



## Leroy Kirkland ,Sr

April 3, 1932 - May 7, 2014

LEROY KIRKLAND SR., son of the late John Kirkland and Dora Stewart and stepson to the late Irene Kirkland, was born on April 3, 1932 in Baltimore, Maryland. He departed this life on Wednesday, May 7, 2014 after a lengthy illness.

He received his education in Baltimore City Public Schools. After graduating from Dunbar Senior High School in 1951, Leroy enlisted in the U.S Air Force. After receiving an Honorable Discharge from the Air Force in November 1959, Leroy attended Towson State College and Coppin State University where he was also employed until he retired.

In 1951, Leroy married Bernadine Parris. From this union three children were born: Rozeana, Leroy Jr., and Denise. Leroy received Christ at an early age and was a life-long member of Southern Baptist Church..

Due to Leroy's many years of outstanding church and community service, as well as being a member of the Baltimore City Democratic Central Committee for the 45th District, he was awarded many citations.

Leroy is survived by: his three children, Rozeana Faulk, Leroy Jr. (Roxanne), Denise Drinkard (Michael); devoted friend, Shirley Freeman and family; a host of grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews. Leroy also leaves

to mourn: a dear friend Ms. Arlene Fields and the Dunbar Graduating Class of 1951.

God saw the road was getting rough

The hills were hard to climb,

He gently closed his loving eyes

And whispered, "Peace be Thine."

His weary hours, his days of pain,

His weary nights have passed,

His ever patient, worn out frame

Has found sweet rest at last.

Love,

Rozeana, Leroy Jr. and Denise

# Cemetery Details

## Baltimore National Cemetery

5501 Frederick Avenue  
Baltimore, MD 21228

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

MAY 12. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

## Family Hour

MAY 12. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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## Wake

MAY 13. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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## Service

MAY 13. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



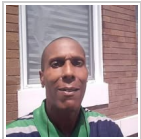
“ *Leroy Kirkland ,Sr*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Sorry for your loss, may Jehovah give you comfort in your time of need. 1Corinthians 1:3,4.*

**carolyn** - May 19, 2014 at 03:11 PM



“ *We the family of the Late Bobby Murphy extend our sincerest condolences to the surviving relatives of the Leroy Kirkland Sr family.May GOD comfort you during this time of bereavement.AMEN*

**Terence Murphy** - May 13, 2014 at 07:43 PM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss. Hopefully, the many fine memories that you have made with your loved one will bring you the comfort that you need during this difficult time. You can also turn to our loving Heavenly Father because he is the "God of all comfort" and he can and will help you through this because "he cares for you." (1 Peter 5:7)*

**K. Nichols** - May 12, 2014 at 02:18 PM

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“ Celebrating life...  
*Mr . Leroy, the only "grandfather" I've ever known. Thank you very being a positive force in my life. I will miss you dearly. May God bless your family and friends in this time of grief.*



Love,  
*Tina (Granddaughter of Ms. Freeman)*

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**Curtina Cooper** - May 11, 2014 at 05:16 PM

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*Can you please contact me. My name is Angela my father was Robert Edwards son Mary and leroy kickland. I never got to meet my grandfather and would like the opportunity to learn more about him. 384-743-1416. Thank you*

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**ANGELA** - August 08, 2015 at 08:23 PM

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“ *To the family of Leroy Kirkland:*

*I wanted to write to give you all words of comfort after reading about the death of your family member. The bible says at Revelation 21:4 that God will soon do away with death, sickness and pain.' What a comforting thought. The bible also tells us at 1 Corinthians 15:26 that 'the last enemy death will be brought to nothing'. So since the bible shows we are living in the last days right now, these promises will soon take place. And Titus 1:2 says God cannot lie. So there is no doubt that these things will take place. So we can look to the future with confidence.*

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**Faye** - May 10, 2014 at 11:22 AM

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“ Our family would like to express condolences to The Kirkland Family. May you find comfort from Jehovah God's Word The Bible where He assures us that our dear loves ones have the hope of a resurrection to a restored beautiful paradise earth. He even promises us at 1 Corinthians 15:26 that "the last enemy death will be brought to nothing". Our prayers are with your family.

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**linn & family** - May 09, 2014 at 03:35 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** - May 09, 2014 at 01:39 PM