



## Sidney Brown Jr.

September 20, 1942 - October 5, 2018

Sidney Brown (Theron Sidney Brown, Jr.) went to his eternal home October 5th, 2018.

A memorial service will be held at Cornerstone Baptist Church, 8947 Albemarle Rd, Charlotte, NC on Monday, October 8, 2018 at noon. Family will receive friends after the service.

He is survived by his wife of 54 years, Joan Parsons Brown; daughter Renée Herlong and husband John of Kinston, NC; and daughter Dawn Templeton and husband Nathan of Fort Mill, SC. He was a wonderful "Pop" to five grandchildren: Emma, Sydney, and Hannah Herlong, and Hayden and Jack Templeton.

He is survived by his mother, Martha Smithdeal Brown of Trinity Oaks, Salisbury, NC and three brothers: Larry and wife, Linda of Verona, VA, Tom and wife, Brenda of Concord, NC, Phil and wife, Terri of Matthews, NC.

He was preceded in death by his father, Theron Sidney Brown, Sr.

Sidney was born in Mooresville, NC on September 20, 1942 and graduated from Concord High School in 1960. After completing a BS in Accounting from Pfeiffer College in Misenheimer, NC, Sidney worked for Travelers insurance before helping found VALPRO, an audit service company. Sidney was very active in auditor associations at the local, regional, and national levels including 14 years on the board of the National Society of Insurance Premium Auditors with one year as president.

Sidney Brown served in the US Army, from 1966-1969. Following his active duty, he served with active reserve until 1989 retiring as a Lieutenant Colonel. He was always proud to wear his veterans cap and tell people it was an honor to serve when they thanked him for his service.

Throughout his life, faith and church were very important to Sidney. He was a faithful participant and active leader as Deacon, Stewardship chairman and Sunday school teacher. He seemed to be there whenever the church was open. Even through his illness, he treasured the interactions he had with his caregivers, nurses and others sharing stories of faith, prayers and words of blessing.

Sidney was an avid Atlanta Braves fan, consistently watching them on TV and traveling regularly to see their Spring training in Florida. He enjoyed playing and watching golf.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations in Sidney's name may be made to the USO of NC or any hospice organization including Hospice House of Union County, which provided excellent care and comfort at the end of his life.

# Previous Events

## Celebration of Life Service

OCT 8. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Cornerstone Baptist Church  
8947 Albemarle Rd  
Charlotte, NC 28227  
[http://www.cbccharlotte.org/?](http://www.cbccharlotte.org/)

## Gathering of Friends and Family

OCT 8. 1:00 PM (ET)

Cornerstone Baptist Church  
8947 Albemarle Rd  
Charlotte, NC 28227  
[http://www.cbccharlotte.org/?](http://www.cbccharlotte.org/)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Sidney Brown Jr.*

October 05, 2023 at 07:26 AM



“ *Sidney Brown Jr.*

October 24, 2022 at 08:52 PM



“ *I was so surprised to hear of Sid's passing. Have not seen him or Joan in many years. I do remember how much you both helping my husband, Art Wimer and me when we were headed back to Africa. So sorry for your loss but pray you feel the comfort of His arms of peace about you. Art is with the Lord so maybe they have seen each other. God bless you. My love and prayers, Pat Wimer*

**Pat Wimer** - October 07, 2018 at 09:25 PM



“ *Sydney was one of those people you remembered because of his kind and caring nature. Even though it has been years, I recall his kind and pleasant demeanor when he audited our insurance.*

**Beth Hamrick** - October 07, 2018 at 11:43 AM



“ *John and Ann Templeton purchased the Simply Chic Mixed Plant Basket for the family of Sidney Brown Jr..*



**John and Ann Templeton** - October 06, 2018 at 10:44 PM

PS

“ so sorry to hear Sidney Passed away Joan may the lord be with u and all the family through the next few days you will be in my thoughts and prayers sending you lots of love May Sidney Rest in Peace love you

Patty Faw Spears - October 06, 2018 at 09:42 PM

PS

“ Patty Faw Spears lit a candle in memory of Sidney Brown Jr.



Patty Faw Spears - October 06, 2018 at 09:33 PM

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“ Joan, Dawn, Renee, and family,  
I am so sorry for your loss. Sidney was a good man.  
May God Bless and Comfort each of you.

With deepest sympathy,  
Wilma Parsons Faw, Kimberely Faw  
and family



Kimberely Faw - October 06, 2018 at 09:28 PM

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“ 14 files added to the album Memories Album



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**Renee and Dawn** - October 06, 2018 at 12:54 PM