



Reverend Coolidge McCoy

February 10, 1929 - December 31, 2014

Reverend Doctor Coolidge McCoy was born February 10, 1929 first child of the late Bishop Samuel George McCoy, Sr. and the Late Lucretia Allen McCoy. He departed this earthly journey on Wednesday, December 31, 2014. On September 2, 1955 he married Lillian Noble. To this union one child was born Shelia Rena McCoy.

Reverend McCoy was a caring and sharing person, he was all about love and love was the source of his joy so much so the press often wrote articles concerning his love and action.

He used I Corinthians 13 Chapter for his guide as a policeman and preacher. All who knew him were uplifted by his caring attitude.

Reverend McCoy had one brother Samuel George McCoy, Jr. (deceased). He leaves to cherish his memory his wife Lillian Nobles McCoy; one daughter, Shelia Rena Bryant of Columbia, SC; two grand sons, Sean Christopher Bryant and Marcus Bryant of Columbia, SC; one god daughter, Ann Harris of Winston Salem, NC; four sisters, Mabel Landis of Creedmoor, NC, Janice (Lester) Miller of East Orange, NJ, Agnes (Johnny) Maske of Wake Forest, NC and Vivian McCoy of Durham; one sister-in-law, Queenie Upchurch and a host of nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

Funeral service will take place on Tuesday, January 6, 2015 at Peace Missionary Baptist Church, 2608 Nc Highway 55 - Durham, NC - 27713, beginning at 1 p.m. A visitation with family and friends will be held one hour prior to the service.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 6. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Peace Missionary Baptist Church
2608 NC Highway 55
Durham, NC 27713
<http://peacemissionary.org/>

Service

JAN 6. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Reverend Coolidge McCoy*

October 05, 2023 at 11:31 AM



“ *Sarge was always there to offer encouragement during difficult times. I will miss him for now...but will see him again, soon.*

Eric Evenson - July 07, 2016 at 01:25 PM



“ *Hi my name is Kayla and I am a local bible teacher. I am so sorry for the loss of your loved one. There is a very comforting scripture at Isaiah 25:8. It says that soon Jehovah will swallow up death forever and that he will wipe away all of the tears. So we can all look forward to a time when death will be no more. I hope that this scripture can bring some true comfort during these difficult times.*

kayla - January 31, 2015 at 12:31 PM



“ *Prayers of comfort being said for the McCoy family. The Reverend Doctor Coolidge McCoy, was my father's Pastor in Durham NC, and he Officiated at his funeral at First Baptist Church, Franklinton,NC (1988). I have high regards and respect for him, and most of all great memories of his kindness shown to my family in our time of bereavement, May he Rest In Peace with our Heavenly FATHER !!!! Respectfully, Dora K. Coley, Buffalo NY*



Dora Mae K. Coley - January 06, 2015 at 10:00 PM

Nicole
Fogg-
Wilson

“ Just left the beautiful service for Rev. McCoy he was my Pastor at First Baptist Church in Franklinton and baptized me in 1991. I have always treasured his wisdom and love and will NEVER forget his LOVING Spirit! I Pray that with prayer and time the pain will heal for the family and God turn their Sadness To Gladness For His Beautiful Life!! I Love You Rev. McCoy and your will forever live in my heart!!! Rest On Sir!!

Nicole Fogg-Wilson - January 06, 2015 at 02:45 PM

VW

“ My heart goes out to the McCoy Family in the loss of their loved one, Dr. McCoy. A great soldier in God's army has been called from his earthly duties back to Glory. He fought a good fight and he kept the faith. Thank God for the beautiful time on earth that he was given. He shall be missed by many.
Vera Walthour

Vera Walthour - January 06, 2015 at 06:06 AM

BV

“ Brenda Vinson lit a candle in memory of Reverend Coolidge McCoy



Brenda Vinson - January 05, 2015 at 09:52 PM

BV

“ May the memories you hold in your heart bring healing and peace to your soul. "Psalms 23"
Louis H Merritt

Brenda Vinson - January 05, 2015 at 09:46 PM

BV

“ I am so deeply sorry for your loss, Dr. McCoy was a truly special person to me and my family and we will never forget the time he took to offer prayers, visits, and heartfelt thoughts to show us how much he loved us. Truly my heart is heavy, I pray for your peace and healing.

Brenda & James T Vinson

Brenda Vinson - January 05, 2015 at 09:43 PM

SA

“ May you enjoy the memory of this man of God who lived a mighty life in the service of the Lord. As a new member of Peace Baptist I enjoyed the warmth each Sunday of Rev. MCCoy attendance with Sister McCoy. I felt the love of God as you prayed the altar prayer one fine Sunday morning and handshake during the welcome fellowship.

Sister Gilbretta Ashton-Jones , daughter & granddaughter.

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Sister Gilbretta (Jill) Ashton-Jones - January 05, 2015 at 08:25 PM

SA

“ Sister Gilbretta (Jill) Ashton-Jones lit a candle in memory of Reverend Coolidge McCoy



Sister Gilbretta (Jill) Ashton-Jones - January 05, 2015 at 08:13 PM

ET

“ Eric Taylor lit a candle in memory of Reverend Coolidge McCoy



Eric Taylor - January 05, 2015 at 07:47 PM

ET

From my childhood days Rev. McCoy's teaching has been a part of my life. Now as I've grown up he still kept teaching and giving me inspiration to life when I would come to do work and projects, we'll spend the most talking and teaching me about family, health and happiness and giving me confidence and the push to move forward. Mrs. McCoy your call will be respected and if it was his because I know he would want nothing but it done how he showed me too do. God has now another chief to watch over the officers. Physically he's gone but in heart, teaching and taught he's be side us. Mrs. McCoy and family my prayers goes out to us because he was a part of all

Eric Taylor - January 05, 2015 at 08:14 PM

EL

“ I know for certain that we never lose the people we love, even to death. They continue to participate in every act, thought and decision we make. Their love leaves an indelible imprint in our memories. We find comfort in knowing that our lives have been enriched by having shared their love.” (Leo Buscaglia)



“Now may our LORD JESUS CHRIST HIMself, and our GOD and FATHER, WHO has loved us and given us everlasting consolation by good hope by grace, comfort your hearts and establish you in every good word and work.” (2 Thessalonians 2: 16-17)

In Joyful Celebration, Chris and Edith (“Cookie”) Lee

Edith Lee - January 05, 2015 at 05:18 PM

CM

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this difficult time. It was truly a pleasure knowing Coolidge for so many years. He was such a caring and loving person. I will treasure the memories I shared with him when we would meet at Biscuitville on many occasions. My God continue to comfort and strengthen you.

Charles and Mable Miller & Family

Charles Miller - January 05, 2015 at 04:58 PM

RC

“ Rev. Jamil Crosson lit a candle in memory of Reverend Coolidge McCoy



Rev. Jamil Crosson - January 05, 2015 at 02:42 PM

RC

“ The New Liberty Missionary Baptist Church where Dr. McCoy served over a third of his life has paused to reflect on the life and ministry of such a great preacher and leader. Our church is sadden by such a lost be we know that it is heavens gain. Our prayers are with Mother Lillian McCoy and family.

Rev. Jamil and First Lady Renee Crosson

Rev. Jamil Crosson - January 05, 2015 at 02:41 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Reverend Coolidge McCoy.*



January 05, 2015 at 11:08 AM

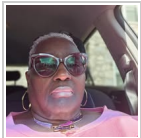


“ *Shelia,
My deepest sympathy and love is extended to you and your Mom. I remember Mr. Coolidge as a wonderful christian man who loved God, his family and community. His legacy will live on in the city of Durham. Be encouraged and know that others share your loss and pray for your peace. Trust in the lord with all your heart!!*



With Love, longtime friend, Dianne Bell-Cotten

Dianne - January 05, 2015 at 09:59 AM



“ *Wanda Cooper lit a candle in memory of Reverend Coolidge McCoy*



Wanda Cooper - January 05, 2015 at 09:20 AM

RS

“ *May the God of Mercy comfort and strengthen you during this time. I thank God for Dr. McCoy being a part of my life. His love, encouragement and prayers will never be forgotten. We love you, Rev. Emma Solomon and Deacon Weldon Solomon.*



Rev. Emma Solomon - January 04, 2015 at 05:38 PM

MG

“ *Psalm 1: 1-6 Minister Caroline Green*



Minister Caroline Green - January 04, 2015 at 12:29 AM

PJ

“ Our hearts sadden to hear of the passing of Dr. McCoy from this life on earth but, happiness stands in our hearts to know that life is in him again. The Michthiner's Grove Baptist Church, Lady Elect Deborah Jackson and I share our deepest sympathy to the family. A man that was not afraid to share his love with a friend will truly be missed. When I became pastor of Michthiner's Grove in 1998, Dr. McCoy was the first to reach out with love and welcomed me to the area. Matter of fact, the first book I received when becoming the pastor at Michthiner's Grove was from Dr. McCoy (What the Bible says to the minister). Thank You Sister McCoy for sharing such a great man of God. He will truly be missed.



*Pastor Melvin and Lady Elect Deborah Jackson
Michthiner's Grove Baptist Church
Franklinton, NC*

Pastor Melvin Jackson - January 03, 2015 at 02:04 PM

WJ

“ May the love of family and friends comfort you during these difficult days, our deepest condolences to the McCoy family.
Willie Mae and Brenda Jones

Willie Mae and Brenda Jones - January 03, 2015 at 01:31 PM

RT

“ *Rev. & Sis. Samuel Tunstall lit a candle in memory of Reverend Coolidge McCoy*



Rev. & Sis. Samuel Tunstall - January 03, 2015 at 01:29 PM

RT

Our heart aches with you in the passing of our friend and brother. May God who is able strengthen you during your time of bereavment.

Rev. & Sis. Samuel Tunstall - January 03, 2015 at 01:42 PM

CN

“ *My condolences goes out to the family of Rev. Coolidge McCoy. Our prayers are with you.*

Clara W. Neal and family



Clara W. Neal - January 03, 2015 at 12:23 PM

TR

“ *May the grace of God cover the family and friends, of Pastor Coolidge McCoy. As the Lord ushers him into eternal life, there we shall see him again. Not to know him as a physical being but, recognizing his spiritual form. We all loved, cherished and admired Pastor McCoy. When Our Father gently called his name, he left all his cares and willingly took his hand. Until we see you again, peace and comfort to your journey.*

Theresa Royster-Stephens - January 03, 2015 at 09:23 AM

TR

“ *Theresa Royster-Stephens lit a candle in memory of Reverend Coolidge McCoy*



Theresa Royster-Stephens - January 03, 2015 at 08:56 AM

MM

“ *My condolences to the entire McCoy family. May God strengthen and comfort you all during this time of sorrow.*

Michele Miller - January 03, 2015 at 01:16 AM

BD

“ *Brenda Dickson lit a candle in memory of Reverend Coolidge McCoy*



Brenda Dickson - January 02, 2015 at 05:55 PM

EB

“ *Etta Burgess lit a candle in memory of Reverend Coolidge McCoy*



Etta Burgess - January 02, 2015 at 11:12 AM

WW

“ *Our deepest sympathy to the McCoy family. I worked with Coolidge for many years at the Durham PD and we were life long friends. I gave him the nickname "Dr. Cool" which he always got a good laugh about. As my wife likes to say, "he was a true Southern gentleman from the old school." You are all in our thoughts and prayers.*

Wayne and Dot Watson

Wayne N. Watson - January 02, 2015 at 08:48 AM

EA

“ *Etta A. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Reverend Coolidge McCoy.*



Etta A. - January 02, 2015 at 07:41 AM

EB

“ *We are praying your strength in this time of sorrow.*

James and Etta Burgess

Etta Burgess - January 02, 2015 at 06:43 AM