



Nathaniel Dillard

December 16, 1945 - November 4, 2018

Nathaniel Dillard age 72, departed this earthly life on Sunday, November 4, 2018, in Bowling Green, KY. The St. Louis, Missouri native was born December 16, 1945 to the late Ben Smith and Annie Lee Holmes-Dillard. At an early age Nathaniel joined the Mt. Zion Baptist Church in St. Louis where he was a part of the BTU and Jr. Deacon Board. Nathaniel was a graduate of Vashon High School. Nathaniel was a Sergeant in the United States Army and because he was one of three brothers enlisted in the army at that time, he was not sent to Vietnam. Instead he was sent to Germany to act as a Communications Specialist for the Army, establishing communication in remote areas.

Upon returning to St. Louis, Nathaniel gained employment with the General Motors Corvette Assembly Plant. On October 7, 1972, in St. Louis, Nathaniel was married to Beverly Braxton Dillard. They were married for 46 years. To this union one daughter was born, Lesley Nicole Dillard. In 1981, GM relocated Nathaniel and family to Bowling Green, Kentucky where he retired in 1999, after 30 years of service.

Nathaniel was a quiet philanthropist, touching the lives of many individuals and organizations with his numerous anonymous contributions and monetary donations. He attended Trinity Full Gospel Baptist Church and was an active member of Ancient Landmark No.28. Nathaniel served as Past Master, Past District Lecture of the Western District, a member of Rajah Temple No. 92, Order of the Mystic Shrine, and the Robert E. Kendall Consistory of Kentucky.

He was a 32nd Degree Mason.

Along with Nathaniel's parents he was preceded by his sisters and brothers; Bertha, Ada, Floyd, Elijah, William "Chi", Doug, Wardell, Elnora, Lenore, Rogers, Ruth and JD.

Nathaniel was a loving and caring husband, father, grandfather and friend who loved to fish and hunt in his spare time. His memory will forever be held in the hearts of those he leaves behind; his wife Beverly Dillard; his daughters Lesley Williams Jordan and Marion Alber. He adored spending time with his 3 Grandsons, Bryce, Camden, and Casey. He loved to watch them excel at their sports and to teach them to hunt and fish. He is survived by his sister Lilly Yancey and his brother Eddie Dillard and several nieces, nephews, and other relatives and friends. His special friends where, Mary Ann Warren "Caretaker", Lennell Brooks Sr. and Frank Austin.

Sincerely,

-Your friends at Burnam and Son

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 16. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Trinity Full Gospel Baptist Church
200 Center Street
Bowling Green, KY 42101
<https://www.trinitybgky.com/>

Visitation

NOV 17. 9:00 AM - 10:45 AM (CT)

Trinity Full Gospel Baptist Church
200 Center Street
Bowling Green, KY 42101
<https://www.trinitybgky.com/>

Funeral Service

NOV 17. 11:00 AM - 12:15 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Burnam & Son Mortuary, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Nathaniel Dillard* ”



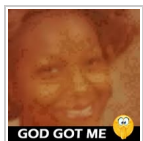
Burnam & Son Mortuary, Inc. - November 16, 2018 at 08:34 AM



“ *Connie Hardiman lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard* ”



Connie Hardiman - November 20, 2018 at 11:41 AM



“ *Faith Ferguson sent a virtual gift in memory of Nathaniel Dillard* ”



Faith Ferguson - November 16, 2018 at 06:11 PM

BF

“ *Bev, Leslie and family Nate was a kind and dear friend, thanks for sharing him with our family. Prayers, strength and comfort for you all!*
Beverly & Kelvin Ford & Marilyn Tobin



Beverly Tobin Ford - November 16, 2018 at 10:14 AM

DW

“ *Denise Wade lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



Denise Wade - November 14, 2018 at 06:28 PM

SL

“ *Sabrina W Loving sent a virtual gift in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



Sabrina W Loving - November 12, 2018 at 07:32 PM

EB

“ *Edward N Deborah Bufford lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



Edward n Deborah Bufford - November 12, 2018 at 12:01 PM

AG

“ *Ann Graves lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



Ann Graves - November 10, 2018 at 10:44 PM

MW

“ *To the family of Mr. Nathaniel Dillard: I wish to express my sincere condolences. May God strengthen you with His love today and the days that lies ahead. He is the one who can make your burdens light and give you peace. I love you all. Mamie (WEMS)*



MAMIE WARDLOW - November 10, 2018 at 04:18 PM

MD

“ *MarionLauinger-Alber His Loving Daughter lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



MarionLauinger-Alber his loving daughter - November 09, 2018 at 04:33 AM

KB

“ *Kenneth Henry Bunton lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



Kenneth Henry Bunton - November 08, 2018 at 08:31 PM

MT

“ *Michael Tatmon lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



michael tatmon - November 08, 2018 at 06:50 PM

TR

“ *Tara Richardson lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



tara Richardson - November 08, 2018 at 02:54 PM

DF

“ *Dora Franklin lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



Dora Franklin - November 08, 2018 at 08:26 AM

NL

“ *Nathaniel Lewis lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



Nathaniel Lewis - November 08, 2018 at 06:17 AM

EH

“ *ERVIN AND JANIE HIBBITT lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



ERVIN AND JANIE HIBBITT - November 07, 2018 at 07:21 PM



“ *He always has a big smile on his face and always smelled good...*



Carmen Love - November 07, 2018 at 05:21 PM

JB

“ *Judy Becker sent a virtual gift in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



Judy Becker - November 07, 2018 at 03:42 PM

DM

“ *DEBBIE J MASSEY lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



DEBBIE J MASSEY - November 07, 2018 at 03:32 PM

TF

“ Tina Fant lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard



Tina Fant - November 07, 2018 at 11:35 AM

NM

“ Nathaniel&Bernadine Martin lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard



Nathaniel&Bernadine Martin - November 07, 2018 at 09:45 AM

PT

“ Pat And Bennie Tillmon lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard



Pat and Bennie Tillmon - November 07, 2018 at 08:01 AM

EE

“ The Elliott family sends their condolences to the Dillard family. May God give you peace during this difficult time.



Edward Elliott - November 06, 2018 at 05:28 PM

LY

“ I am so broken hearted with the passing of my brother, Nathaniel Dillard. My heart will forever be broken until we meet again. I thank God he had a loving wife and daughter in his life. We shared so much love for one another, but I thank God for letting him live as long as he did.

Forever,
your sister, Lillie Yancey

Lillie Yancey - November 06, 2018 at 04:25 PM

JB

“ Judith Boards lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard



Judith Boards - November 06, 2018 at 11:36 AM

KC

“ Kenny. And Crisandra Coleman lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard



Kenny. and Crisandra Coleman - November 06, 2018 at 11:29 AM

LW

“ Loretha Burton Withrow lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard



Loretha Burton Withrow - November 06, 2018 at 06:48 AM



“ *Deborah Claypool lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



Deborah Claypool - November 05, 2018 at 07:54 PM

CW

“ *Carla & Michael Whitlow lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



Carla & Michael Whitlow - November 05, 2018 at 06:32 PM

KT

“ *Kathy And Ronald Thomas lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



Kathy and Ronald Thomas - November 05, 2018 at 04:51 PM

SH

“ *Shirley And Brian Hawkins lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



shirley and Brian Hawkins - November 05, 2018 at 04:29 PM

CO

“ *Chantay & Asti Offutt lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



Chantay & Asti Offutt - November 05, 2018 at 03:28 PM



“ *Constance Whire lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



Constance Whire - November 05, 2018 at 03:17 PM

JH

“ *James & Cassandra Hodges Lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*

James Hodges - November 05, 2018 at 02:21 PM

PT

“ *Pat And Bennie Tillmon lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



Pat and Bennie Tillmon - November 05, 2018 at 12:08 PM



“ *Dora Conyers lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



Dora Conyers - November 05, 2018 at 12:03 PM



“ *Marian Benton lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



Marian Benton - November 05, 2018 at 11:34 AM



“ *Pat And Bennie Tillmon lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



Pat and Bennie Tillmon - November 05, 2018 at 11:06 AM



“ *Florence Withrow Claypool lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



Florence Withrow Claypool - November 05, 2018 at 10:35 AM

VF

“ *Vetta Sublett And Family lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



Vetta Sublett and family - November 05, 2018 at 10:24 AM

CW

“ *Charles Darlene Woods lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



Charles Darlene Woods - November 05, 2018 at 09:56 AM



“ *Frank & Rosie Alexander lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



frank & rosie alexander - November 05, 2018 at 07:47 AM

LL

“ *Lori Lowery lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



Lori Lowery - November 04, 2018 at 09:06 PM

WA

“ *Wanda Anthony lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



Wanda Anthony - November 04, 2018 at 08:10 PM

WW

“ *Wilhelmina Whitney sent a virtual gift in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



Wilhelmina Whitney - November 04, 2018 at 07:11 PM

WL

“ *Walter & Shalley Lee lit a candle in memory of Nathaniel Dillard*



Walter & Shalley Lee - November 04, 2018 at 06:29 PM



“ *Dear Dillard Family,*

There are few things more difficult than dealing with the loss of a loved one. We, along with our staff, are honored and humbled that you have chosen our family to care for your family during this time. It is our hope that we have been able, in some small way, to lighten your burden and give proper reverence to a life lived. Please let us know if we can be of further service.



Respectfully,

*Carmen, Cedric, Claudia and Kelly
2nd Generation Owners*

Cedric Burnam - November 04, 2018 at 04:52 PM