ *Mr. McConnell was a true gentleman of the old school, soft-spoken, always with a smile, impeccable manners of the south, genuine interest in who he was speaking with, and always with a twinkle in his eye. Even on times when I failed to see him, he went out of his way to speak and chat with me. His passing will create a huge void in many lives but none so much as that of his wonderful wife and children. But that will be filled by a plethora of beautiful and exceptional memories keeping him with his loved ones forever!*

David (The General) Wright #86

David B. Wright - August 06, 2020 at 10:40 AM

SG

“ *I am so sorry to hear of the passing of your Dad, John. My deepest sympathy to you and your family. May he rest in peace*

Sam Graves - August 05, 2020 at 09:29 PM

MR

“ *Mirenda Robertson-Friend/Coworker purchased the Small Garden Dish for the family of John Wilbur McConnell Sr..*



Mirenda Robertson-Friend/Coworker - August 05, 2020 at 11:00 AM

DA

“ *He wasn't her*

He was my Daddy. I love him still.

Daughter/Rebecca - August 04, 2020 at 06:57 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of John Wilbur McConnell Sr..*



August 04, 2020 at 06:09 PM

DP

“ *Destiny Persinger lit a candle in memory of John Wilbur McConnell Sr.*



Destiny Persinger - August 04, 2020 at 06:09 PM

RS

“ *Robin Satkowsk lit a candle in memory of John Wilbur McConnell Sr.*



Robin Satkowsk - August 04, 2020 at 04:17 PM

RS

I will miss hearing your voice every Tuesday. Love your neice, Robin

Robin Satkowsk - August 04, 2020 at 04:20 PM

ER

You will live on forever in the hearts of those who love you. Rest with your Lord John.

Eloise Rowe - August 14, 2020 at 11:05 PM