



## Calvin Wilson

March 30, 1933 - February 12, 2021

CALVIN WILSON, son of the late David Roosevelt and Annie B. Wilson, was born March 30, 1933 in Baltimore, Maryland. After a short term illness he peacefully received his wings on Friday, February 12, 2021 at home with his family.

Calvin was very dedicated to his family. He loved taking his children to baseball games, the park and to the beach. He loved visiting family and friends at the Eastern Shore in Grasonville, Maryland, and visiting historic sites with his children. His hobbies were hunting, fishing and crabbing with his dad and brothers-in law.

He received his education in the Baltimore County Public Schools, graduating from Sollers Point High School. After completing his education, he joined the U.S. Army, May 18, 1953. He served for two years and received an honorable discharge as Corporal (CPL). He was employed at The Sparrows Point Bethlehem Steel Mill for 34 years as an inspector. After he retired, he worked part-time engraving plates for trophies and plaques for his late brother-in-law, Gordon Stills, "Thank You Shop>"

It was at Sollers Point High School that he met his wife-to-be, Mary Rose Jones. They were united in holy matrimony on December 12, 1954. Out of their loving union came three children, two daughters, Patricia Ann, Cathy

Rose and one son, Calvin Jr. On December 12, 2020 Calvin and Mary celebrated 66 years of marriage.

Calvin was a member of the Galilee Baptist Church. He was a member of the Serine Gospel Choir, served on the Deacon Board and as a Missionary. As a young man he assisted his mother, Annie B. Wilson, one of the founders of the "Old Galilee Baptist Church," clean the church to prepare for Sunday service. He prepared a fire in the church stove to warm up the chapel before each service.

Calvin was very artistic. He designed banners for the Galilee Baptist Church annual "Friends Day" themes. He built a ship from wall to wall in front of the choir stands, for the choir to board and sail away. The ship was named "The Old Ship of Zion." Church family and visiting guests raved over his creative talent from God. His favorite songs were, "Ask what you will of the Savior," and "Try Jesus."

Calvin leaves to cherish his memory: devoted wife, Mary R. Wilson; his children, Patricia A. Ramsey, Cathy R. Wilson and Calvin Wilson, Jr.; daughter-in-law, Rosalind Wilson; sons-in-law, Ricardo L. Ramsey, (former) Hezekiah Brown; one sister, Mary M. Little; brother-in-law, Needham Jones, Jr.; two sisters-in-law, Mary Frances Jones and Jeanette M. Lewis; six grandchildren, Calvin Wilson, III, wife, Holly Wilson, Krystal Lyttle, husband, Mark Lyttle, Aja R. Ramsey and Justice E.J. Ramsey; five greatgrandchildren, Callie A. Wilson, Evan U. Wilson, Aidan A. Lyttle, Austin A. Lyttle and Aldin A. Lyttle; many nieces, nephews and a host of other relatives and friends.

Three siblings preceded him in death, Anna B. Corporal, David E. Wilson and James M. Wilson, Sr.



# Cemetery Details

## Garrison Forest Veterans

11501 Garrison Forest Road  
Owings Mills, MD

# Previous Events

## viewing

FEB **22**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home - East  
1101 E. North Avenue  
Baltimore, MD 21202

## Wake

FEB **23**. 9:00 AM - 9:30 AM (ET)

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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *To View the Webcast of the Funeral for Calvin Wilson, Please Click the Link below.*



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**March Funeral Homes** - February 20, 2021 at 09:28 AM



“ *Calvin Wilson*

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October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Sending much love and prayers to our beloved cousins, Mary Rose, Pat, Cathy and Calvin, Jr. (Rosalind) We want you to know how much Deacon Wilson meant to us...a great example and wonderful soldier of the cross. We enjoyed his ministry in song and as a leader in the church. We will always remember the bond and friendship that he and our father, Deacon Melvin Gardner, were blessed with. We know Deacon Wilson is with the Lord and enjoying the rewards that God has bestowed upon him for his faithfulness. We love you all. We will be in touch soon. (We tried to call a few times but were unable to get through. We understand and will try again another time.)*

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**Robert, Michelle and Kayla Pringle** - February 23, 2021 at 08:41 AM

EH

“ Timothy 4:7

....Mr. Calvin Wilson, Sr,  
-He fought a good fight.  
-He kept the faith.  
-He finished the course.

.....To Mrs. Wilson, Pat, Cathy, and Junny:  
-May God give strength to bear this loss as only he can do.  
-And grant his living comfort to your family and to you.  
Our prayers are with each of you during this difficult time, hang in there, keep the faith.

James & Elgitha [Barbara] Wright

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**Elgitha Hardy-Wright** - February 23, 2021 at 06:47 AM

JJ

“ Our Condolences to the family of Deacon Calvin Wilson. It has been a blessing working with Mr. Calvin as a missionary of the Galilee Baptist Church. Thank you for your service.  
Arthur & Janet Jones



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**Janet Jones** - February 23, 2021 at 12:18 AM



“ *It's with a heavy heart we send our deepest and sincerest sympathy to our beloved cousins. Truly cousin Calvin will be missed. I will miss him singing, "Try Jesus," and his sweet humbled spirit! May the Lord continue to carry you all in His precious arms of love! I love you Mrs Mary Rose, Pat, Cathy, Calvin and our entire family! God keep you all. 🕊️*

*Frank and Vanessa Sharp*



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**Vanessa Sharp** - February 22, 2021 at 11:27 AM

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“ *Expressing our heartfelt condolences on the loss of your dear loved one. Our thoughts and prayers are with you Sis. Mary Rose and entire family. May the Lord bless and keep you in his care.*

*Mildred Ranson and Shirli*



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**Shirli** - February 20, 2021 at 07:05 PM

AP

“ *Our sincere condolences to Aunt MaryRose, Cathy, Pat and Juny. Uncle Calvin will always be on our hearts. Cedric, Cherise, Chance, Kaedence and Joyce.*

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**Audrey Pruitt** - February 20, 2021 at 02:51 PM

CA

“ We , The Kidd, Alexander, Abbott, and Gardner family send our ❤️ love, peace, comfort and deepest condolences to our beloved family, Cousins Mary Rose, Pat, and family, Calvin Jr ,Rosalyn and family ,Cathy and all grandchildren and All Young and Wilson family members. Calvin was a gentle spirit, a blessed Man of God and The fortress of his family as the blessed and beloved Husband, Father, and Grandfather. You will be greatly missed our dearest and loving cousin. You now have The Victory ! 🙏🙏🙏 Rest and wear your golden crown and long white robe. We love you deeply and dearly. To GOD Be The Glory!

Cynthia and Aubrey Alexander - February 20, 2021 at 12:41 AM

MF

“ Our hearts are saddened to have heard of the passing of Cousin Calvin. He will be missed. He was a respectable example for our family and community where we lived. We will forever remember his love, kindness that he shared with us. We will keep Cousins: Mary Rose, Patricia, Cathy, and Calvin Jr. and their families in our prayers. With our deepest sympathy, Cousins Mitchell and Lethia (Plumpy) Farmer

Mitchell and Lethia Farmer - February 19, 2021 at 05:48 PM

TF

“ Thomas Wayne Tribble & Extended Family purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Calvin Wilson.



Thomas Wayne Tribble & Extended Family - February 19, 2021 at 02:40 PM

TW

“ We the Tribble Family send our deepest sympathy to the Wilson Family doing this time of sorrow. May the Lord bless you and keep you in this time of mourning the loss of your loved one, reminding you of treasured memories, and the gift of shared love. May he inspire you with the reflection of heaven in earth, from the seeds and flowers, to the mountains and springs. And may you feel the Lord with you, walking besides you in the loneliness, taking your hand in the hardest times and carrying you through the waters of grief. May you be safe and treasured in his hand.

Amen.

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**Thomas Wayne** - February 19, 2021 at 02:36 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** - February 19, 2021 at 01:05 PM