



Wilbur E. Rochelle

August 11, 1925 - April 11, 2017

Wilbur E. Rochelle, passed from this life on April 11, 2017. He was born on August 11, 1925 in Rose Hill, N.C. to Paul and Sallie Rochelle.

Wilbur was a military veteran, having spent five years in the U. S. Navy and fifteen years in the U.S. Army. He took part in the invasion of Normandy on D Day, June 6, 1944. After his military service, he was a Christian Minister, serving in Georgia, South Carolina, North Carolina and Virginia.

He was preceded in death by his son Steven E. Rochelle and son David E. Rochelle.

He is survived by his wife of 69 years, Wilma Rochelle; one son, Robert E. Rochelle (Jean); one daughter, Sofia R. Belfield (David); several grandchildren, and great grandchildren.

A funeral service will be held 11a.m. Thursday April 13, 2017 at Vincent Funeral Home in West Point, VA with Minister Gary Jones officiating. The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service. The burial will follow at Williamsburg Memorial Park.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Jerusalem Christian Church, 1902 Powhatan Trail, King William, VA 23086.

Cemetery Details

Williamsburg Memorial Park

130 King William Avenue
Williamsburg, VA 23188

Previous Events

Service

APR 13. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Williamsburg, VA 23188

Tribute Wall

RC

“ I will always remember Wilber coming to the West Point Family Barbershop getting his haircut. He was always very kind and nice to me (his barber lady) , I will miss him . God gained another angel.
Love Rebecca Carter

Rebecca Carter - July 15, 2017 at 03:07 PM

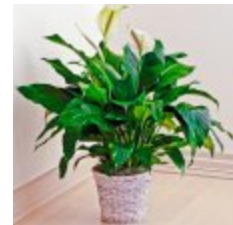
BG

“ Trish and I have wonderful memories of time spent with the Rochelles. May the Lord bless the family in your loss.

Bill Griffin - April 13, 2017 at 03:53 PM

MF

“ Mary Lou Clark & Family purchased the Floor Plant for Sympathy for the family of Wilbur E. Rochelle.



Mary Lou Clark & Family - April 12, 2017 at 01:27 PM

MC

“ Wilbur was not only a Pastor but a friend of my family for over 30 years. He performed my father's funeral service, my mother's funeral service and re-baptized my mother and I in the James River in the Summer of 1989. He and Wilbur were dear friends with my mother and have continued to be dear friends of mine after they retired and moved to West Point. We all know that he is where he strived to be, in Heaven, with God, our Saviour Jesus Christ, his family and friends. You will remain in my heart forever.

Mary Lou Clark

Mary Lou Clark - April 12, 2017 at 12:15 PM

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“ Patsy Yarrington lit a candle in memory of
Wilbur E. Rochelle



Patsy Yarrington - April 12, 2017 at 10:03 AM