



## Edward L. Blake

December 27, 1965 - November 5, 2016

Edward Lamont Blake, affectionately known as “Eddie”, son of the late Doris Blake and the late Bill Brown, was born on December 27, 1965 in Cambridge, Maryland. Eddie departed this earth on November 5, 2016 after living a joyful 50 years of life.

Eddie moved to Baltimore, Maryland at a young age with his mom. As time passed, she entrusted him in the care of Dorothy and the late Marcel Kyler, who nurtured and guided him into his early teenage years. Eddie then met the late William “Bill” Day and they soon developed a father-son bond. Bill and his wife Peggy accepted Eddie into their home and raised him as if he was their own child. Eddie instantly involved himself into everything family. He was accepted by the immediate family as a son and brother and accepted as a relative by the extended families of both Bill and Peggy.

Eddie attended Baltimore City Public Schools and had many odd jobs over the years, but he found his career path working at Chimes, Inc. He enjoyed what he did and was glad to be doing what he liked, driving trucks. But mostly, he loved doing what he did best, helping others.

Eddie had a huge heart. He always showed love and compassion to everyone that crossed his path. Always with a bright smile, he kept everyone in stitches. Everyone mostly laughed at his foolishness, rather than laughing with him. He knew it, but it mattered not to Eddie because he accomplished his goal to leave an impression and put a smile on everyone’s face.

At family gatherings Eddie was the host with the most. He catered to

everyone's needs and often went overboard with his "good service". He was the life of any party. He loved to dance and talk plenty of smack. Eddie was such a unique individual that God surely broke the mold after He made him. To Eddie, his greatest accomplishment in life was his two children, Edesha and Eddie, Jr. He loved them immensely and would brag about them often to any and everyone.

Although Eddie will be greatly missed by his family and friends, we thank God for the lives he was able to touch. His loving spirit will be with us always. Eddie leaves to treasure his memory: a loving daughter, Edesha Blake; a loving son, Edward Blake Jr.; five sisters, Debbie Blake, Theresa Blake-Saunders, Pamela Beasley, Stacia McPherson (Sherman) and Yvette Lynch (Marlon); one brother, Phillip Ball (Robin); two surrogate mothers, Dorothy Kyler and Peggy Day; his Godparents, Franklin and Bernadette "Cookie" Crockett; his God sisters, Francene Walker, Veronica "Peachie" Hairston and Jessica Watson; and a host of other aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and friends. One other special God sister, Renita Crockett, preceded him in death, but we know she was there to welcome him home.

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

NOV 18. 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

NOV 18. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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## Wake

NOV 19. 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

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NOV 19. 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ I love and miss you soo much Dad, Happy New Year ❤️

Deesha Bee - January 10, 2023 at 12:55 PM



“ Edward L. Blake

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ For the past 11 years I have gotten to know Ed as one of the most kindest and affectionate persons I've ever seen. Ed whom I affectionately named Barry Black because of his deep sexy voice. Lol. Ed and my sister Dionne "Onnie" Winkey were inseparable. They were the life of any holiday event or family reunion which Ed attended every year at my home since day one. He traveled across the US with us on a regular basis. You couldn't keep Eddie away from Onnie. Eddie also worked for me part time cleaning and fixing my rental properties. He was always dependable. He loved working at Chimes and hated when he was too sick to do so. We still can't believe that Eddie is gone. I know that as a result of the events that have transpired between Edwards next of kin and his extended family, and my sister that Eddie is shocked and saddened, yet he continues to be a beacon of strength for Onnie amidst all that she has endured. I pray that God gives everyone the strength to get through this process with a open heart and a clear conscience especially those claiming to be religious/spiritual. God don't like ugly and he can desern the difference between good and evil and in the end God always wins. Peace and Blessings! Rest In Peace my brother-in-law ❤️❤️❤️🙏🙏



Danyell - November 19, 2016 at 07:12 AM

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“ *The Jacksons, Dennards & Stanleys purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Edward L. Blake.*



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**The Jacksons, Dennards & Stanleys** - November 18, 2016 at 03:32 PM

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“ *The Blake Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Edward L. Blake.*



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**The Blake Family** - November 17, 2016 at 01:36 PM

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“ *Daddy i love you ❤️😭 You got a Strong Daughter. I wont nevrerrrrr let you down i promiise to always Make you proud. Watch over Me & lil Eddie, 🙏*

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**Edesha Blake** - November 12, 2016 at 09:45 AM

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“ *I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your loved one. May the family find support in the many expressions of caring from relatives and friends and especially peace and comfort in knowing God cares for you. (1 Peter5:7).*

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**A.H.** - November 12, 2016 at 09:25 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.

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**March Funeral Homes** - November 11, 2016 at 08:31 AM