



## Forest Harper Sr.

April 10, 1934 - January 4, 2015

On April 10, 1934, FOREST HARPER SR. was born in Swainsboro (Emanuel County), Georgia, to (deceased) parents Carrie Washington and Mack Harper. He attended the Emanuel County Ennis Elementary School. In his early teenage years Forest began working with his father in Fort Pierce, Florida as a sharecropper and later a driver. As a professional Truck Driver, Forest worked for The Lane Bryant Company, where he was one of their best and most reliable delivery drivers. He spent 29 years as a Professional Truck Driver with the Baltimore City Sanitation Department; where he was recognized for his exceptional driving and service. He retired with the City of Baltimore after a 29-year career. In addition to his career with the City he spent over 19 years as a professional Taxi Cab Driver with both the Checker Cab Company and the Yellow Cab Company throughout the Baltimore Metropolitan area.

Forest leaves behind his loving wife, Hattie Louise Harper with 32 years of devoted marriage. Forest and Louise met in 1962, later married and moved to Lyndhurst Street in Edmondson Village, Baltimore, Maryland. Later in life Forest also established a residence in his hometown of Swainsboro, Georgia. Forest and Louise split their time in both of their beloved communities. As an avid member of the Lyndhurst Community Association, Forest dedicated his time to many community activities.

He leaves in memory a strong legacy of family: six children, Forest Harper [r., Shirley Hines, Wanda Goins, Lorenzo Goins, Kathy Harper, Ricky Harper;

seventeen brothers and sisters, Geneva Dillard, Norma Osborne, Harold Harper, Mack Harper [r., Cedric Harper, Barbara Cox Houston, Gloria Harper Carson (deceased), Joey Cox, Willie Frank (Bubba) Harper, Sammy Moore (deceased), Jackie Dampiere, and Annette Hamilton Collins, Reggie Cook, Jerome Cook (deceased), Freddie Harper, Laverne Holiday, and Kenny Lewis (deceased); a host of grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Forest celebrates many neighbors and friends, to include long time friend Henry Sanders of North Carolina.

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

JAN 6. 11:00 AM - 6:30 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore  
4300 Wabash Avenue  
Baltimore, MD 21215  
(410) 542-2400  
info@marchfh.com

## Wake

JAN 7. 6:00 PM - 6:30 PM (ET)

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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Forest Harper Sr.*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



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

**Carolyn** - January 11, 2015 at 09:41 AM



“ *To the family of Forest Harper Sr.,*

*Please accept my deepest sympathies. May all the wonderful memories that you shared with Forest bring smiles and comfort to your grieving hearts.*

*" He will swallow up death forever, and the Sovereign Lord Jehovah will wipe away the tears from all faces. The reproach of his people he will take away from all the earth."  
(Isaiah 25:8)*

**bess murphy** - January 08, 2015 at 11:01 AM



“ *My heartfelt sympathy to the family in the loss of your loved one .  
Acts 24 : 15*

**Delores** - January 07, 2015 at 05:16 AM

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“ *Lovett Ross III & Family purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Forest Harper Sr..*



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**Lovett Ross III & Family** - January 07, 2015 at 12:50 AM

BW

“ *Barron Witherspoon purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Forest Harper Sr..*



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**Barron Witherspoon** - January 06, 2015 at 01:21 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** - January 06, 2015 at 10:28 AM