



## **Bernard I. Berry Sr.**

October 1, 1938 - June 7, 2018

Bernard Isaiah Berry, Sr., son of the late William Henry Berry and Beatrice Estell Collins Berry, was born on October 1, 1938 in Baltimore, Maryland. He went home to be with the Lord peacefully on June 7, 2018.

Bernard grew up in South Baltimore in a historic part of the city known as "pig Town". He received his education in the Baltimore public school system. In the 1950's, he attended Southern High School becoming one of the first African American to integrate the school.

After high school, Bernard worked at Nick's Sub Shop. As a butcher, he would hand carve fresh meat and create wonderfully made meals for all who dined there. He also worked at the Sweetheart Cup Company. His final workplace was Firestone Tire from which he retired after 40 years of service.

Bernard's interests included playing pool and various card games. He was an avid sports fan who loved his home town teams, the Orioles and the Ravens.

Bernard's Christian life began at the First Greater Harvest Church/River Brook Church under the leadership of Bishop Jeffery E. Mitchell. He was baptized in Jesus's name on November 16, 2008. He remained faithful to God and his church until his passing.

In 1960, Bernard met, fell in love with and married Betty Mae "Shirley" Burton. Their union was blessed with four biological children: Sheron Galloway (Jesse), Judy Wiggins (Avery), Bernard I. Berry, Jr. (Felecia) and Andre Berry (Preceded him in death. Later they were blessed to love and care for two more sons, Rafael Berry and Theodore Berry.

In addition to his children, Bernard leaves to cherish his memory: his sister, Susan Spencer (Calvin); his grandchildren, Sean Galloway (Lisha), Shannon George (Calvin), Tiffany Thomas (Eugene), Dorian Turner (Terea), Dana Galloway, Brittany Berry, Joshua Turner (preceded him in death), Jackie Galloway and Orlando Galloway; twenty two great grand-children (one preceded him in death); five great-great grandchildren (one preceded him in death); and a host of nieces, nephews, surrogate children, surrogate grandchildren and special friends.

# Cemetery Details

## King Park

8710 Dogwood Road  
Baltimore, MD 21244

# Previous Events

## viewing

JUN 15. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

## Family Hour

JUN 15. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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## Wake

JUN 16. 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

JUN 16. 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Bernard I. Berry Sr.*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Edna LaForte lit a candle in memory of Bernard I. Berry Sr.*



**Edna LaForte** - June 11, 2018 at 05:36 PM



*May the Lord continue to watch over you. RIP*

**Edna LaForte** - June 11, 2018 at 05:39 PM



“ *Connie Lewis lit a candle in memory of Bernard I. Berry Sr.*



**Connie Lewis** - June 11, 2018 at 04:20 PM



*RIP, YOU ARE GREATLY MISSED!*

**Connie Lewis** - June 11, 2018 at 04:22 PM

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*“ RIP my card buddy. you will be greatly missed.God bless the family.Always will remember the good times.and our cards on friday night love,Monica.*



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**monica poland** - June 11, 2018 at 03:02 PM



*“ 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.*

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**March Funeral Homes** - June 09, 2018 at 03:28 PM