



## Charles D Artis

October 14, 1932 - February 22, 2024

CHARLES DOUGLAS ARTIS, son of the late Charles Artis and Lucille Gorham Artis, was born on October 14, 1932, in Farmville, NC. He departed this life peacefully on February 22, 2024.

Charles received his education in the public schools in Farmville, NC, graduating from high school in 1950. He started his Christian journey at the St. John Missionary Baptist Church in Farmville. When he moved to Baltimore he continued his Christian walk at Gillis Memorial Christian Community Church, under the late Pastor Rev. Theodore C. Jackson, Sr. Charles was later baptized by the late Rev. Theodore Jackson, Jr. He loved and supported his church, where he served on the security ministry until his health no longer allowed him to serve.

When Charles came to Baltimore he attended Morgan State College, now Morgan State University. In his junior year he was drafted into the United States Army. While he could have sought a deferment, he opted instead to fulfill his military obligation. He was honorably discharged after serving two years.

Charles returned to Morgan to complete his education while working at the Social Security Administration. He worked there for several years before transferring to the United States Postal Service, retiring after 36 years. He was selected to attend the United States Postal Management Academy in Potomac, MD. While working for the Postal Service, he became active with the Post Office Federal Credit Union (POFCU). After retiring from the Postal Service he continued working 18 years for the POFCU elevating himself to Chief Financial Officer.

Charles leaves to cherish his memory: two aunts, Nanny Brown Dixon and Juene Gorham; two uncles, William Gorham and Larry Gorham; a cousin/brother, William Hansley (who was his caregiver); two nieces, Beatrice Reid and Celeste Reid; two nephews, Theodore Cubett and Glen Frazier; two very good friends, Arjorie Chandler and Otelia Booker; a host of cousins, other relatives and friends including Mr. Carl Caver who he talked to every day.

# Cemetery Details

## Sunset Memorial Park

9705 U.S 264 Alternate East  
Farmville, NC 27828

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

FEB 29. 3:30 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home - West  
4300 Wabash Avenue  
Baltimore, MD 21215

## Wake

MAR 1. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Christchurch and Ministries  
5720 Old Court Road  
Windsor Mill , MD 21244

## funeral

MAR 1. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ 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 27, 2024 at 03:43 PM