



Arthur Duhart

January 5, 1934 - August 23, 2014

Arthur Duhart was born on January 5, 1934 in Sanford, Florida. He is the oldest of four children born to the late Coreatha and Arthur Duhart.

Arthur, affectionately known as "Man", was educated in Seminole County Schools. At an early age he became a member of Second Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church in Sanford, Florida.

Arthur was united in Holy Matrimony on March 18, 1950 with Geneva Walker. To this union four children were born, Arthur III, Robert, Grant and Renee. Thereafter, Arthur was blessed again with the birth of another son Emerson. Arthur moved to Trenton, New Jersey in preparation for building a life for his family. Driven by his entrepreneurial spirit, he had his eyes set on a better life and moved his family to Brooklyn, New York, where he was employed with Blue Ribbon Produce Company.

Throughout his life, Arthur established numerous enterprises, including a restaurant on Sumner Avenue, culminating with "Artie's" on Empire Boulevard and Bedford Avenue in Brooklyn, New York. Artie's featured the largest Christmas Tree Distribution Center in Brooklyn, The Distribution Center was a featured story every year in the Brooklyn newspaper, "The Daily News" during the Christmas season. That is why Arthur was known city wide as a "Master Entrepreneur" living by the motto- "The Customer Is King".

On May 14, 1983, Arthur was united in Holy Matrimony with Beverly Hooper. Arthur and Beverly began their journey in Brooklyn, New York and eventually settled down in Tobyhanna, Pennsylvania (Poconos). Arthur was employed

with Walmart in the produce department.

Despite their love for the Poconos, Arthur and Beverly eventually decided to move to West Mifflin, Pennsylvania, where he continued to work in produce at Walmart until his retirement. During this time, Arthur received numerous awards and recognition of excellence for outstanding service.

In 2012, Arthur met and developed a special relationship with Pastor Williams of First Baptist Church of West Mifflin and was led by Pastor Williams to receive Christ as his personal Savior.

During his leisure, Arthur loved spending time with his family, golfing, and fishing. He developed his love for golf while caddying at the Lake Mary Country Club with lifelong friend Robert Walker, Sr. He looked forward to the Master's Tournament every year and followed every round meticulously.

Furthermore, his love for his family was immense. For many years, during his vacation, he would drive from Pennsylvania to spend January and February with his beloved sister Mabel in his childhood home of Sanford, Florida.

Arthur will be remembered as a master entrepreneur, teacher, loving husband, father, grandfather and great-grandfather who would travel to spend time with his children after his retirement. He was a disciplinarian who focused on education and building character for his children and those around him. He freely taught other business owners the essence of entrepreneurship and taught many of the future business owners in our family how to establish and maintain a successful business.

Arthur was preceded in death by his parents, son Arthur III and beloved mother-in-law Hattie Lucky Hooper. He leaves to cherish his memory; his loving wife Beverly, children Gregory (Kimberlia), Grant (Cheryl), Renee (Francis), Emerson (Sonay), and daughter-in-law Sheila: grandchildren, Arthur IV, Chaneta, Gregory Jr., Erika, Daryl, Chioma, Chyanne and Alije; great-grandchild Zaniya; sister Mabel Barnes (Melvin), brothers, Charles and Fred Duhart, along with a host of nieces, nephews and friends.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **28**. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church of West Mifflin
3427 Cypress Street
West Mifflin, PA 15122

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Arthur Duhart*

January 29, 2023 at 12:45 PM



“ *Arthur Duhart*

January 29, 2023 at 10:10 AM



“ *May you always have fond memories of your loved one for comfort during this most emotional time. Soon, losing our loved ones in death will be eradicated - Revelation 21:3,4.*

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