



Ivory F. Traynham

October 26, 1937 - October 18, 2018

Ivory Frederick "Ike" Traynham, son of Richard O. Traynham and Mattie Reed Traynham, was born on October 26, 1937 in Harmony (Alton), Virginia. He went home to with the Lord on October 18, 2018.

He received his education in the Halifax County Public Schools. He joined the Traynham Grove A.M.E. Church at an early age.

Ike worked summers in Atlantic City, Nj as a teenager, and shortly after graduating from high school, he followed his older brother ,Davies, to Baltimore. He worked at Johns Hopkins Hospital and then was employed at Continental Trailways Bus Lines as a baggage operator for several years

He met his wife ,the former Almer Askew, while employed at Johns Hopkins, and to their union three children were born; Ivory, Quentin and Felecia.

He was a hard worker, and worked several jobs to provider for and support his family. His main "second job" was driving a taxicab, at which he excelled. He would eventually go into business for himself and drive his own cabs after his employment at Trailways ended. Even after retiring from the taxi business, you could still find him transporting children to appointments at the Johns Hopkins Kennedy Krieger Center.

Ike loved to read, and passed that love of reading to his children. Because of his Trailways and taxi driving careers, he was an expert navigator and could give you directions to almost anywhere. He loved to garden, spend time with family and friends, and buy and show off the many cars he owned. He was a faithful baseball & boxing fan, and he especially enjoyed his hometown team, the Baltimore Orioles.

He loved telling and listening to jokes and stories, passing along his brand of "old school wisdom". He loved his family and would check on us often to see how everyone was doing. He took great pride in his family and was proud to carry the Traynham name.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Richard Traynham, Richards Traynham and Mattie Traynham; and his brother Davies Traynham. He leaves to mourn his wife, Almer R. Traynham; his sons, Ivory G. (Andrea) Traynham and Quentin (Virginia) Traynham; his daughters, Linda Pointer Brown and Felecia Traynham; his sister, Essie Thomas; his brother, Aaron Traynham; eight great-grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

King Memorial Park Cemetery - Grand Heritage Chapel & Mausoleum

8710 Dogwood Rd.
Baltimore, MD 21244
(410) 944-8300
info@kingmemorialpark.com
<https://www.KingMemorialPark.com>

Previous Events

viewing

OCT **23**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - East Baltimore
1101 East North Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21202
(410) 727-3300
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Family Hour

OCT **23**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Wake

OCT **24**. 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Ivory F. Traynham

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ I still can't believe that you're no longer with us but I know that you're in a better place and not suffering. I will try my best to live up to the Legacy you set for us and I will make sure that you are not forgotten. Your son Ivory G Traynham

Ivory G Traynham - October 25, 2018 at 06:42 PM



“ Marisa Robertson sent a virtual gift in memory of Ivory F. Traynham



Marisa Robertson - October 24, 2018 at 06:19 PM



“ Iam so sorry to find this out today we have been neighbors for a long time now. He was a good guy always willing to help a neighbor. You will be missed. RIP.

Marisa Robertson - October 24, 2018 at 06:18 PM

FS

“ From Colorado Regional Oral Surgery purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Ivory F. Traynham.



From Colorado Regional Oral Surgery - October 23, 2018 at 02:45 PM

JD

“ Jason Davis purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Ivory F. Traynham.



Jason Davis - October 23, 2018 at 12:09 PM

TH

“ The staff at the Adult Day Hospital purchased the Lavender Reflections Spray for the family of Ivory F. Traynham.



The staff at the Adult Day Hospital - October 23, 2018 at 12:01 PM

WM

“ *With Our Deepest Sympathy
Remembering our dear friend and neighbor Ivory Traynham who will
be truly missed.*

It is hard to say goodbye. So many memories.

*You and your family were the first ones who greeted us when we
moved to the neighborhood. We shared laughter, our children’s
pranks, solved local and world problems in our talks, helped one
another, and just enjoyed each other’s company. Dear friend, we
miss you.*

Windsor and Kerlan Morgan

Windsor and Kerlan Morgan - October 22, 2018 at 06:03 PM

AM

“ *Words cannot express my condolences for your loss. I hope words
from our King Christ Jesus can offer comfort at Matthew 11:28-30
which says, “Come to me, all you who are toiling and loaded down,
and I will refresh you. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me,
for I am mild-tempered and lowly in heart, and you will find
refreshment for yourselves. For my yoke is kindly, and my load is
light.”*

Amber - October 22, 2018 at 08:12 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.

March Funeral Homes - October 19, 2018 at 03:39 PM