



## John W. Carter

August 26, 1951 - September 27, 2015

John Willis Carter was born August 26th, 1951 to the late William H. and Lillian Carter of Brooklyn, Maryland. He departed this life on September 27th, 2015 at home, after battling severe illnesses for over 4 years. While surrounded by his loving family God blessed John as he peacefully transitioned from this world to his final resting place with Him.

He attended Brooklyn Park High School, and The University of Maryland in Baltimore County where he graduated with a B.S. degree in Biology, before attending 2 years of medical school. At the end of high school he served as an EMT (emergency medical technician) for Anne Arundel County Volunteer Fire Department.

John met the love of his life Aida Calloway and they were united in holy matrimony on April 28, 1984. From this union came their pride and joy, Brittany and Alex. He loved to spend time with his children, playing video games, going to soccer games, making home videos, and taking lots of pictures. John was instrumental in helping his children through grade school, assisting with homework, school projects, and volunteering. He was even more than happy to bring Alex, at 6 months old, to Brittany's first grade class when she wanted to show him off for show and tell.

J.C. or Jackie, as he was affectionately called by his friends and family, found

the love of travel early in life, and decided to turn that love into a career as a coach bus driver. He drove for many companies over the years including, Trailways, Greyhound, Voyager, and Avalon Bus Company. He also trained other bus drivers until he retired due to illness, in 2003. He loved to travel with his family, he took them with him on many bus trips. J.C. always wanted to make his passengers comfortable, so he provided many movies for them to watch as they traveled. His other passions were playing cards, his favorite game was pinochle, and he met many friends playing that game. He also spent a lot of time playing solitaire after 2003, and watching sports. His favorite teams were the Baltimore Ravens and the Baltimore Orioles.

John accepted Christ at an early age, and was baptized. He attended Community Baptist Church, in Glen Burnie, MD, and always put Christ first in everything that he did. Whenever he needed guidance he remembered to, "Try God", that was his motto.

John made a huge impact on everyone's life around him, he was always willing to help, without asking for anything in return.

He leaves to mourn his memory, a loving and devoted wife, Aida, two children, Brittany and Alexander. A brother, William F., and four adopted brothers, Timmy (who preceded him in death), Owen, Chris, and Terry. He also leaves: two sister in-laws, Jeanette Dixon, Shirley Cheeks-Diallo, one brother in law, Winston Calloway, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Arbutus Memorial Park Cemetery

1101 Sulphur Spring Road  
Baltimore, MD 21227

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

OCT 8. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

## Family Hour

OCT 8. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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4300 Wabash Avenue  
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## Wake

OCT 9. 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

OCT 9. 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *John W. Carter*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *To the family and friends  
May the Lord be your strength . Your love one's love is and will  
always  
Be with you.  
B. Tapley*

**B. Tapley** - October 10, 2015 at 05:52 PM



“ *Darrin & Robin Brown purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of John W. Carter.*



**Darrin & Robin Brown** - October 08, 2015 at 06:10 PM



“ *My Trailways buddy will be missed. John we had some great trips together and I enjoyed all the good times we had. To the family you have my condolences and if I can help please feel free to contact me. I will be at the the wake tonight.*

*S. Wayne Rubain*

**Wayne Rubain** - October 08, 2015 at 11:12 AM



“ *Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of John W. Carter.*



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October 08, 2015 at 10:04 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of John W. Carter.*



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October 07, 2015 at 07:52 AM



“ *Aida, Brittany and Alex you all have my deepest Condolences with heartfelt Sympathies during this time of bereavement.*

*May the Love of God embrace you all during this time.*

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**Rosalind Smith** - October 01, 2015 at 06:57 AM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss . May the fond memories shared and resurrection hope Jesus spoke of in the Bible at John 5 : 21,28,29 be a source of comfort doing this time of grief and pain*

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**Delores Allen** - October 01, 2015 at 05:02 AM



“ I did not know Mr. Carter but I have experienced the death of a loved one and I can only imagine what you are going through right now. I have found much strength in God's promises of a time when no resident will say they are sick (Isa. 33:24) as well as a time when death will no longer be (Rev. 21:3,4). I'm sure your family is looking forward to seeing the fulfillment of the those promises as well. May the fond memories that you share provide you with a sense of comfort during your time of sorrow.

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**Yvette** - September 30, 2015 at 06:48 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** - September 29, 2015 at 10:27 AM