



## James Ellis Williams

August 7, 1921 - October 31, 2014

JAMES ELLIS WILLIAMS, son of the late Samuel Williams II and Goldie Hicks Williams, was born in the Elams Community of Warren County, North Carolina on August 7, 1921, and entered into eternal rest on Friday, October 31, 2014 in Baltimore, Maryland.

Early on in life, he sought Christ as his personal Saviour and joined the Elams Chapel United Church of Christ. After moving to Baltimore he joined Good Shepherd Baptist Church and later became one of the founding members of North Star Baptist Church where he was a dedicated Trustee and Chairman of the Deacon Board. He would always begin a prayer with Psalm 122:1 – “I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the LORD.”

He entered into the United States Navy on August 5, 1943 where he served during World War II. He was honorably discharged as a Steward’s Mate First Class on January 20, 1946.

On January 6, 1949 he married Lenora Davis from Roanoke Rapids, North Carolina.

On November 14, 1980 he retired from the United States Postal Service after completing a career of thirty-seven years of Federal Service as a Junior Mechanic.

Those left to cherish his memory are his wife of over 65 years, Lenora Williams; two sons, Curtis Lee Williams and William Alcester Thomas; one brother, Theodore R. Williams of Elams, North Carolina; two sisters- in-law, Hester Moore (Harry) and Earlene Starks; one daughter-in-law, Mildred

Cossette Williams; four grandchildren, Michael Ellis Williams (Glenda), Angela Michele Williams, Cheryl Lisa Williams-Smith (Donald) and Tremayne Thomas (Cindy); six great-grandchildren, Brandon Christopher Smith, Michael Michael Williams, Dedrick Lazaar McCoy, Donald Joseph Lee Smith, Mackenzie Ann Marie Smith, William Thomas and Olivia Thomas; one great-great granddaughter, Natalie Kara Smith; a host of nephews, nieces, other relatives and friends.

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

NOV 5. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore  
4300 Wabash Avenue  
Baltimore, MD 21215  
(410) 542-2400  
info@marchfh.com

## Wake

NOV 6. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

1st Christlan Community Bapt Ch.  
4116 Groveland Ave  
Baltimore, MD

## Service

NOV 6. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *James Ellis Williams*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Please accept my heartfelt sympathy in the loss of your loved one .  
May the resurrection hope Jesus spoke of in the Bible at John 5 :  
28,29 be a source of comfort to each of you doing this time of grief  
and pain .*

**Delores Allen** - November 07, 2014 at 05:02 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** - November 03, 2014 at 08:09 AM



*Angey my prayers are with you and the family. Love you.  
Nakiah*

**Nakiah Saunders** - November 05, 2014 at 05:24 PM