



Frank R. Carter Sr

January 30, 1932 - October 16, 2014

Frank R Carter Sr., also known as Frankie, was born “baby boy Carter” on January 30, 1932 in Baltimore, Maryland, to the late Lillian Crawford Carter and Samuel Henry Carter. Frank departed this earth on October 16, 2014. Frank was dearly loved by his family and those who knew him well: whomever he came in contact with even for a brief moment, respected and remembered Mr. Carter. Frank always left you with memorable words of wisdom, a deep understanding of how much he loved his family, a complete list of the names of his children and the quote: “I have good children, I am blessed”

Frank loved his family in such a proud manner that made him stand 10 feet tall. Frank's favorite saying was, “no news is good news.” Frank favorite song was “I Just Called to Say I Love You” by Steven Wonder. Frank served in The United States Army climbing to the rank of Sergeant. He was in charge of the Negro Battalion-the first out of Baltimore, Maryland responsible for moving all battle equipment to the front lines. He was proud to say the Battalion was steadfast and never lost a soldier. During his military career. Frank met General Max Arthur and was granted the Purple Heart Medal from his bravery. He was a true patriotic American.

Frank left the Army and began working as a semi-tractor trailer driver, a job he was big-man proud of. He relocated to New York City and first worked for Trio Motor Lines until converting to Sternberger Moving Company. He wore a

uniform that resembled that of a police officer-hat and all. He loved this job so much that he became an entrepreneur-owning his own company as an independent truck driver until his retirement.

Frank met and married his first wife, Hattie Mae, in Baltimore, MD. This union included 7 children. Frank Jr., Priscilla-preceded in death, Floyd, David-preceded in death, Earl, Linda, and Barbara. Frank then met and married his second wife, Ethel Cook, in Baltimore, MD then relocated to New York City. This union included 6 children, Mary-preceded in death, Ann, Linda, Dennis, Debra, and Karen. Frank met and married his third wife Willie Mae Star (no children out of this union)- there were 6 stepchildren. Frank was also a stellar member of the Masonic Brotherhood; he represented with dignity and grace.

In fondest memories, Franks leaves:fourteen children-Priscilla Knight-preceded in death. Frank R Carter Jr, Floyd Carter (Celest), David Carter-preceded in death, Earl Carter, Linda Player, Barbara Carter-preceded in death, Mary Cook-preceded in death, Ann Crafton, Linda Scarver (Daniel), Dennis Carter, Debra Moss (Arthur), Karen Jones (Tony), Danny Gilyard: three sister-in-laws -Lizzie Burton (Baltimore, MD) Margie Gainey (Baltimore, MD), Helen Cook (Brooklyn, NY); one brother-in-law, Bennie Cook (Baltimore, MD); thirty-four grandchildren; fifty-nine great grandchildren; five great great grandchildren: several stepchildren: and fiancée, Mame Horne.

Previous Events

Public Viewing

OCT **27**. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Wake

OCT **28**. 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Frank R. Carter Sr*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Mr, Carter was an extended part of the ministry of Bethany Baptist Church in Lamar,SC When he first became sick I visited him in the hospital and we became friends as we talked about Baltimore and about the God who brought us safe thus far on our way. Mr. Carter sowed financially into the ministry of Bethany and the life of my family generously. I was sadden when i hear of his earthly departure but he's at peace with the God who knew him and he knew God. May God keep you in His care.*

Pastor Emanuel Simon - October 26, 2014 at 06:44 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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