



Leon Washington

November 3, 1926 - January 27, 2017

Leon Washington was born on November 3, 1926 to the late David Washington and Mary Roundtree.

He attended school in Farmville, North Carolina. Leon served in the United States Army Air Force (USAAF) in 1944. He served in World War III in the Philippines and received an honorable discharge on December 19, 1946. After completing military service, Leon moved to Baltimore, Maryland and was employed with the Housing Authority of Baltimore City for thirty-three years. He retired from his job in 1991. He chose his career as a Printing Press Operator.

He was a faithful member for thirty-seven years until his health failed him. He also was a Trustee Emeritus on the Board of Trustees by the order of the Fountain Baptist Church on November 11, 2008. His hobby was gardening with his late wife Bettie. He also liked to watch the world news and world events on television, so that he could stay informed of what was going on around him. He loved to cook, especially when his wife became sick. Mother would say to him, "I taught him how to cook and I trained him well".

Daddy was a faithful husband, father and grandfather. A quiet and humble man, he was loved and truly will be missed.

He leaves to mourn: his wife, Bettie Washington; two sons, Mark Washington and Rickey Shackelford; two daughters, Joanne Williams and Brenda McKay; two sisters-in-law and one brother-in-law of Snow Hill, North Carolina; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Two sons preceded him in death, A.J. Shackelford and Gregory Washington.

Cemetery Details

Garrison Forest Veterans

11501 Garrison Forest Road
Owings Mills, MD

Previous Events

Public Viewing

FEB 1. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - East Baltimore
1101 East North Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21202
(410) 727-3300
info@marchfh.com

Family Hour

FEB 1. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Wake

FEB 2. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Fountain Baptist
1215 E. Monument Street
Baltimore, MD 21205

Service

FEB 2. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Leon Washington*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Hello I want to give the family my deepest condolences and to also let you know that the last enemy death will be no more as found in God's word the Bible in Rev 21:4 And he will wipe out every tear from their eyes, and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away.”
I hope that this gives you comfort*

Takiea Lake - February 08, 2017 at 09:15 AM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss . May Almighty God be with each of you doing this time of grief and pain . John 5 : 21,28,29*

D Allen - February 06, 2017 at 06:00 AM

CM

“ My fondest memory of granddaddy is reading the news paper and standing over the stove cooking. He was a very soft spoken, kind, generous and polite type of man. The last time i saw him i asked him did he wanna stay in the nursing home or wanna go home. He replied, "it's not whats best for, but its what i gotta do". He said "i wanna go home". I really cherished every moment me and cherdae and lor-david had with him. And also thank you so much for keeping cherdae and those friday night, you and grandma. I always stayed in my grandparents lives from the beginning till the end. No open gaos what-so-ever. Me being in their lives was no option and not by choice. Its what i had to do. And grand daddy smile would always make me smile even more now than ive ever done in my life. Imma miss you so much. Me cherdae and lor-david. I remember the time you put alcohol on a sore that lor-david had on his arm. He said that it hurt. Mommy said, oh granddaddy knows what hes doing. I will see you on the other side. Love you. Grand daughter forever.

Cherise

Cherise McKay - February 03, 2017 at 03:43 PM

WB

“ **WALLENIUS WILHELMSSEN INDUSTRIAL BALTIMORE** purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Leon Washington.



WALLENIUS WILHELMSSEN INDUSTRIAL BALTIMORE -
February 01, 2017 at 03:37 PM

DJ

“ We send our deepest sympathy to you Mark, and your family at the loss of your father. May God comfort your heart and wrap his arms around you to give you strength in your time of sorry. I know you miss him, but God brought him home for eternal rest and peace. He's enjoying his time with Jesus without any worries, tears, or pain. Praying for you.

Milford and Delores

Delores Johnson - January 31, 2017 at 05:39 PM

GB

“ I am sorry to hear about the death of your love one to find comfort please read John 24:15 which talks about a paradise earth that all who have die can come back to life on earth.

Gay Lee Baker - January 31, 2017 at 05:24 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 - January 30, 2017 at 03:31 PM

MW

Daddy the memories we have are priceless, but my love for you is everlasting. God has given you rest, a home in Heaven, on that special day, when meet again, what a glorious time we'll have praising God forever and ever, rest easy boss kiss Mom for me, one day, one day...

Mrk Washington - January 31, 2017 at 08:49 AM