



Raymond A. Hammond

July 17, 1932 - March 27, 2023

RAYMOND ALVIN R. HAMMOND
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Raymond Alvin R. Hammond of Washington, D.C. made his final spiritual journey on March 227, 2023. Raymond was born July 17, 1932 to Mr. and Mrs. Henry and Lola Hammond of Mckenney, VA. He was received in Christ at St. Mark Episcopal Church in Bracey, Va. He attended elementary and secondary schools in Mecklenburg County. Raymond later enlisted in the U.S. Army and Army Reserves and served with honor and distinction. He was married to his lovely wife, Melveninia for 61 years before her transition in 2022.

Raymond leaves in mourning six siblings: Carl Hammond, Pearl Sharpless, Margaret Gordon, Eleanor Williams, Betty Hammond, James Sr. and (sister/cousins) Carolyn Floyd and Pamela Bracey. Raymond also has an abundant family of love from his many newpnews and nieces.

Services for Mr. Raymond Hammond will be on April 6 at 2:00pm at Pope Funeral Home in Forestville, MD. Viewing will be at 1:00. The Hammond family appreciates the many kind gestures of sympathy and kindness.

Previous Events

Public Viewing

APR 6. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Pope Funeral Home Forestville Chapel
5538 MARLBORO PIKE
FORESTVILLE, MD 20747

Funeral Service

APR 6. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Pope Funeral Homes created a Webcast in memory of Raymond A. Hammond*



Pope Funeral Homes - April 06, 2023 at 01:51 PM

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“ *399-0199... as I remember it, that was the number that Cousin Raymond told this 12 year old kid to him at if I looked out the window and saw stars at 3AM. That was the sign that the weather was going to be suitable for going fishing. If the coast was clear, he'd be over in 45 minutes and Calvin and I would hook up his boat and spend the day at Bushwood, Cobb Island, Chesapeake Beach, Point Lookout, Bay Bridge or somewhere out on the water.... and more often than not, catching a bunch of fish.*

Cousin Raymond was our second dad. When my father needed help with ANY project around the house, Cousin Raymond was the goto guy. Whether it was installing another telephone line, creating a shower stall or replacing a major car part, cousin Raymond was always there.

He would play baseball with us in the alley knowing that he risked throwing his arm out of joint, and then he'd just have us pull it back into place and then he might even throw some more.

Cousin Raymond will missed by the Byrd kids of A-Street, NE, DC

Doug Byrd - April 06, 2023 at 11:03 AM



“ *A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Raymond A. Hammond.* ”



April 06, 2023 at 10:14 AM