

IN MEMORIAM

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***Footprints in the Sand***

*One night I dreamed I was walking  
Along the beach with the Lord.*

*Many scenes from my life flashed across the sky.  
In each scene I noticed footprints in the sand.*

*Sometimes there were two sets of footprints.  
Other times there were one set of footprints.*

*This bothered me because I noticed that  
During the low periods of my life when I was*

*Suffering from anguish, sorrow, or defeat,  
I could see only one set of footprints,*

*So I said to the Lord, "You promised me,  
Lord, that if I followed You,  
You would walk with me always.*

*But I noticed that during the most trying periods  
Of my life there have only been  
One set of prints in the sand.*

*Why, When I have needed You most,  
You have not been there for me?"*

*The Lord replied,  
"The times when you have seen only one set of footprints  
Is when I carried you."*

MEMORIAL SERVICE

JULY 24, 2010 11:00 A.M.

BURDOCK FUNERAL HOME  
OAKLAND, MARYLAND

INTERMENT: DEER PARK CEMETERY

RECEPTION AND FELLOWSHIP:  
ST. PAUL'S UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
OAK AND 4<sup>TH</sup> STREETS, OAKLAND, MD

CHARLES E. PARISEAU, D.C.C., OFFICIATING

*Funeral Service:*

**Welcome and Greeting**

*Precious Memories – Tammy Wynette*

**Opening Prayer**

*Amazing Grace – Leann Rimes (a capella)*

**Selected Scriptures:**

Revelation 21:1-6  
Hebrews 12:1-2  
John 5:24

*Go Rest High on that Mountain – Vince Gill*

**Obituary & Eulogy**

**Shared Memories – Family Members**

*My Way – Elvis Presley*

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*Graveside:*

**Words of Committal**

**Closing Prayer and Benediction**

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**Selected Scripture Verses**

**Revelation 21:1-6**

1 And I saw a new heaven and a new earth: for the first heaven and the first earth were passed away; and there was no more sea. 2 And I John saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down from God out of heaven, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband. 3 And I heard a great voice out of heaven saying, Behold, the tabernacle of God *is* with men, and he will dwell with them, and they shall be his people, and God himself shall be with them, *and be* their God. 4 **And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain: for the former things are passed away.** 5 **And he that sat upon the throne said, Behold, I make all things new.** And he said unto me, **Write: for these words are true and faithful.** 6 And he said unto me, **It is done. I am Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the end. I will give unto him that is athirst of the fountain of the water of life freely.**

Hebrews 12:1-2

1 **Wherefore seeing we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses,** let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset *us*, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us, 2 **Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of *our* faith;** who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God.

John 5:24

24 **Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that heareth my word, and believeth on him that sent me, hath everlasting life, and shall not come into condemnation; but is passed from death unto life.**