



MR ANTHONY WADE BOWSER, SR

July 29, 1949 - April 5, 2023

ANTHONY W. BOWSER SR. "Tony"

Anthony W. Bowser, Sr. "Tony" was the youngest child of the late Emily Wade and Leroy Joseph Bowser. Tony passed away April 5, 2023. Born and raised in Washington, DC, Tony graduated from Dunbar High School. He enlisted in the Marines right after high school. While deployed in Da Nang, South Vietnam, he suffered near fatal injuries in a skirmish, which earned him three Purple Hearts and left him permanently disabled at age 22.

Becoming a member of Pythagoras Lodge No. 9, he found another brotherhood to which he could devote his life. He attained his 33rd degree and was most recently honored as Emeritus Grand Marshall. After 25 years of employment, Tony retired from the DC Public School System. He loved fishing, traveling, and watching all of the DC sports teams - most specifically the Commanders.

Upon transition, his parents and six of his siblings were there to welcome him. He is survived by his three children and two siblings. He is "Pop Pop" to six grandchildren and several bonus grandchildren, "Uncle Tony" to a host of nieces and nephews, and cherished by other extended family and friends.

Services will be held Tuesday, May 2, 2023, 6 to 8 p.m. at Pope Funeral

Home, 5538 Marlboro Pike, District Heights, MD 20747.

See the instruction below for the live streaming!

The process is simple. We only stream approximately starting 5 minutes prior to the published scheduled service/funeral time. Visitations/Viewings are not Live streamed. All you need is a Web based device ie. Computer, tablet or cell phone. Once on our website popefh.com, proceed to the obituary section and locate the name of the deceased service you wish to view the Live services. The name must be selected and the obituary page opened. After completing that step, find the Tribute Wall tab and click on it. Scroll down to the Video Icon and click the play button. If you do not see the video icon, please check back at the scheduled service time. Please note that we only can stream one view camera. Also, there is no guarantee that the video will be stored after the services are concluded.

Previous Events

Service

MAY 2. 6:00 PM (ET)

Pope Funeral Homes - Forestville Chapel
5538 Marlboro Pike
Forestville, MD 20747

Tribute Wall



“ *Pope Funeral Homes created a Webcast in memory of MR ANTHONY WADE BOWSER, SR*



Pope Funeral Homes - May 02, 2023 at 04:42 PM

SG

“ *Gone but never forgotten* ❤️



Sandi Goins - May 12, 2023 at 12:26 AM

BC

“ *My Masonic brother, with whom I've shared many a moment with!! May you have a peaceful journey, to that place, where NO TRAVELER RETURNS!!!! To the family, blessings to you for the time allowed with this Faithful Brother!*

Bob Credle - John F Cook No 10

Bob Credle - May 02, 2023 at 06:24 PM

TS

“ *My sincere condolences to Val, TJ, and Mike.
Your dad was a super special to our family.
He as been present since the day I met him.
We could not asked for a better brother.
Forever in my hear. Tamalyn (Tammy) Smith*



Tamalyn Smith - May 01, 2023 at 04:19 PM