



## Cornelious Burton Weeks, Jr.

September 28, 1927 - February 7, 2020

Cornelious Burton Weeks Jr. (September 28, 1927- February 07, 2020) was born in Washington D.C. to Cornelious Burton Weeks Sr. and Lillian Roger Weeks, at Columbia Hospital for Women. He grew up between D.C. and Fairmont Heights, MD, and attended Howard University for 2 years with a focus on the arts, specifically music. He was remembered as having a deep, mellifluous, bass singing voice of unusual resonance and beauty. He entered military service in the U.S. Airforce from January 1946 through December 1947 and was honorably discharged. He was a skilled contractor/ handyman, and could work in most mediums including carpentry, roofing, electrical, painting and masonry. If it was broken, he could fix it! At his last two residences, Senior facilities at Woodbridge Apartments in Fort Washington, MD, and The Vistas at Lake Largo in Upper Marlboro, MD- he was known for his generosity, quick wit, sense of humor, and especially for his regimen of brisk walking 4-5 miles every other day, along with his reading 4-5 newspapers daily- even at 92 years old! Mr. Weeks was on track to surpass even the longevity of his beloved mother, who lived to be 101 years old. Tragically, his life was abruptly taken on February 07, 2020 when He was struck down by a vehicle traveling East Bound at 6910 Annapolis Road in Hyattsville, MD at approximately 5:20 pm. The driver did not stop to render assistance but fled the scene of the crime and is still at large. He was taken to UM Prince George County Hospital Center where he passed and hour later.

He is predeceased by his father and mother, six of his siblings as well as his nephew Christian Deschene. He leaves behind his older sister Leelia Padilla-96 years young, and over a dozen nieces and nephews- to whom he was known as Uncle Sunny. His ashes will be buried at the family plot at Lincoln Memorial Cemetery 4001 Suitland Road, Suitland MD, 20746 on Monday March 30, 2020 at 11 am. including a ceremony with a small Military Honor Guard. All are welcome to attend. If you have any information regarding the identity of the hit-and-run driver, please contact the Prince George County Police at 301-731-4422 and/or Mr. Weeks' nephew Kirk Taylor, at 818-470-4070.

# Tribute Wall

MP

“ I'll always remember you fondly Mr.Weeks. One of my most favorite people in this world. God blessed you with a long life but I still feel like it wasn't long enough. Now you have eternal life. Keep my husband company up there. God bless

Michelle Perkins - February 22, 2021 at 03:26 PM

PW

“ Good late afternoon: Mr. Weeks though the quiet one in the room, always managed to have the biggest heart!

PastorNadine Washington - March 11, 2020 at 04:39 PM

CO

“ Cornelius \"Sonny\" what a quintessential man who blessed those fortunate to receive his offerings with so much more than mere gifts. His life, laughter, kindness & gentlemanship was evidenced in all he gave. I never met Sonny in person but through his family Kirk I met the measure of a msn with a big heart. May your rest in the arms of Jesus give your loved ones the comfort of knowing that we prayed for you it was revealed that was your final embrace as you received him. My condolences to the family in the bittersweetness of your departure as we find celebration of your life in every remembrance of your brilliance 💕 Our love & prayers are with you. ❤️

Cornelia - March 11, 2020 at 02:55 PM