



Garrett R. Powell

June 11, 1945 - August 19, 2017

Garrett R. Powell Sr. affectionately known as (Puddin) was born on June 11, 1945 in Baltimore, Maryland to the late Jesse L. and Virginia Powell. God called him to eternal rest on Saturday, August 19, 2017.

Garrett attended Baltimore City Schools and later graduated from Paul Laurence High School in 1963.

Upon graduating Garrett joined the workforce as a Shoe Salesman at Hess Shoe's for many years, and later joined the National Guard (1975) and served for 25 years. Garrett received commendations for bravery and exceptional performance on several occasions during his time of service. After retiring from The National Guard, Garrett went on to hold several jobs at Bethlehem Steel, Johns Hopkins Hospital, Kopper Company, Environmental Elements and later finished his years at Public Works in Baltimore City as a Sanitation Worker.

Garrett was baptized at Southern Baptist Church and later joined Mount Pleasant Church and Ministries.

One of Garrett's greatest assets was his sense of humor and another was his friendly disposition. He made friends everywhere he went and always kept a smile on his face. He also loved to travel, watch football and he had sweet

tooth for several different cakes.

Garrett taught all of his children how to swim and ride bikes and has a famous saying if you see trouble on one side of the street switch sides so yo don;t bump into the "Coons" and another was don't ever split the "Pole". Garrett loved and enjoyed being around his family and most importantly spending time with his grandchildren and making them laugh and had a favorite saying to his grandchildren "Trying to catch me riding dirty".

Garrett was preceded in death by one sister, Janice Claggett; one brother, Tyrone Powell and one grandson, Dwayne Powell.

Garrett's life will forever be cherished and celebrated by his loving wife, Belinda Powell; six children which included five boys, Warren, Garrett, Mark, Elzelee and Donte; one daughter, Melinda Harris; two daughter-in-laws, Monica and Dina Powell; one son-in-law, Gerald Harris; two sisters, Deborah Diggs and Joyce Wilkins; one brother, Michael C. Powell; eight grandsons; seven granddaughters; four great grandchildren; two brother-in-laws, Danny Bellamy, and Ferman Simon, Sr.; two sister-in-laws, Artivee Simon and Shante' Bellamy; and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

Previous Events

Public Viewing

AUG 31. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Wake

SEP 1. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Service

SEP 1. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Garrett R. Powell*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Fareeda & Karima Griffin & Dequan purchased the Dearest One Casket Insert for the family of Garrett R. Powell.*



Fareeda & Karima Griffin & Dequan - August 31, 2017 at 10:19 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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