



## **Mr. William Marcelus Major, Sr.**

June 4, 1967 - April 13, 2019

### A Time to Be Born.....

William Marcelus Major, Sr. was born on June 4, 1967 in Suffolk, Virginia to the late Carl Major and the late Alice Graves Major.

### A Time to Every Purpose Under the Heaven.....

Marcel was educated in Smithfield Public Schools. As a young boy, he developed strong work ethics and understood that nothing worth having comes easy. After serving in the Air Force, Marcel attended Stroyer University. His love for graphic designs led him to study program and Web Development. He went on to pursue a career as a Frontend Developer. Marcel designed web pages and apps for Tidewater Finance. He often would design web pages for his family in his spare time. At an early age Marcel joined Union Bethel AME Church where he sung in the Junior Choir.

### A Time to Love....

Twenty-five years ago, Marcel met Blonnell McIntosh. To this union were two boys, William Marcellus Major, Jr. and Bobby Tyrique Major. He was passionate about spending time with his family. Family time was sacred time for Marcel, for time spent with his family was one of his happiest moments. Family vacations, family gatherings and family anything he was there. Marcel's pastime included rooting for the Dallas Cowboys NFL Team, hunting, fishing and restoring his conquest.

A Time of Homegoing....

On April 13, 2019, God took him from his earthly home. In addition, to his parents, Carl Major, Jr. and Alice Graves Major; his loving grandparents, Carl Major, Sr. and Luverdia Major who reared him; he was preceded in death by his sister, Marie Major and his stepmother, Marion Warren.

A Time to Mourn.....

Marcel leaves to cherish his memories, his loyal partner and wife in kind, Blonnell McIntosh; his children, William Marcellus Major, Jr. and Bobby Tyrique Major of Rocky Mount, NC; his grandson, Kayden Major; his siblings, Darryl Warren (Jennifer), Angela Tookes, Kevin Warren (Angela), Talisha Lambert (Que), Annette Jones Rogers (Jerry), Renita Boone (Terrance), Maloy William, Jr., Theodore Graves; step mother, Annie Major; his mother-in-law, Artensay F. White; sister-in-law, Anastasia "Ann" Chambliss (Lee); brother-in-law, Tony White (Ros), Terrace White (Lorna); a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, family and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Mt. Tabor Church of God in Christ

13468 Waterworks Road  
Smithfield, VA 23430

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **19**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Shivers Funeral Chapel  
12749 Courthouse Hwy.  
Smithfield, VA 23430

## Service

APR **20**. 1:00 PM (ET)

Union Bethel AME Church  
14080 Bethel Church Lane  
Smithfield, VA 23430

# Tribute Wall

TR

“ *This man was a wonderful man and loving. Durning his life we shared wonderful memories. My lover and friend, cell you are missed soooooo much, Tiffany*

Tiffany Robertson - August 05, 2025 at 11:43 AM



“ *Mr. William Marcelus Major, Sr.*

October 06, 2023 at 05:52 AM

JA

“ *Jarvis Atkins lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Marcelus Major, Sr.*



Jarvis atkins - June 13, 2020 at 12:50 PM

TJ

“ *Tisha Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Marcelus Major, Sr.*



Tisha Johnson - December 25, 2019 at 12:04 AM

TJ

“ *Tisha Johnson lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Marcelus Major, Sr.*



Tisha Johnson - December 24, 2019 at 11:36 PM

CS

“ *Congleton Funeral Home And Staff sent a virtual gift in memory of Mr. William Marcelus Major, Sr.*



Congleton Funeral Home and Staff - May 06, 2019 at 01:35 PM

GO

“ *♥♥♥ Rip.....God truly took one of his best. Love always, ♥*



Gorgeous - May 03, 2019 at 09:30 AM

KA

“ *Katrina lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Marcelus Major, Sr.*



Katrina - April 23, 2019 at 09:28 PM

KW

“ *Kristie Watson lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Marcelus Major, Sr.*



Kristie Watson - April 22, 2019 at 09:18 AM

SS

“ *Blonnell, praying strength for you and your family.*



Sandra Sutton - April 20, 2019 at 12:08 AM

TJ

“ *Tracy Jones lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Marcelus Major, Sr.*



Tracy Jones - April 19, 2019 at 03:10 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mr. William Marcelus Major, Sr..*



April 19, 2019 at 08:37 AM



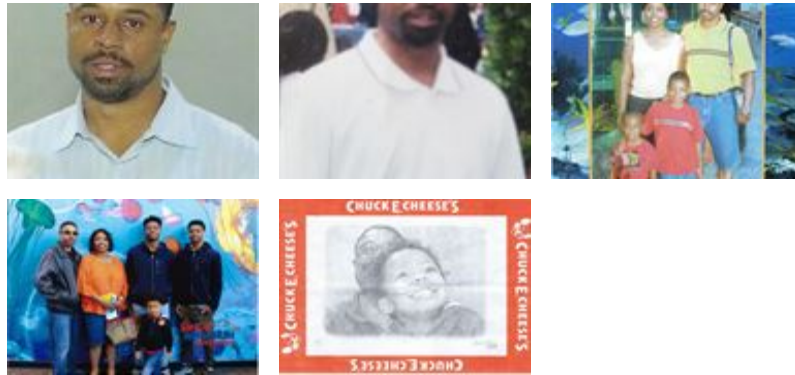
“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mr. William Marcelus Major, Sr..



April 18, 2019 at 02:44 PM



“ 47 files added to the album Life Tributes



Congleton Memorial Mortuary - April 18, 2019 at 02:31 PM



“ Min Dora Cox lit a candle in memory of Mr. William Marcelus Major, Sr.



min dora cox - April 18, 2019 at 01:57 AM