



Avon Sylvester Davage Sr.

December 26, 1924 - December 11, 2011

AVON SYLVESTER DAVAGE, SR., son of the late Sadie Maria Simmons and the late Robert Davage was born on December 26, 1924 and departed this life on December 11, 2011. His sister Florence Delores King preceded him in death.

He was educated in the Baltimore City Public School System graduating from Frederick Douglass High School in February of 1943.

He entered the United States Army serving in WWII for two years before receiving an honorable discharge in 1945. he entered and completed the Philadelphia Mortuary Science School and graduated with certification. He was an interior window decorator for Stewart and Giant Foods. Avon worked for twenty-nine years with the United States Government Printing Office retiring as a Lieutenant in the Federal Police Service.

Avon met the lovely Glendora Keeve during 1965 and they got married February 16, 1966. Of this union Avon Jr. was born in 1969.

As a member and trustee of Macedonia Baptist Church he served his church well in the Food Bank, as Chairperson of Homecoming 1994 and was awarded "Man of the Year" 1996.

Avon could be seen weekly changing the Sunday and weekly exterior announcement bulletin so that church members and the community were always aware of upcoming events at Macedonia. He engaged in many miscellaneous repair jobs with fellow trustee with great satisfaction.

Avon has been considered the “Elder of the Simmons” family. He was always available to advise nieces, nephews and other relatives when called upon. Avon was known as the “Family Historian.”

Avon leaves to mourn: his son, Avon S. Davage, Jr.; granddaughter, Alexis S. Davage; stepchildren, Harry, Linda and Deborah (Kip); nieces Loretta, Linda and Lenora (Kirk); nephews, Ralph and Reginald; special great-nephew, Justin; cousins, Ardena, Gladys (Windell) and Cora; sisters-in-law, Iona (William), Edith (Robert), Shirley (Charles), Margaret (Douglass), Jean (Donald) and Gloria; brother-in-law, Samuel; dear friend, Mildred Hamilton; daughter-in-law, Keisha and Janice; and a host of other dear relatives and friends.

Glendora Davage preceded Avon S. Davage, Sr. in death.

Cemetery Details

Arbutus

1101 Sulphur Spring Rd.
Baltimore, MD 21227

Previous Events

Public Viewing

DEC 16. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore
4300 Wabash Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215
(410) 542-2400
info@marchfh.com

Wake

DEC 17. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Macedonia Bapt. Church
718 W. Lafayette Ave
Baltimore, MD

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Avon Sylvester Davage Sr.

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ My condolences to the family. Please take comfort in knowing that the bible gives us the hope of a resurrection at John 5:28,29.

Ms. Howard - December 14, 2011 at 10:26 AM



“ I'm so sorry for your loss and would like to offer my condolences to your family. Death is such a terrible thing for a family to go through, I actually lost my mom about 3yrs ago. I'm truly grateful that I have the truth about death and look forward to the future when there will be a resurrection of both the righteous and the unrighteous.”— ACTS 24:15. I'm sure you would love to see your dead loved one again in the coming Paradise here on earth! Again so sorry for your loss!!

Ms Springer - December 14, 2011 at 04:27 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 - December 13, 2011 at 02:49 PM