



William Douglas Jr.

August 22, 1943 - October 12, 2022

William Douglas Jr.,(Butch) 79 passed away Oct. 12, 2022. He was the husband of Gwendolyn Douglas. He leaves to cherish his memories besides his wife, son Steven Douglas; daughter Shauna Douglas; sister Janette Sinclair all of Waterbury, CT as well as relatives and friends who loved him deeply

Cemetery Details

Pine Grove Cemetery

850 Meriden Road
Waterbury, CT

Previous Events

Calling Hour

OCT **22**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

Zion Baptist Church
137 Pearl Pearl Street
Waterbury, CT

Funeral Service

OCT **22**. 10:00 AM (ET)

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137 Pearl Pearl Street
Waterbury, CT

Tribute Wall



“ *William Douglas Jr.*

October 09, 2023 at 06:14 AM



“ *Went to Slocum with wonderful kids from the "projects" & played sports there for Mr. Bergin both basketball and baseball such a long time ago. Won City championship for Slocum. Team was honored at a dinner at McBrides - awarded a token basketball chain ornament. My family moved away and I went to high school out of state. Sacred Heart coach used to come have lunch with Slocum janitor and recruit basketball players to the Hearts. I believe the coach was also a truancy officer for the school system.*

Robert Chase - October 22, 2022 at 05:42 PM



“ *Sending my deepest thoughts and prayers to you & your family during these trying times. Sabrina Glenn & family.*

Sabrina M Glenn - October 21, 2022 at 10:02 PM



“ *Mr. Douglas was a Trailblazer in the Waterbury community and especially at the DMV. I can only imagine his typical work day as the only person of color for so many years. Now, every time that I have to visit the DMV, I think of how Mr. Douglas with his professional, gracious demeanor, paved the way for diversity there. Thank you for your service. Offering my condolences to Mrs. Douglas, Steve, Shauna and family. May all of your good memories comfort you during this difficult time. God Bless You*

Rosalyn D Glass - October 21, 2022 at 07:09 PM

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“ I knew Billy since we were at Slocum School in the mid-Fifties. A great friend to everyone, and became an integral part of Jim Spann's Laurels later on. Our sincere condolences to his family, and especially Jannett and the boys.
Jerry and Beth Palmento

Jerry Palmento - October 21, 2022 at 12:32 PM

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“ Gwen
*I am so sorry to have read about my friend Butch's passing. I wish I could attend the service to honor his memory. I live in Florida now.
So many memories of playing baseball with Butch for Big Jim Spann. Lots of trips and lots of laughs.
On a serious note, I was able to see first hand what a loving and supportive father Butch was while Steve attended Sacred Heart.*

Please give my deepest sympathies to Steven and Shauna.

Butch Azzara

Butch Azzara - October 21, 2022 at 10:59 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of William Douglas Jr..*



October 20, 2022 at 05:45 PM