

Deacon Edward W. Searcy

October 10, 1926 – July 10, 2013

Dear Friends,



I lived a simple and uneventful life by choice. My life companion Lucille had the same taste, so please do not make me out to be more than I am, because when I come before God, He will put me in my rightful place. I was born on October 10, 1926. My mother Ethel Cummings married Edward Searcy both from Georgia. From that union came my sister Eunice, brothers Charles and John (aka Sonny) and my, little sister Peggy. I was right in the middle. I attended the Boston Public School System and served in the United States Army for two years. I married Lucille M. Bruce in

1948; we had three children: Patricia Elaine, Edward Walter, and James Warren. I was a member of Metropolitan Baptist Church in Dorchester, Massachusetts where I served on the trustee board, sang in the mass men's choirs, was chair of the deacon board, taught Sunday school, bible study and new member classes.

I retired from the United States Gypsum Company where I worked as a maintenance foreman. After retirement my wife and I traveled the world with friends and family places including: Turkey, Hawaii, Greece, Alaska, and all over the Caribbean in addition to many long drives to visit family spread all over the States. I enjoyed carpentry, gardening and the company of my children, grandchildren and great grand children.

My parents, two brothers, two sisters and my wife Lucille all preceded my death.

I leave my three children Patricia E. Benson (James), Edward Walter Jr. both of Boston, MA and James Warren of Atlanta, GA. Seven grandchildren Aleta Hayes (Derek), Jamille, Jason, Jamyle Sr., India Alexia, and Dana. Seven great grandchildren Coleman, Makyle, Jamyle Jr., Jayla, Kayden, Myla, Aziz, nieces and nephews and a host of other relatives and friends.

Written by
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