



## Henry Lawrence Jr.

March 25, 1926 - March 23, 2017

Henry Lawrence Jr., lovingly known as "Sunny", peacefully departed this life in his home on Thursday morning March 23, 2017, surrounded by his granddaughters. Sunny was born on March 25, 1926 (the oldest of six children) to the late Mary Alice and Henry Lawrence Sr.

Sunny received his early education in the Pittsburgh School System. He worked for the Baltimore County School System for over 30 years. After retiring, Sunny continued to work alongside his wife, the late Ann Lawrence for the Bernheimer Family.

Sunny married Ann Lawrence on November 1, 1945. To this union two children were born, Paula Goodman and the late Purnell Lawrence Sr.

Sunny was the family carpenter. He would build customized gifts for his wife, children and grandchildren. He would be contracted to make cabinets, tables, and more.

Sunny was known for his practical jokes, even right up to his last days he kept his family laughing. Sunny loved to watch reruns of Sanford and Son and wrestling with his grandsons. Sunny loved to shower his great and great-great-grandchildren with tokens of affection.

Sunny is preceded in death by his wife Ann, son Purnell Sr., and grandson Purnell Jr.

He leaves to cherish his memory: his daughter, Paula Goodman; brother, Jimmy Lawrence; sister, Ethel Powell; sister-in-law, Bernice Lawrence; daughter-in-law, Sandra Bolden; granddaughters, Tonya, Kim, Dawn and Krystal; eight great-grandchildren, three great-great-grandchildren and a host of nieces, nephews and cousins.

# Cemetery Details

## Cedar Hill

5829 Ritchie Highway  
Brooklyn, MD 21230

# Previous Events

## viewing

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

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore  
4300 Wabash Avenue  
Baltimore, MD 21215  
(410) 542-2400  
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## Family Hour

MAR 31. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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## Wake

APR 1. 11:30 AM (ET)

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## Service

APR 1. 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Henry Lawrence Jr.

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October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ Please allow me the chance to express my deepest condolences for the loss of your loved one Henry. Although you no longer are able to see him or to share precious moments with him I am sure that the many fond memories of special times will forever live in your mind and heart. HOw good it is to know that we serve a loving compassionate God who will always be with us during good times and bad. He loves us so much that he even invites us to throw all our burdens upon him. He promises that he will help us in whatever situation we need help in. Yes, we serve a loving God who assures us that our loved ones who have died will live again by means of the resurrection. What a wonderful time that will be! Do not let your hearts be troubled. Have faith in the promises of God. He can not lie! Titus1:2 Once again I am sorry for your loss!

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**Joy** - March 27, 2017 at 12:21 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** - March 25, 2017 at 02:33 PM