



Clifton Lee Kilpatrick

November 19, 1921 - December 28, 2015

Clifton Lee Kilpatrick was born November 19th, 1921 in Pitt County, North Carolina to the late Samuel Kilpatrick and Rena Smith.

“Cliff” as he was called by family, received his public schooling in North Carolina.

Moving to various places in North Carolina he learned the trade of brick masonry and carpentry and became skilled at his craft.

He later in life married Ida May Moore who preceded him in death and from this union one son was born, Dennis Kilpatrick.

In 1943 Clifton moved to Baltimore, Maryland, where he would work for many various companies and contractors utilizing his skills throughout the state of Maryland and took pride in telling people about the buildings that he helped to construct.

While in Baltimore during the mid 1960’s and 70’s Mr. Cliff, became totally attached to the Jackson, Thomas, Campbell and DeV Vaughn families and became a surrogate grandfather to many children, for he was the only grandfather that many of them knew, he was known by these surrogate grandchildren as “Gramps”. Gramps was the taxi man the family desperately

needed when no one else had a car (Gramps kept a car), he would at any time drive his grandkids to stores, hospital clinics, even to Maryland Eastern Shore so they could visit family.

After going through a major sickness and receiving major surgery (12 hours) in 1997, after his recovery Clifton rededicated his life to Christ in 1999 at the opening service of the Holy Ground Apostolic Faith Church, 624 N. Castle Street. By the grace of God Bro. Kilpatrick was God sent and was a major help from the beginning, he built the pulpit that still stands at the church today and then the podium that lasted for many years. Bro. Kilpatrick (or Bro. Cliff) continued to be an active member in the church and was placed on the church Trustee Board. During the time that Bro. Cliff's health would begin to fail him and he was placed in assistance living nursing homes, he would still find the strength to want to come out to the church, even most recently being in poor health Bro. Cliff pressed his way out to church with the last time of his attendance being November 29th, 2015.

Bro. Cliff was from the "old school," he didn't make excuses, if he could not get it done, he believed God would make away. One of the major things that many will not forget about Bro. Kilpatrick is his great story telling, about the many adventures that happen to him during his course of life (most of them were hard to believe, but that was Bro. Cliff). Bro. Kilpatrick may not have been perfect, but he was faithful to his family and friends and church.

Being the oldest relative in his family, he leaves to mourn: his brother, Clinton and sisters, Carrie, Lousenda and Helen, who all preceded him in death; his son, Dennis Kilpatrick; daughter, Corinthia Denise Williams; grandchildren, Casandra and Dennis Kilpatrick, Jr. of Richmond, Virginia and granddaughter, Cleotarta Kenerson of Texas; his great grandchildren from Richmond, Virginia; daughters-in-law, Annabell Kilpatrick and Eva Kilpatrick; cousin, Arlene K. Scott; his many surrogate children and grandchildren of Baltimore, Maryland;

and a host of many other cousins, relatives and friends. We all will miss him.

Cemetery Details

Druid Ridge

Previous Events

Public Viewing

JAN 3. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - East Baltimore
1101 East North Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21202
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Wake

JAN 4. 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

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Service

JAN 4. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Clifton Lee Kilpatrick*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Sorry for your loss, may GOD give you comfort in your time of need.
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Yoanda Davis - December 29, 2015 at 07:25 PM



*In loving memory , of my grandfather who I never met
It took 41 years to receive a picture of you and get a idea of what you
looked like and as I can tell you we're full of personality now I know
we're I recieved It from may you rest in peace from your granddaughter
Cleopatra kenerson. Of El Paso texas.*

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“ *I will forever love Gramps, Mr. Cliff, he was always there for me and
transported all of Maryland, anytime day and night. You will be
missed. Thank you for all you have done for my family.*

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“ 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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