



Preston Parker

May 10, 1921 - January 31, 2011

On Monday, January 31, 2011 of Alexandria, VA. Loving father of Dawn Cain; Preston (Lois) Parker, Jr. and Patrice (Bill) Nowlan. Brother of Victor Parker. Grandfather of Sarah, Jennifer, Bridget, Lindsay and Natalie. Great-grandfather of Andrew, Chloe, Joshua, Parker and Lydia. Memorial contributions may be made to: The Salvation Army.

Tribute Wall



“ *Preston Parker*

October 27, 2022 at 09:45 PM



“ *He is healing the broken hearted ones, and is binding up their painful spots. (Psalms 46:1)*

February 12, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *Those who live with the Lord never see each other for the last time*

February 09, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ *My condolences to the Parker family.As a kid, I played on his football teams.As a young man,I worked along side him at the Alexandria Post Office.He will be in my memory bank forever.You are in heaven now Ike.God bless you old friend.Love Ya.Jack Robinson.*

February 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ I was deeply saddened to read of the loss of Ike. I first recall Ike as a very speedy, talented, and highly competitive athlete in Alexandria's softball leagues in the '40's and '50's. A team with Ike and Jimmy Higgens was tough to beat! Later Ike coached me in Alexandria's summer baseball leagues. He would drive around in his convertible and pick up potential players until he had a full team, consequently he never had to forfeit a game. He exhibited the same competitive spirit as a coach as he had as a player and won often. I believe the lessons I learned from Ike helped me achieve athletic success at George Washington High School and the College of William and Mary. I was delighted that The Alexandria Sportsman's Club saw fit to honor him for his contributions to youth athletics at it Annual Banquet in 2009. I'm sure his competitive spirit lives in his children and grandchildren and that's a remarkable inheritance. Please accept my condolences, Jerry File

February 07, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ I am Donna, the Mother of Dawn, Preston and Patrice Parker. I am so very proud of my daughters for the years of loving care and devotion that they have given to their Father as well as me. He was an American Hero, serving in the Pacific theater during WW II. No one knows better than I of the endless hours that Ike devoted to coaching, playing and officiating at all sports. Rest in Peace. Donna

February 06, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ So sorry for you and your Family loss. Ike was my friend and best coach I ever had. As a young kid living in John Roberts Homes Ike gave me lots of great memories. His freindship, laughter and drive gave me the support and drive to be all I could be. He went out of his way to make sure all the kids in John Roberts Home got the chance to enjoy sports. Never did he ask for anything other then winning. That said, he made you work harder if you lost. Using his topless car, he would drive thru the project picking up kids, share his time with us and bring us home. Being short, he was one of the friendliest giant of a man and coach I ever had. I know he is coaching kids in Heaven right now. Love you Coach Ike!!! Thanks for the wonderful memories. Your friend, Wes.

February 06, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ We will always have fond memories of Ike. He was generous with his time and attention. He was a dedicated soccer coach to the girls. What a role model for fitness he was! We still think of his long bike rides. We are glad to have known him. We wish him and your family peace. In deepest sympathy, Andy, Pam and Kelsey

February 06, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ We are so sorry for your loss. Ike was not only a good friend of my father, Robert Scheuerman. But, he also became a good friend to my family. He was a wonderful coach, to my daughters, Kristina and Shannon and too many other young girls. He will truly be missed. George and Brenda Rumore

February 03, 2011 at 12:00 AM