



Mr. Isaac Evans McGraw II

May 27, 1947 - January 18, 2024

On Thursday, January 18, 2024, Mr. Isaac Evans McGraw, II, age 76, departed this life at Duke University Hospital, in Durham, North Carolina. He was born to his parents Isaac and Toynetta Z. McGraw, on May 27, 1947, in Darlington County, South Carolina.

Isaac leaves to cherish his memory one son, Reverend Darrell (Kronski) K. Ferguson of Charlotte, North Carolina; one grandson, Darrell Keith Ferguson, II; sister, Emma McGraw Myers (Ralph Bailey) of Columbia, South Carolina; brother, Bernard (Yolanda) V. McGraw of Matthews, North Carolina; a special friend, Shirley Dawson; and a host of extended family members and dear friends.

Services to celebrate the life of Mr. Isaac Evans McGraw, II will take place on Friday, February 16, 2024, at Union Baptist Church, 904 N Roxboro Street, Durham, North Carolina 27701; Family Visitation 11:00 a.m., Omega Ceremony 11:30 a.m. and Celebration of Life Service 12:00 noon.

In lieu of flowers and plants, the family would like for contributions to be made to North Carolina Central University - Band Scholarships.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 16. 11:00 AM (ET)

Union Baptist Church
904 N. Roxboro Street
Durham, NC 27701
(919) 688-1304
info@myubc.org
<http://www.myubc.org/>

Omega Ceremony

FEB 16. 11:30 AM (ET)

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Celebration of Life

FEB 16. 12:00 PM (ET)

Union Baptist Church
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Tribute Wall

DW

“ *Cousin Bucky was who I knew this beautiful man as. I remember when myself and family visited him in South Carolina. We walked through town as he showed us the sights. He treated us to Checkers, my first time ever trying the place! It was wonderful. We were welcomed into his home and had a great stay. I played Solitaire on his computer and thought it was the greatest thing ever. Ah, to be young! I never forgot the love we were shown. It saddens me greatly to know of his passing. We are currently fighting foreclosure. Thinking of Bucky and so much family that has given me love grants me strength to face the challenges ahead. I will never forget you. Love, Daniel Winford.*

Daniel Winford - May 20, 2025 at 10:48 AM

MB

“ *I worked in IBM product center with Isaac a few years in Raleigh. He was a great friend. He kept in touch even though we moved to Texas. My wife & I enjoyed his e-cards he sent so regularly. He will be missed. Condolences to his family. Mills & Diann Bell*

mills bell - April 19, 2024 at 10:19 AM

OS

“ My sister and I always looked forward to receiving the ecards from Buckey on various occasions and holidays. I met Buckey while I attended NCCU. He and my husband were room mates at College Plaza. If you knew Buckey you knew he never met a stranger. He was one of the most well verse person I knew. It was a joy to him to have worked under Dr. John Hope Franklin. He didn't mind sharing with you his many adventures in his life. Not only did he dress sharp but he had a most winning smile. We may not have seen each other every day or talked everyday but when we did run into each other it was just like we never missed a beat. We took up where we left off. I will miss you my friend, sore high like at eagle. Oveda Slade

oveda slade - February 10, 2024 at 09:55 AM



Thank you for sharing. Yes Big Brother Bucky was all that and more. He will be missed.

Emma Myers - February 10, 2024 at 12:54 PM

AS

“ Anita Satterfield-Torian lit a candle in memory of Mr. Isaac Evans McGraw II



Anita Satterfield-Torian - February 09, 2024 at 08:42 AM

MN

“ Margaret Murrell, New Bern, NC lit a candle in memory of Mr. Isaac Evans McGraw II



Margaret Murrell, New Bern, NC - February 07, 2024 at 04:24 PM



“ *Mary Butler lit a candle in memory of Mr. Isaac Evans McGraw II*



Mary Butler - February 06, 2024 at 09:23 AM



To our fallen Eagle, Bucky...God speed on your next amazing journey!

Mary Butler - February 06, 2024 at 09:25 AM

HS

“ *We extend our condolences to the family Isaac McGraw II. Under his leadership as chairman of the 1994 Men's Day Committee, the Union Baptist Church Jail Ministry was established. He led the ministry for many years. The ministry continues to meet with detainees at the Durham County Jail to share the word of God. As we approach 30 years of existence, we are grateful for Isaac's vision, leadership, dedication, and his example of faith in God. - Union Baptist Church Jail Ministry*

Herman Scott - February 01, 2024 at 10:00 AM

BW

“ *Remembering fond memories and acts of kindness of my Boggs Academy school mate Isaac AKA Bucky. He was a special and unique individual. Always appreciative of the ecards for every occasion. My condolences to his loving family. Sending prayers of comfort and peace. May his legacy live on in all who had the pleasure of knowing him. Barbara Phillips Williams, North Augusta, SC.*

Barbara Phillips Williams - January 30, 2024 at 11:07 AM

FW

“ *Frances Lonnette Williams lit a candle in memory of Mr. Isaac Evans McGraw II*



frances Lonnette williams - January 26, 2024 at 11:00 PM

FW

Our dear classmate, Bucky, will always be remembered for his thoughtfulness and remembering his friends with ecards for all holidays and events. Thanks for the memories and information that you shared with us throughout the years. Rest in peace.

frances Lonnette williams - January 26, 2024 at 10:59 PM

SK

“ *My family prayers and condolences goes out to the family of Brother I " Bucky" McGraw Samuel, Elaine and Samario King. Charlotte NC*

Samuel King - January 26, 2024 at 08:44 PM

DG

Our prayers to the McGraw family. Bucky was a childhood friend, that friendship lasted throughout our adulthood, many fond memories from our family to his. God bless you during this most difficult time. Deacon Joe(Barbara) Geiger

Deacon Joe(Barbara) Geige - February 03, 2024 at 02:38 PM

DG

Deepest condolences in the lost of your brother and my friend. Our prayer is for God to strengthen the entire family during this most difficult time.

Deacon Joe(Barbara) Geiger - February 03, 2024 at 02:43 PM

CG

McGraw family, you have my deepest sympathy. Issac, fondly known as "Bucky" at Boggs Academy was the classmate who kept us informed of current events, especially those of the Class of 1964. Our senior year superlative for Most Talkative (boy) was guess who. He also was class Vice President, basketball team Trainer, member of Future Teachers of America and football team member. I was privileged to be one of the recipients of some of his beautiful E cards that were posted throughout the years. He will surely be missed.

Constance M. Gonzalez - March 01, 2024 at 12:31 AM