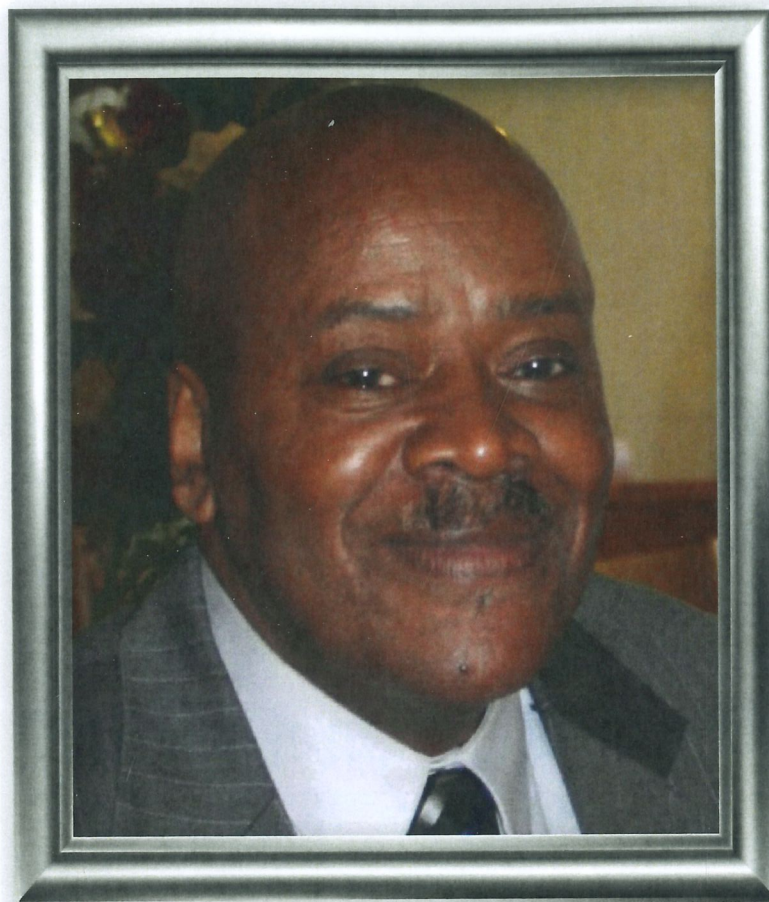


In Loving Memory of
Prinston Abany McCarther



Sunrise: December 31, 1941

Sunset: April 25, 2023

Celebration of Life

Thursday, May 4, 2023

1:00 pm

Joseph H. Brown, Jr. Funeral Home
2140 N. Fulton Ave. Baltimore, MD 21217

Rev. Ronald P. Simmons – Officiating

Homegoing Service

Saturday, May 6, 2023

12:00 Noon

Chestnut Ridge Primitive Progressive Baptist Church
4416 Westfield Rd. Mount Airy, NC 27030

Elder Gilbert Cox – Officiating

Bishop Langston McCarther – Eulogist

Order of Service

Baltimore, MD – May 4, 2023

Musical Prelude

Mr. Jerel Crockett

Opening Remarks

Hymn

Scripture Readings

Prayer

Musical Interlude

Mr. Jerel Crockett

Acknowledgments

Obituary

Reflections

Family and Friends

Solo – “May the Work I’ve Done Speak for Me”

Mr. Jerel Crockett

Words of Comfort

Reverend Ronald P. Simmons

Hymn

Benediction

Mount Airy, NC – May 6, 2023

Processional (Please Stand)

Clergy and Family

Hymn

Words of Comfort

Scripture Readings

Invocation

Hymn

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Eulogy

Bishop Langston McCarther

Recessional (Please Stand)

Benediction

Interment (Private)

Obituary

Prinston Abany McCarther, the third of twelve children, was born on December 31, 1941 to the late Charlie Eugene and Flora Ann Hatcher McCarther in Mount Airy, North Carolina.

Prinston accepted Jesus Christ as his Savior at a young age and became a member of Chestnut Ridge Progressive Primitive Baptist Church. He attended Sunday school and was a member of the Youth Choir. He never forgot the strong values that his parents instilled in him growing up on the family farm. Prinston excelled in academics, graduated from high school at age 16 and, shortly thereafter, attended Winston-Salem Teachers College where he earned a Bachelor's degree in Elementary Education in 1963. He was involved in many aspects of college life and became a member of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Inc., for which he served as the chapter President.

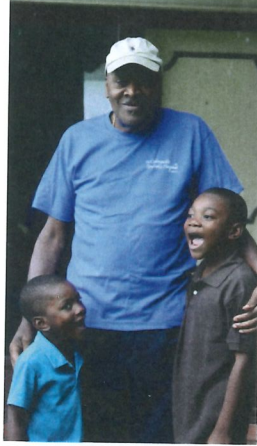
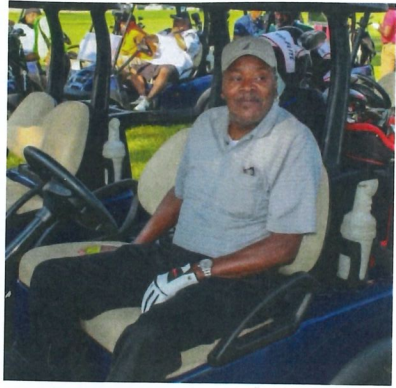
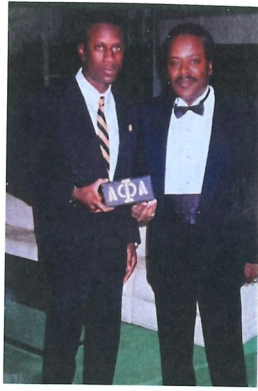
He would go on to start his career as a teacher in Amelia Court House, Virginia before moving to Baltimore, Maryland where he continued his teaching journey and met his future wife, Rose Marie McFadden. He and Rose settled in Randallstown, MD to raise a family. Prinston worked for more than 30 years as an Educator in both Baltimore City and County. He poured into the lives and young minds of students in his roles as a second- and third-grade teacher and guidance counselor during his career. He would continue to hone his knowledge acquiring a Master's degree in Education from Loyola College in MD in 1990.

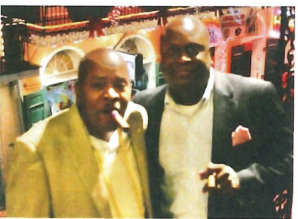
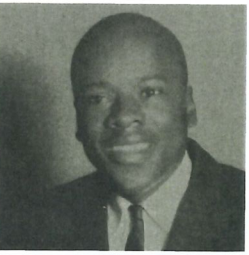
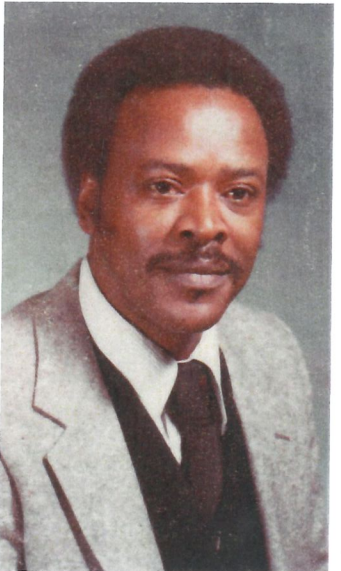
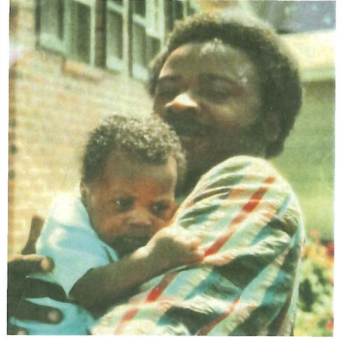
In retirement, he enjoyed spending time at the Liberty Road Senior Center in Randallstown, where he shared his mastery of skills at the billiards table and took art classes. Prinston was an avid golfer. Whether it was playing rounds at the Forest Park Golf Course in Baltimore with friends, traveling to Myrtle Beach, SC to hit the greens with his brother-in-law, or competing in charity golf tournaments with his son; he was always ready for tee time. His other hobbies included painting, playing Scrabble, listening to blues and jazz music, going to karaoke and cookouts, and watching golf on television.

Prinston treasured spending quality time with loved ones and often traveled to do so. Throughout the years, he returned to his hometown for the McCarther and Hatcher Family Reunions; he traveled to Virginia to hang out with his son's family; and he took trips to the local casinos, as well as those in Atlantic City and Las Vegas. He also served as an elected officer for the Baltimore Chapter of the Winston-Salem State University (WSSU) Alumni Association and volunteered delivering food to the less fortunate on behalf of Meals on Wheels. Perhaps, his most favorite pastime was talking about the accomplishments of his beloved grandsons Miles and Mason.

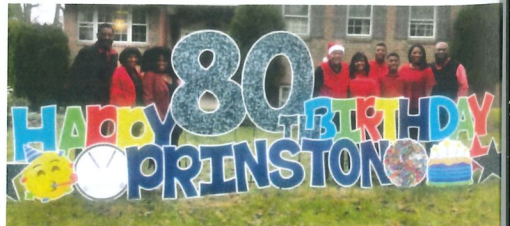
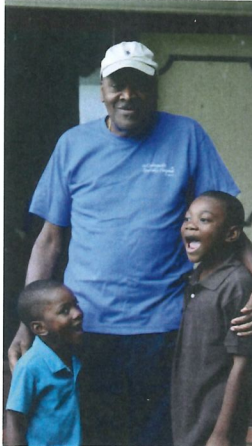
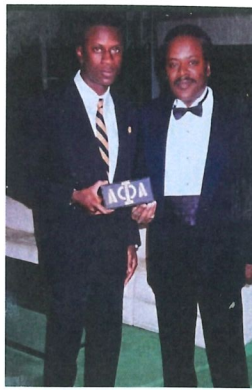
Prinston was called to his eternal home at the age of 81 after a brief illness on Tuesday, April 25, 2023 at the Bridging Life Hospice Center in Randallstown, MD. He was preceded in death by his parents, Charlie Eugene and Flora Ann McCarther; his wife of 37 years Rose McCarther; infant grandson Quincy McCarther; two sisters, Felecia McCarther and Elder Vanessa Tyson; and two brothers, Alfred Bernard and Colonel Trevathan McCarther.

Surviving to cherish his memory are son Steven McCarther (Tonya) of Richmond, VA; daughter Gloria McCarther of Baltimore, MD; grandsons Miles and Mason McCarther; devoted companion of 16 years Brenda Young of Pikesville, MD; three sisters Marjorie Brown and Debra Williams, of Mount Airy, NC, Vickie Ford (James) of Lexington, NC; four brothers Thomas McCarthur of Harrisburg, PA, Bishop Langston McCarther (Louvenia) of Winston-Salem, NC, Morris McCarther (Carol) of Summerfield, NC, Keith McCarther (Christie Rockwell) of Newark, DE; four sisters-in-law Laura McCarther of Brooklyn, NY, Gloria McCarther of Morehead City, NC, Ruby Lang (Eddie) of Florence, SC, and Leona McFadden of Longs, SC; one brother-in-law Esco McFadden (Pat) of North Myrtle Beach, SC; and a host of nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.





At Liberty Senior Center in Randallstown, Marjorie Everhart, 87, watches the inauguration of Barack Obama as Princeton McCarthy, 67, wipes tears from his eyes. BALTIMORE SUN PHOTO: LLOYD FOX



Pallbearers & Flower Bearers

Family and Friends

Acknowledgments

The family of the late Prinston A. McCarther wishes to acknowledge with deep appreciation the many expression of love, concern, and kindness shown during this hour of bereavement. Thanks for all of your support. May God bless all of you.

A special thanks to The Delta Lambda Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Inc. and the Baltimore Alumni Chapter of Winston-Salem State University.



In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in his memory to:

The Prinston A. McCarther Scholarship Fund
Winston-Salem State University – National Alumni Assoc. (WSSUNAA)
Baltimore Alumni Chapter
P.O. Box 871, Sandston, VA 23150

“When Tomorrow Starts Without Me”

*When tomorrow starts without me, and I'm not there to see
If the sun should rise and find your eyes, all filled with tears for me;
I wish so much you wouldn't cry, the way you did today;
While thinking of the many things, we didn't get to say.
I know how much you love me, as much as I love you,
And each time that you think of me, I know you'll miss me too;
But when tomorrow starts without me, please try to understand,
that an Angel came and called my name, took me by the hand and said,
My place was ready in heaven far above that I'd have to leave
behind all those I dearly love.
So when tomorrow starts without me, don't think we're far apart,
For every time you think of me, I'm right there in your heart.*

David M. Romano

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