



Charles Frederick Rankin Sr

August 4, 1937 - June 13, 2014

CHARLES FREDERICK RANKIN SR., son of the late William Rankin and Lucretia Floyd, was born on August 4, 1937 in Melfa, Virginia. He departed this life on June 13, 2014 after a lengthy illness.

He received his education in Virginia where he graduated and then enlisted into the United States Army. There, he served during the Korean War and was honorably discharged. He then attended Auto Mechanic school in Baltimore, Maryland. Soon after earning his certification, he met and married the late Emma Rankin to whom he loved dearly and out of their union, a lovely family was formed which included the late Hattie B. Henry.

He began his career as a tractor trailer truck driver for McCormick and Company where he retired in 2000, after thirty-eight years. After retirement, he took on a part-time job to stay busy at the Warrington Condominium as a valet driver, which he enjoyed.

Charles was loved by many friends and family and will be sincerely missed by everyone who knew him. He was a loving and caring person and would do anything for anyone.

He leaves to mourn: his two sons, Charles Frederick Rankin Jr. and Kelvin Spencer Rankin Sr.; five daughters, Charlene F. Finnigan, Cheryl Berryhill

Holden, Emma, Mattie and Mary Alice Henry; thirteen grandchildren, Leslie Haley, Crosby and Jazmen Parham, Shamiera Coleman, Rashee, Devin and Khadijah Isaiah, Kelvin Jr. and Karmen Rankin, Shenita Finnigan, Cherricka Sample, Alexeus and Percell Berryhill; eighteen great-grandchildren; sister, Shirley Johnson; brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, nieces, nephews, and a host of other relatives and friends

Cemetery Details

Garrison Forest Veterans

11501 Garrison Forest Road
Owings Mills, MD

Previous Events

Public Viewing

JUN 19. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - East Baltimore
1101 East North Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21202
(410) 727-3300
info@marchfh.com

Family Hour

JUN 19. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home -East Family Hour
1101 E. North Ave.
Baltimore, MD 21202

Service

JUN 20. 9:30 AM (ET)

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Wake

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Tribute Wall



“ *Charles Frederick Rankin Sr*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Sorry for your loss, may Jehovah give you comfort in your time of need. 1Corinthians 1:3,4.*

Carolyn - June 27, 2014 at 09:54 AM



“ *Dear Family, My condolences are with all of you, for the loss of your dear loved one. During this difficult time may you find comfort in knowing that Jehovah the God of all tender mercies hates sickness and death. He views death as an enemy of mankind, and longs to do away with both of them. Revelation 21:3-4 "As the last enemy, death is to be brought to nothing..." And Isaiah 33:24 says "And no resident will say: "I am sick." If you have any questions please e-mail me or go to www.Jw.org.*

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“ *My sincere condolences to your family. Death of a loved one is never easy to deal with and our heavenly Father knows this very well. That is why he made this promise in his word the Holy Bible that very soon death will be swallowed up so that we will not experience that pain anymore. This is found your in Bible at Isaiah 25:8. His wonderful son, Jesus Christ not only promised that there will be a resurrection of those that died; (John 5:28, 29) but he also demonstrated it when he resurrected his dear friend Lazarus from death; (John Chapter 11).*

I hope that during this difficult time these and other delightful promises from our heavenly Father bring some comfort to your family.

For more faith building encouragement please visit www.jw.org.

Sincerely,

E Lewis - June 20, 2014 at 06:52 AM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Charles Frederick Rankin Sr.*



June 19, 2014 at 06:22 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 - June 15, 2014 at 01:14 PM