



## Roger Brenston Askew

January 9, 1955 - July 3, 2024

Roger Brenston Askew, Sr. of Colerain, NC departed this life on Wednesday, July 3, 2024, at Durham VA Hospital in Durham, NC. He was born on January 9, 1955, to the late Clinton Rogers Askew and Clara Viola Privott Askew, in Hertford County, NC.

He served in the United States Army and was a retired truck driver.

Brent leaves to cherish his memories: his wife, Agnes Watford Askew of Colerain, NC; two sons, Roger B. Askew, Jr. of Meridan, CT and Tyrel Craig of Rich Square, NC; five daughters, Rhonda Askew of Colerain, NC, Kia Settles (Presley) of Littleton, NC, Kenyachta Watford of Hampton, VA, Stephanie Craig and Latasha Bulgin (Bradley) both of Aulander, NC; one brother, Anthony Askew of Charlotte, NC; two sisters, Gwendolyn Jackson of Colerain, NC and Sharon Slade (Melvin) of Merry Hill, NC; eighteen grandchildren and a host of great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, cousins other relatives and friends

# Previous Events

## Service

JUL 9. 12:00 PM (ET)

Zion Hill Baptist Church  
2321 NC Highway 45 North  
Colerain, NC 27924

# Tribute Wall

WR

“ Wanda Cherry Ruffin lit a candle in memory of Roger Brenston Askew



Wanda Cherry Ruffin - July 09, 2024 at 08:48 PM

IM

“ Ida Majette lit a candle in memory of Roger Brenston Askew



Ida Majette - July 09, 2024 at 09:30 AM

RH

“ 4 files added to the tribute wall



Rose Holley - July 09, 2024 at 06:27 AM

RH

“ Sending you strength today and peace in all the days ahead. Roger was a graduate of Bertie Senior High School Class of 1973. He served on the 40th and 45th Class Reunion Committee. He was a joy to work with and brought a lot of positive energy to the reunion meetings. He will be missed.



Rose Holley - July 08, 2024 at 08:23 PM



“ 19 files added to the album Life Tributes



Hunter's Funeral Home - July 08, 2024 at 05:45 PM

SC

“ Brentson my bonus dad I am so happy that I had the opportunity to thank you for all that you have done for me, Quisha and Lil Nate from day one you have been there for us. When I had to work you were there to get them off the bus and picking them up from basketball and football practice being at every single game that you could make it too all calling to check on me even though you were sick and going through. Making sure my mom was always ok no matter what you had going on. No one will ever understand how much of a difference you made in our lives. My heart is so heavy your stories that you told will be truly missed we love you so rest in peace until we meet again

Stephanie Craig - July 08, 2024 at 05:07 PM

RS

“ Republic Services planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Roger Brenston Askew.

Republic Services - July 08, 2024 at 04:55 PM

RS

“ Republic Services purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Roger Brenston Askew.



Republic Services - July 08, 2024 at 04:55 PM

JU

“ *Julia lit a candle in memory of Roger Brenston Askew*



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**Julia** - July 08, 2024 at 03:33 PM

WR

“ *William Rankins lit a candle in memory of Roger Brenston Askew*



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**William Rankins** - July 08, 2024 at 01:44 PM

DA

“ *We always enjoyed hearing you sing! You were always so full of the spirit. You will be missed. Prayers and condolences to the Askew Family.  
Cousin Marvin Askew, Sr. and wife Dr. Cynthia Askew.*

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**Dr. Cynthia Askew** - July 08, 2024 at 01:01 PM

RM

“ *Richard Moore of M&M Disco, I worked with Brent for years at Alamac and every Thursday night when got off work at midnight, we would all end up at the VIP , sure gonna miss my friend , to Rhonda and Kia stay strong and love yall* ❤️

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**Richard Moore** - July 07, 2024 at 08:58 PM

BJ

“ *BONNIE WATFORD JOHNSON lit a candle in memory of Roger Brenston Askew*



**BONNIE WATFORD JOHNSON** - July 07, 2024 at 07:44 PM



“ *Mr & Mrs Kenneth Burden you have our prayers and condolences for the Askew family*



**Kenneth Burden** - July 07, 2024 at 04:47 PM

SC

“ *My bonus Dad you will be truly missed and I am so grateful that I got the opportunity to thank you for being the best grandfather to Quisha and Nate, being there from day one when you married my mom always taking them to their practices and being at their basketball and football games, always calling my mom to make sure she was ok . No one will ever understand our relationship, and what I will miss the most is the crazy stories you told lol yes they were true stories with a little of Brentson added touch to them. My Brentson my heart is heavy but now I know you are not in any more pain. Love you and get your rest until we meet again. Your Step*



**Stephanie Craig** - July 07, 2024 at 02:46 PM

SH

“ *Sheila Holloman lit a candle in memory of Roger Brenston Askew*



Sheila Holloman - July 07, 2024 at 02:03 PM

YK

“ *Your daughter, Kenyachta purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Roger Brenston Askew.*



Your daughter, Kenyachta - July 07, 2024 at 08:36 AM

B1

“ *Bertie Sr. High Class of 1973 purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Roger Brenston Askew.*



Bertie Sr. High Class of 1973 - July 06, 2024 at 03:40 PM

DR

“ *Dianese Riddick lit a candle in memory of Roger Brenston Askew*



Dianese Riddick - July 06, 2024 at 03:27 PM

BE

“ *My condolences to Kenyatcha and the family.  
Aunt Barbara Watford Eley* ❤️



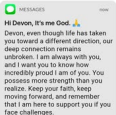
Barbara Eley - July 06, 2024 at 03:07 PM

JH

“ *James Harrell lit a candle in memory of Roger  
Brenston Askew*



James Harrell - July 06, 2024 at 10:43 AM



“ *He was a fantastic singer. Sing in the heavenly choir Mr Brent. You will be missed.*

Devon Sessoms - July 06, 2024 at 10:04 AM

SJ

“ *Sharon Jenkins lit a candle in memory of  
Roger Brenston Askew*



Sharon Jenkins - July 06, 2024 at 09:02 AM

CR

“ We are going to miss you Brent, 🙏🙏🙏



Crystal Reid - July 05, 2024 at 09:39 PM

MESSAGES

Hi Devon, it's me God. 🙏  
Devon, even though life has taken you toward a different direction, our deep connection remains unbroken. I am always with you, and I want you to know how incredibly proud I am of you. You possess more strength than you realize. Keep your faith, keep moving forward, and remember that I am here to support you if you face challenges.

“ Devon Sessoms sent a virtual gift in memory of Roger Brenston Askew



Devon Sessoms - July 05, 2024 at 09:25 PM

BB

“ Bernard Bond planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Roger Brentson Askew.

Bernard Bond - July 05, 2024 at 08:05 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Roger Brenston Askew.



July 05, 2024 at 08:05 PM

CS

“ *Kia, you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. My family send our deepest condolences and sympathies. May God grant you all peace that surpasses all understanding. I'm sending lots of love & hugs your way today, tomorrow, the weeks, and months ahead. Just know my family is here for you.*

*Love,  
Crissy & Family*



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**Crissy Stewart** - July 05, 2024 at 07:52 PM

MW

“ *Mary Ann Worthington lit a candle in memory of Roger Brenston Askew*



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**Mary Ann Worthington** - July 05, 2024 at 07:40 PM