



Frank Sherrwayne Merritt

August 22, 1959 - December 21, 2022

Frank Sherrwayne Merritt was born August 22, 1959 in Baltimore, MD. to the late Eugene and Theresa (Carter) Merritt. He departed this life on December 21, 2022.

Frank was educated in the Baltimore City School System, graduating from Poly High School, and attended Catonsville Community College and Morgan State University.

Frank was employed at the Social Security Administration for 16 years. He retired at the top of his game and began his second career at Coppin Academy as a coach and substitute teacher until his passing.

Frank was passionate and committed to the academy, students athletic program and legacy of the school.

Frank was very personable and one of the greatest guys you could ever meet. He made friends wherever he went and will truly be missed.

Frank was preceded in death by his sister Jacqueline Handy and brothers Daniel Carter, Arthur and Michael Merritt. Frank leaves to cherish his memory ; his wife Shenell Merritt; son; Marquis Eugene Merritt; grandson; Marquel Michael Merritt; brother; Herbert Pitts; sister, Mariam (Joyce) Hampton. Janet

Merritt, Joslyn Wolfe; several nieces and nephews, and a host of other relatives and friends,

Previous Events

Wake

JAN 7. 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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

Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Frank and I ran cross country and track at Poly. He was a quiet and humble guy. A great guy!!*

Ed Silversmith - January 12, 2023 at 07:50 PM



“ *My former boss and one of my favorite people. Rest in power, Frank!*

Leslie Stanley - January 07, 2023 at 07:40 PM

KS

“ I met Frank during the summer of 1973, between 8th & 9th grades. He had just moved to Oakley Avenue from Hayward Avenue shortly after his father had passed away. Being very close in age, we became immediate friends. His family dynamic was well intact with Mrs. Merritt, Michael, Janet, & Joslyn. He had older siblings too like Joyce, who I'll always consider a big sister. The 2800 block of Oakley Avenue was a long block. We lived 5 houses apart. The Merritt home was extremely welcoming. I was down there almost everyday. Frank & I got into all of the mischief teenaged boys could possibly get into, and some! When Frank started driving, & if Michael didn't have the car, we'd do the Bad Boy Boogie all over town! I went to Poly because Frank was already there... & Western High was conveniently there too. Frank was my main man growing up. I followed him out to Catonsville Community College & bonded with a bunch of cool brothers. Back then, we were TFI (The Fellas Incorporated). Nothing but good times! Time moves on & we lost the constant contact once held when we were young. I didn't see Frank regularly as an adult so, I missed the birth of his son. But, like everyone today said, Frank was a good man. We were friends since we were 13 & there was never a dispute between us. Frank got along with most people & that's why so many were in attendance today. I'm so sorry I missed his last days especially. I know I could've taken him back down memory lane & put a few smiles on his face. Gonna miss you, Homie!

Kirk G. Smith - January 07, 2023 at 06:08 PM

EB

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Ed Bullinger - January 07, 2023 at 04:52 PM

WH

“ Rest in peace Frank Nitty,

Pugsley

Warren Hall - January 07, 2023 at 11:11 AM

NO

“ Frank always displayed a genuine heart with kindness. Definitely a patient and giving brother. My fellow Morgan State Bear, I will remember our great times and great history together. Peace and Love. Woody

Norwood - January 07, 2023 at 09:56 AM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Frank Sherrwayne Merritt.



January 06, 2023 at 10:53 AM

KC

“ Katrice Cabiness lit a candle in memory of Frank Sherrwayne Merritt



Katrice cabiness - January 05, 2023 at 09:18 PM

JO

“ To the wife of coach Frank I'm praying for u the lord has u in is loving arms I first met him when I cam to coppin academy 2019 and I was so glad he was able to see me graduate I will truly miss him but I know he is in a better place rest well Frank we love you we'll see u in the morning

Jalin Owens - January 05, 2023 at 09:17 PM

SM

“ Sharon Mattox lit a candle in memory of Frank Sherrwayne Merritt



Sharon Mattox - January 04, 2023 at 07:06 PM

MM

“ FRANK WAS A VERY COMPASSIONATE AND UNDERSTANDING SOUL. RIP FRANK, YOU HAVE EARNED YOUR ANGEL WINGS.

MILDRED MEEKS - December 30, 2022 at 09:17 AM

DG

“ My brother from another mother. There are no words that can properly describe our relationship. Brothers since the early 90's. A link in our chain has been broken when God called you home. We will miss you Nitti ... I speak for Craig, Ron, Wave, and myself. Love you man.

David Green - December 29, 2022 at 11:37 PM

JM

“ *An amazing person who influenced many lives. We will miss you dearly.* ”



Juanita McKinney - December 29, 2022 at 10:34 AM

BM

“ *One of the Best Gone too soon my condolences to the family* ”



B McFadden - December 29, 2022 at 10:19 AM

DR

“ *Donna Redmond lit a candle in memory of Frank Sherrwayne Merritt* ”



Donna Redmond - December 24, 2022 at 08:49 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.* ”

March Funeral Homes - December 22, 2022 at 03:06 PM

BC

Frankie was the best TSR in SSA laid back but knew his stuff he would never fuss or raise his voice he always smile and he will be The Man we love him so much but we understand this wasn't his home. Frankie say hello to my son Maurice see you both later

Beverly Cross - December 25, 2022 at 08:26 AM

RL

Brother Frank is a true friend, and GOD allowed us to enjoy him. To be absent is to be present with Our Lord Jesus Christ, Amen!

Robert Steve Lake - December 28, 2022 at 06:35 PM

MW

A great teammate and friend. Rest in peace my Poly brother. Michael Wienholt

Michael Wienholt - January 01, 2023 at 09:36 AM