



Marion Nathaniel Milton Jr.

October 25, 1960 - July 1, 2019

MARION NATHANIEL MILTON JR., devoted son of Christina S. Milton and the late Marion Milton, Sr., was born on October 25, 1960, in Charleston, S.C. and departed this life on July 1, 2019, after a brief illness.

He completed his secondary education at Edmondson High School and began his college education attending the University of Maryland; and was a graduate of Morgan State University, where he received a Bachelor's Degree in Civil Engineering. During his career, Marion worked for the state of Ohio and South Carolina Departments of Transportation. For over twenty years prior to the time of his illness, he was employed with the Maryland Department of Transportation State Highway Administration Office and most recently in the office of Planning and Preliminary Engineering as a Team Leader in the Travel Forecasting and Analysis Division.

Marion was a man of great passion and great humor and he was affectionately known to his family as "June." He was a craftsman and artist who enjoyed working with his hands; completing projects from home renovations to creating his own artwork. He often used his skills and talent as gifts to his friends and family. His family, friends and co-workers came to know Marion as that person who selflessly wanted to put a smile on everyone's face with his humor and wit. He will be dearly missed by those who came to know him and all will take some part of him that will keep his life and his legacy strong.

Marion leaves to celebrate his life: his loving mother, Christina S. Milton; his sister, Alma Green; his niece, Deneshia Davis; special uncle, John F. Singleton; and uncles, William and Louis Singleton; aunts, Doris Grant, Janie Ancrum and Mable Warren; and a host of cousins and other relatives.

Events

JUL **Viewing** 02:00PM - 08:00PM

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March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore

4300 Wabash Avenue, Baltimore, MD, US, 21215

JUL **Family Hour** 05:00PM - 07:00PM

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JUL **Wake** 10:30AM - 11:00AM

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Woodlawn Park Church of Christ

7222 Ambassador Road, Windsor Mill, MD, US, 21244

JUL **Service** 11:00AM

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Comments



“ Marion always had the most upbeat, amazing spirit in the workplace. When it was time for serious business, he was always somebody you could go to for help and he would graciously take time out of his day to help you out. But every single day, he would make sure he put a smile on your face by joking with you and making you laugh by saying some ridiculous and hilarious things. He will be missed greatly, but absolutely never forgotten. Such an incredible man.

Kylie - July 11 at 02:35 PM



“ To Marion's family, I offer my heartfelt condolences and prayers. May the memories you have of Marion be a balm to your heart and ease the loss of your loved one. I didn't know him on a personal level, I worked in the section across from his and we would pass each other in the hallway and speak. He seemed like a quiet, friendly soul. I will miss seeing him in the hallway coming and going. Family, take care and be encouraged. Hold onto God's Unchanging Hands He will see you through.

-Demaris "Dee" Alexander



Demaris Alexander - July 09 at 01:46 PM



“ Love Everlasting Bouquet was purchased for the family of Marion Nathaniel Milton Jr..



July 09 at 12:56 PM



“ My last conversation with Marion was regarding the recent pay increase (April) and the forthcoming pay increase (July) which our union negotiated. Marion was a strong supporter of the Maryland Professional Employees Council (MPEC) and he thanked me for every benefit that was protected, and victory won. He was so looking forward to the July 2019 increase. If you knew Marion you knew how much he loved his mother and he said every increase he got went towards helping his mother. As fate would have it the day the next pay increase went into effect was the day Marion passed. I want the family to know that God’s reward to Marion for a job well done while still in the body does not compare to the reward he will receive in Heaven. “Well done my good and faithful servant! You have been faithful with a few things; I will put you in charge of many things. Enter into the joy of the Lord!” Matthew 25:21.
Jerry Smith, President
MPEC Local 6197

Jerry Smith - July 08 at 03:12 PM



“ From The McFadden Family - Pat, Nina & 'J' purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Marion Nathaniel Milton Jr..



From The McFadden Family - Pat, Nina & 'J' - July 08 at 10:48 AM



“ Stephanie Haden (Coates) lit a candle in memory of Marion Nathaniel Milton Jr.



Stephanie Haden (Coates) - July 08 at 08:50 AM



“ While only working with Marion for a short time, I quickly realized he brought an energy and spirit to the workplace that not many people can. He always had a good story and always liked to jumpstart an interesting or funny discussion. Thank you Marion for helping me quickly adjust to a new team and for all your wisdom. I will make sure to always put it to good use.



“ I knew Mario for nearly 50 years and I can truly say that we lost a tremendous man, son, nephew, co-worker, and for me, a best friend. Mario helped so many with his talents, gifts, skills and intelligence. If Mario accepted you as friend, there was nothing he would not do for you. He was truly a generous and selfless individual. Mario and I were each other sounding board and would talk quite often. Sometimes we would discuss work and events in our personal lives, and other times it was heated discussions about local and national politics. Those discussions were always interesting, and although many times we would disagree, we would always come back for the next round. I will truly miss those talks.

Marion was also a multi-talented individual. Along with being a Civil Engineer, Mario also had exceptional skills in plumbing, electrical, and carpentry. He also had artistic abilities. Not only did he use those skills to transform his own home, he would very often use those skills to help others. It was truly remarkable that he would take on major jobs by himself that most would use a crew to accomplish. And because he was a perfectionist, the work was always performed to the highest possible standards.

When you got to know Mario, he was a very warm, caring and even funny individual. This was very evident in the way he looked after his Mom, Sister and Niece. They truly met the world to him and there was nothing he would not do for them. And if you knew Mario, you knew his two very large dogs that he acquired as puppies, Ivan and Natasha. They were a Rottweiler/Pitbull mix. The way he cared for those dogs was truly remarkable. Initially he built a large kennel complete with two rooms and heating (yes heating). As the weather got colder and the dogs got older, we let them stay in the house with him. He would make a stew for them which was probable better than many people would eat for dinner.

There is so much more to know about Mario and there was so much more he want to do. Those of us who were privileged to be part of his circle know that he was a very special, caring and talented individual, and a true friend. My sincerest condolences go out to his Mom, Sister, Niece, Uncle and all other members of his family. I know the loss of Mario is extremely hard on you as it is for me. (I still struggle with knowing he will not be around.) May you find comfort in Mario's memories and may God bless you all and help you through this very difficult time.

Mark Dickerson - July 08 at 08:23 AM



“ Typo correction: In the 3rd paragraph, it should state, "...he would let them stay in the house with him."

Mark Dickerson - July 08 at 01:34 PM



“ I offer my condolences to the family of Brother Marion. I've had many talks with him about sports, and life. He was a very nice man. I departed from State Highway 2yrs ago...Which it took me awhile to think about who he was. So when i saw his face. I was soo lost for words! Life has a way of showing us to live in the moment and enjoy it as much as possible. You will be missed Marion.

Michael Black - July 09 at 10:38 AM



“ I offer my sincere condolences to the family of brother Marion. May you all be blessed with courage and fortitude in the mourning of our loss. Marion my fellow Morgan State University Alum was my younger yet senior brother here at MDOT State Highway Administration. He increasingly earned my respect and friendship following his eloquent speech that eulogized our late mutual MSU professor. As a guardian of our historical roots he was vehemently opposed to any notion of reversing the strides of our ethnic humanity. We recently conversed on my upcoming retirement, unaware that he would transition before that time manifested. I am indeed proud and thankful alike others to have known Marion as a mentor, collaborator, and person of quiet yet strong personality. Marion, in your transition may our Divine Creator grant you peace in the hereafter. Respectfully, Dr. Jawad Abdullah.



Dr. Jawad Abdullah - July 08 at 08:02 AM



“ Marion & "his girls". You were part of our family and we will never forget you.

- The girls at SHA



Carole - July 05 at 01:57 PM



“ Working with Marion was a honor. Sitting in the same pod at SHA for so many years, was a true great time. We became good friends. I looked forward to our coffee time, every morning. We helped keep Dukin Donuts in business. We discussed every subject on earth. We may not have solved any of the many problems, but we sure

enjoyed batting

them around.

Now he will discuss them with the angels. I hope they have good coffee.

His passing puts a real sorrow in my heart.

God Bless you my friend,

Bob Piazza

Bob Piazza - July 05 at 11:30 AM



“ We the March Family and Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.

March Funeral Homes - July 04 at 09:47 AM