



## Cornelius Livingston Hall Jr.

August 25, 1947 - July 21, 2014

Cornelius Livingston Hall, Jr. (Neal) was born August 25, 1947 in Baltimore, Maryland and left this life on Monday, July 21, 2014. He was the first born of five siblings to the late Cornelius Livingston Hall, Sr. and Mary L. Johnson Hall. Neal was educated in the Baltimore City Public School System and graduated from Edmondson High School. At an early age, he was baptized at St. Joseph Freewill Baptist Church in 1950. In his later years, he joined the New Psalmist Baptist Church. He served in the United States Air Force from 1966 to 1970. After an honorable discharge, he was employed by the U.S. Postal Service, Baltimore City and retired as a bulk mail clerk after thirty-five years. While employed, he attended Morgan State University and graduated with a Bachelor's Degree in 1977. In 2002, Neal found the love of his life, Barbara B. Garvin, and they were married in 2007. He would often say that he had many years of a bachelor's life and was so grateful that God had favored him with a blessed woman to settle down with. He would often say, "Because of Barbara, I have favor and He never fails." Neal was an avid lover of jazz and the blues and frequented many of the live shows around town where he was known by many of the artists. If you ever visited Neal, you were certain to taste some of his delicious crab cakes and listen to some of his favorite artists and jazz collections like, "My Favorite Things," "Autumn Leaves" and Sarah Vaughn. You were charmed by his knowledge of music legends. He also enjoyed singing and was a member of The Brotherhood Choir at New Psalmist Baptist Church. His most favorite pastime was attending and

participating in train shows as a model train collector. He took much pride in building model train layouts. Neal also had a passion for cars, particularly convertibles. Neal was a believer in Christ and had a heart and concern for those less fortunate. After working many years at the USPS Baltimore Main Post Office, he came to know many of the homeless in the nearby park. Early in the morning, Neal would make breakfast sandwiches and bring them to the homeless people on the streets. Even after retiring, he would make weekly trips to visit and feed them. Neal was a real gentleman and friend to many, and it was not anything that he would not do if asked. Neal leaves to treasure wonderful memories: his loving wife, Barbara Hall; mother, Mary L. Hall; son, Devon Hall, Sr.; grandchildren, Devon, Jr., Ories, Destiny, Mary and Paris; brother, Roland E. Hall (Jaqui) (brother Dennis M. Hall preceded him in death); two sisters, Mary Hall Presley (Edward) and Pamela R. Titus (Robert); a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends including a dear friend, Milton Hayslett.

# Cemetery Details

## Garrison Forest Veterans

11501 Garrison Forest Road  
Owings Mills, MD

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

JUL 30. 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

JUL 30. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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4300 Wabash Avenue  
Baltimore, MD 21215  
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## Wake

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JUL 31. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

New Psalmist Baptist Church  
6020 Marian Dr.  
Baltimore, MD

## Service

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JUL 31. 11:00 AM (ET)

New Psalmist Baptist Church  
6020 Marian Dr.  
Baltimore, MD

# Tribute Wall



“ *Cornelius Livingston Hall Jr.*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *I know Neal from day one coming to work for the POST OFFICE. MOST OF ALL I REMEMBER HIS SMILE. HOW CLOSE HE AN BUSTER BECAME. VERY SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS. WE MEET IN 1969. GREAT FRIEND.*

**PATRICIA JEFFERSON** - July 31, 2014 at 10:25 AM



“ *I am truly saddened by your loss and I would like to extend my deepest sympathy n condolences to his wife, son Devon n Mrs.Denise. I'm glad I got a chance to meet him and share a wonderful memory. May he sleep in paradise n you find comfort in loving memories.*

**Ramona Boyd** - July 29, 2014 at 05:13 PM



“ *Jim and I would like to express our deepest sympathy. May the love that surronds you be a source of comfort at this time. Love,*

*Jim and Treva Boney*

**Ernest Boney** - July 29, 2014 at 04:47 PM

MD

“ Please accept our sincere condolences for the passing of our friend Neal. Our prayers are with you and your family.

*Mary R.Barkley-DeShields & Joyce Reeves-Wainwright  
Distribution Postal Company*

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**Mary DeShields** - July 29, 2014 at 09:37 AM

MA

“ I'm sorry for your loss, please accept my sincere condolences for the passing of your love one, I hope you will find comfort from this scripture Isaiah 25:8. knowing what Jesus says about the hope for those asleep in death. My prayer are with the family.

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**MAXINE** - July 28, 2014 at 05:53 PM

CA

“ Sorry to hear about the lost of our lifelong friend Neil. My prayers with his wife, Son, Denise and family. Going to miss you. Be bless and may the Lord give you comfort.  
*Much Love the Cauthorne's Family*

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**Cauthorne** - July 28, 2014 at 05:33 AM

EL

“ 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](http://www.jw.org).*

*Sincerely,  
E. Lewis*

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**E. Lewis** - July 25, 2014 at 05:51 AM

LJ

“ I would like to send my deepest sympathy to the family of Cornelius Livingston Hall. I know that this is a difficult time for you right now and would like to give some words of comfort. They are found at John 5: 28 and 29. They say: "Do not be amazed at this, for the hour is coming in which all those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice and come out..." So we see here that Almighty God promises that one day soon he will reunite us with are dear love and once again enjoy being with them.

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**L. Johnson** - July 24, 2014 at 06:19 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** - July 24, 2014 at 12:15 PM

AG

*May the love of those around you help you through the days ahead. Although no words can really help to ease the loss you bear, just know that you are very close in every thought and prayer. Your grief is shared by many. We will miss Neil too.*

*Please accept our heartfelt sympathy on the passing of your love one.*

*Addie, Willie, Michael and Michael Jr.*

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**Addie Garner** - July 30, 2014 at 10:46 AM