



Eugene G Ritchie Jr.

November 2, 1948 - December 21, 2025

Eugene Garnett Ritchie Jr. was born on November 2, 1948, in Fort Pierce, Florida, to the late Geneva Marjorie Patterson and Eugene Garnett Ritchie Sr. He departed this life on December 21, 2025, after a lengthy illness.

Eugene was raised in Baltimore, Maryland, and proudly called Edmondson Village home throughout his life. He remained deeply connected to his roots and took great pride in being an alumnus of Edmondson-Westside High School. The friendships he formed there became lifelong bonds, nurtured with care and loyalty over the years. A devoted and steadfast friend, Eugene maintained close relationships with his high school and college companions, whom he cherished and affectionately referred to as his brothers.

Eugene placed great value on education and achievement. He earned a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration from Morgan State University, a Master of Business Administration from the University of Pittsburgh, and a Juris Doctorate from the University of Maryland. His academic accomplishments mirrored his sharp intellect and disciplined approach to life.

Eugene was an exceptionally intelligent and accomplished man whose professional life reflected dedication, integrity, and excellence across multiple fields. He held positions of leadership and trust, including consultant with Harrison Boyd and Associates; Business Manager for WMAR-Channel 2 in

Baltimore; Director of Business Services for the Baltimore City Council's Equal Business Opportunity Office; and Senior Business Specialist for the Minority Business Enterprise Project at Morgan State University. He also successfully owned and operated an Accounting and Tax Preparation business for several years. Eugene concluded his distinguished career as a Real Estate Agent with the Baltimore City Department of Housing & Community Development.

To know Eugene was to know his beloved daughter, Christie. Being her father was one of the greatest joys of his life. He loved her unconditionally and was deeply proud of the woman she became. Eugene celebrated every milestone, stood beside her through every season, and found his greatest purpose in loving and protecting her. In time, that same devotion was beautifully returned. Christie cared for her father with extraordinary love, grace, and selflessness, remaining by his side and honoring him with the same unwavering care he had always given her. Their bond was a reflection of deep love, mutual respect, and a connection that will forever remain unbroken.

Eugene was a joy to be around. He was known for his dry sense of humor and quick wit. He enjoyed watching all sports, but was a huge Baltimore Ravens fan, his knowledge of sports statistics and history was impressive. Eugene was a passionate jazz enthusiast, an avid vinyl record collector, and a faithful attendee of the Hampton Jazz Festival and Capital Jazz events at Merriweather. His favorite artists included David Sanborn and Boney James. He also enjoyed collecting coins.

Eugene was a proud Life Member of Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc. He wore his letters with pride and would emphatically tell people that he was KAPsi to the day he dies. So from the mountain tops of KAPsi to the golden shores of Phi Nu Pi, farewell to a good brother.

Eugene shared a deep love of sports, music, and life's special moments with his devoted partner, Barbara. Over time, her family became his own, and they

embraced him fully, sharing holidays, celebrations, and meaningful moments. They loved him dearly and welcomed him with open arms, surrounding him with warmth, love, and family.

Eugene also shared a special bond with his beloved grand pup, Gemini, who brought him immense comfort and joy. She was truly his right hand pup, and wherever he went, Gemini was never far behind. Until her passing, they were inseparable, and the love they shared remained a constant source of happiness in his life.

Eugene was preceded in death by his brothers, Reginald Ritchie and Van Carter. He leaves to cherish his memory his daughter, Christie Brunson-Ritchie; his daughter-in-law, Shaq Jones; his stepdaughter, Ashley Estes (Anthony Estes); his brothers, George E. Carter Jr. and Greg Ritchie (Marcia Ritchie); his nieces, Tiye M. Carter and Kelly Gibson; his devoted partner, Barbara A. Hill; and a host of other relatives, dear friends, and loved ones.

Eugene was deeply loved, and his life leaves an enduring imprint of wisdom, loyalty, integrity, and love. Though he will be dearly missed, his presence will forever live on in the hearts of those who knew and cherished him.

Cemetery Details

King Memorial Park

8710 Dogwood Road
Baltimore, MD 21244

Previous Events

Wake

JAN 3. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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

Funeral Service

JAN 3. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

PS

“ EUGENE WAS A SCHOLAR & A GENTLEMAN!!
RIP MY FRIEND. TILL WE MEET AGAIN.
YOU WILL BE MISSED BUT NEVER FORGOTTEN.



Peggy Sullivan - January 09 at 03:14 PM

TA

“ Uncle Gene, as I fondly remember calling him, will always be remembered as a quiet minded,gentle,kind and loyal man.I have fond memories of how he took the time to call Grandmom Alice as well as, send her gifts throughout the years. Rest in Peace Uncle Gene. 🙏❤️



Love,
Tonya and Family

Tonya Brown of Atlanta,Georgia - January 03 at 09:16 AM

MW

“ 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 Home West - December 30, 2025 at 12:32 PM

VB

“ *Uncle Eugene’s , legacy of love and wisdom lives on in you. I’m so sorry for your loss.
Love Cousin Venus and family*



Venus Brooks - December 27, 2025 at 09:09 PM

AC

“ *Auntie Trell and the Crew. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Eugene G Ritchie Jr..*

Auntie Trell and the Crew. - December 27, 2025 at 09:53 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Eugene G Ritchie Jr..*



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March Funeral Homes - December 23, 2025 at 04:21 PM