



Desmond King

November 13, 1941 - January 6, 2023

Desmond Winston Churchill King, 81, of Matthews, left this world and entered his heavenly home on January 6, 2023.

Desmond Winston Churchill King was born on November 13, 1941, to Captain and Mrs. George and Kathleen King in Georgetown, British Guyana.

Desmond was educated at Smith Church Memorial School. After graduation, he attended the Guyana Technical Institute of Navigation and Seamanship. He then set out to sea as an officer and cadet., working his way to Captain and acquiring his Ocean Going Masters License. After working several years as a sea captain, he joined the Guyana Pilot Service, piloting ocean going ships entering and leaving the harbors of Guyana.

On coming to the United States, he attended Suburban School of Technology and then Briarcliff College. On completion of his courses, he went into the electronic industry until he retired.

On July 3, 1965, Desmond was joined together in Holy Matrimony to Yvonne A. Facey and they had been together until he departed this life.

Desmond's family has given the family of Lowe-Neddo Funeral Home the privilege of caring for him and for them. The funeral mass will be held at 1:00 PM on Tuesday, January 17, 2023, at St Michael the Archangel Anglican Church. To join the service remotely, please use the link below.

Previous Events

Funeral Mass

JAN 17. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

St Michael Anglican Church
2211 Margaret Wallace Road
Matthews, NC 28105
<http://www.stmichaelsanglican.org/>

Reception Following Services

JAN 17. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Desmond King*

October 05, 2023 at 07:26 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Desmond King.*



January 17, 2023 at 10:50 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Desmond King.*



January 17, 2023 at 09:48 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Desmond King.*



January 16, 2023 at 10:59 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Desmond King.*



January 16, 2023 at 09:42 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Desmond King.*



January 16, 2023 at 09:37 AM

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“ *Donald purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Desmond King.*



Donald - January 16, 2023 at 01:32 AM

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“ *I was saddened to hear of Desmond's passing and am still in disbelief. I recognize how hard it must be for you since you did not see him close his eyes or hear his last sigh, you only heard that he was gone, too late to say goodbye. I want you to know that I am thinking about you, praying for you and aching deeply alongside you. Yvonne, may it bring some comfort to know that I have always admired the relationship the two of you shared. You were his world and he was yours. Having been around for so much of your relationship, I can honestly say, I learned the meaning of true love from the both of you. May the sorrow you feel in your heart lighten by the love that surrounds you my dear friend.*

*God Bless
Janet Fenty*

Deepest sympathy to the entire Facey and King family from the entire Fenty family

Janet Fenty - January 16, 2023 at 01:07 AM