



## Joseph Black

January 11, 1937 - April 20, 2012

Joseph Black was the youngest child born to Herbert Black and Mary Green Black. He was born in Baltimore, Maryland on January 11, 1937 and was called from Labor to Reward on Friday, April 20, 2012.

Joseph was educated in the Baltimore City Public School System.

On January 28, 1967 Joseph was united in Holy Matrimony to the love of his life, the former Mary Frances Joyner. From this union two children were born: Wanda Diane and Wyketa Lamara. Joseph was preceded in death by his son, Darnell Black and grandson, Levar Black, Sr.

After Joseph began to fellowship at Victory Prayer Chapel, he joyfully accepted Jesus Christ as his Lord and Savior. He has been a faithful and committed member of Victory Prayer Chapel for more than twenty years. Bro. Black was known by his church family as a warm and caring man of God. He was a member of the Male Chorus, until he was unable to sing with them due to health problems. Bro. Black was a dedicated member of the Senior Usher Board, and served faithfully until his death. Even as late as Easter Sunday, before he entered the hospital, Bro. Black was on his post at the door. Bro. Black was also the church's maintenance man. He possessed an "art" in vacuuming the carpet. When he did this, he always left a special pattern in the carpet. Everyone knew that Bro. Black was the one that vacuumed the floor.

His commitment to the ministry was evident in his attendance in service and financial support. Bro. Black always could be counted upon to be in service, support the ministry and stand strong with his church leaders. He will certainly be missed by his church family.

“Joe,” as he was affectionately called by his family and friends, enjoyed his life. He had a wonderful smile and cheerful personality. Joseph was a real family man. He cared deeply for his family and worked hard to provide for them. Whenever the family had events to participate in, Joseph would try his best to attend and support them, even when he did not feel well. He loved sports, especially baseball.

Joseph had a strong work ethic. He worked various jobs during his career before employment at Locke Insulators. After twenty years of service, Joseph retired in December of 1997.

Joseph leaves to cherish his memory: his loving and devoted wife, Mary Frances Black; his children, donna Black, Wanda Green and Wyketa Black; grandsons, DaRron Crank, Danzell Black Sr. , Cecil Littleton Sr., Joseph Briggs Jr. and James Green Jr.; granddaughter, Brittany Latrice Jennings; great-grandchildren, Levar Black, Jr., Danzell Black Jr., Cecil Littleton Jr. and Dakota Littleton; son-in-law, James Green Sr.; daughter-in-law, Angela Balck; his siblings, Elizabeth Stanley, Arlene James, Bertha Hill and Jerome Black (Claudia). Also surviving are: sisters-in-law, Hazel Waters of NC, Gertrude Stevens of DC, Elouise Patterson (Clarence) of NC, Betty Stevens (Henry Earl) of NC, Gladys Hubbard of NC; brothers-in-law, Luther Joyner of NC, Raphel Joyner (Malveiar) of DC, Leon Joyner (Mae) of DC and James Joyner (Jean) of NC; and a host of nieces, nephews, friends and a loving church family.

# Cemetery Details

## Loudon Park Cemetery

3801 Frederick Ave  
Baltimore, MD 21229

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

APR 27. 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

## Family Hour

APR 27. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore  
4300 Wabash Avenue  
Baltimore, MD 21215  
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## Wake

APR 28. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Victory Prayer Chapel  
4848 Reistertown Rd  
Balto., MD

## Service

APR 28. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Joseph Black*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Deepest sympathy from Henry and Lorraine Morrisey & family in Baton Rouge, Louisiana.*

**Henry E. Morrisey** - April 24, 2012 at 07:06 PM



“ *Lisa C Stanley lit a candle in memory of Joseph Black*



**Lisa C Stanley** - April 23, 2012 at 07:28 PM



“ *I wanted to express my sorrow over the loss of your loved one. Losing a loved one is something we all wish we never had to go through. Thankfully, within his word the bible, God promises us that soon "death will be no more". He also gives us the hope of seeing our loved ones who have already fallen asleep in death (Revelation 21:3,4 John 5:28,29). Again my condolences.*

**Peggy Land** - April 22, 2012 at 07:31 PM

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“ I'm so sorry for your loss and would like to offer my condolences to your family. Death is such a terrible thing for a family to go through, I actually lost my mom 3yrs ago. I'm truly grateful that I have the truth about death and look forward to the future when there will be "a resurrection of both the righteous and the unrighteous."—ACTS 24:15. I'm sure you would love to see your dead loved one again in the coming Paradise here on earth! Again so sorry for your loss!!

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**Ms Springer** - April 22, 2012 at 10:18 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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**March Funeral Homes** - April 20, 2012 at 03:21 PM