



## Levi Nottingham Bailey

October 9, 1929 - November 17, 2001

Levi Nottingham Bailey, Sr., son of the late Margaret W. Bailey and Henry Waldron Bailey was born on October 9, 1929 in Cheriton, Virginia. He departed this life on Saturday, November 17, 2001 at Gilchrist Hospice Center at 1:50p.m after a lengthy illness. At an early age his family moved to Baltimore, Maryland. Levi was educated in the Baltimore City Public School System where he graduated from Douglas High School, Class of 1948. He served and was honorably discharged from the U.S. Army. Levi later attended Baltimore's Cortez Peters School of Business. Levi was a member of Union Temple Baptist Church where he served on the Usher Board. He and his mother, Margaret Bailey faithfully attended services. Levi was employed with the U.S. Postal Service for ten months before entering the Social Security Administration on December 11, 1954. He retired from Social Security in 1984 as a DCC Module Manager. After his retirement, Levi was employed with March Funeral Home, West. In 1998 Levi retired from March Funeral Homes. In 1959 Levi married Lula McQuaige and from this union one daughter, Andrea was born. Although Lula and Levi divorced he remained a devoted father to Andrea. Levi met Ruby Roosevelt in 1969 and they courted for almost fifteen years. In 1983, Levi asked Ruby's father for her hand in marriage. Levi and ruby were married on July 28, 1983 and from this union Levi Jr., was born. This union also embraced Levi's daughter, Andrea. A devoted husband, father, and loving brother, some of the happiest times of his life were spent with his family. Levi was always there for his family and friends.

Levi's extended family, the Masonic brethren held a special place in his heart and life. You could often hear Levi Jr., saying "my Daddy gone marchin", when Levi was going to the temple. Levi would always tell you "there is nothing that his Masonic brothers would not do for him, Ruby and Levi Jr., The Masonic brothers have shown true love and devotion during his illness and even after his death to Ruby and Levi Jr. Levi and his son were extremely close. Through this bond nothing within the relationship could separate them. Levi served as Worshipful Master of William F, Taylor Lodge #57 and at his death was Grand Treasurer of the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge of Maryland F & AM (P.H.A.) Levi leaves to cherish his loving memory: a devoted wife, Ruby Roosevelt-Bailey; one son, Levi Jr.; one daughter, Andrea Bailey-Rawles; grandson, Jerome Rawles; two sisters, Dora B. Hall of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and Geraldine Bailey of Baltimore, Maryland; one brother, Ira C. Bailey of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; one aunt, Dora Watson of Baltimore, Maryland; a god son, Jason A. Boyd; a devoted niece, Patricia Loney, and a devoted friend David A. Ross, all of Baltimore, Maryland, five sisters-in-law, Dorothy Diggs, Portia Roosevelt, Thelma Scott, Libby Adams all of Baltimore, Maryland and Myra Roosevelt of Portland, Oregon; six brothers-in-law, Myrle Diggs, Jesse Roosevelt Jr., Henry A. Boyd, Thomas Scott, Carroll Adams and Roy Roosevelt of Portland, Oregon. Many nieces, nephews, a host of relatives, Friends and the brethren of the Prince Hall Masonic Family.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Levi Nottingham Bailey*

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“ *MAY PEACE AND HOPE BE YOURS GOD BLESS JOHN & LUCILLE SINGLETON##imported-begin##LUCILLE SINGLETONI##imported-end##*

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“ *Ms. Ruby I known Mr. Levi since I was little girl. He and my Mon use to bowl together. I remember when you married and how proud he was of Levi Jrs. birth. God and His tender hand of mercy will comfort and keep you. Keep His Hand in yours and you will never be in darkness.##imported-begin##Tracy Jennings-Brown##imported-end##*

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“ *may god bless you##imported-begin##jerome s warren##imported-end##*

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“ *May GOD continue to bless you and your family.##imported-begin##Jerome Thompson Funeral Director March West##imported-end##*

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“ It has been a blessing and honor working with Mr. Bailey. Although I am a licensed funeral directress, it was Mr. Bailey who taught me the ropes. Continue to trust in the LORD. GOD is good, all the time. You'll be in my prayers.##imported-begin##Lynette K. Jones Funeral Directress March West##imported-end##

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“ To the family of "Mr. Bailey": It was a privilege to have known him for the time that I did. I always enjoyed his old time stories and his good sense of humor. He would sometime get impatient with me but, he never grew tired of me. I will forever miss him calling me "Youngblood". May GOD continue to keep you, his family, in his everlasting care.##imported-begin##Trish Johnson Receptionist March West##imported-end##

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“ MAY GOD BLESS YOU AND YOUR FAMILY DURING THIS DIFFICULT TIME.##imported-begin##VALERIE MASON-WARD##imported-end##

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“ GOD WILL SEE YOU THROUGH##imported-begin##BEVERLY HOLLAND##imported-end##

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“ MY PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU AND YOUR FAMILY. REMEMBER GOD IS STILL ON THE THRONE.##imported-begin##SANDRA J SMITH. LECT MODULE 04##imported-end##

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“ " To him who overcomes, I will give the right to sit with me on my throne, just as I overcame and sat down with my Father on his throne," Rev.3:21 To Ruby and Levi Jr.: Our prays are with you always.God Bless both of you!##imported-begin##Rosalie Vaughan, Frankie Chavez and Family##imported-end##

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“ TO RUBY, LEVI JR., AND THE ENTIRE BAILEY FAMILY I SEND YOU MY PRAYERS OF COMFORT AND LOVE DURING THIS DIFFICULT TIME##imported-begin##MARVIN WILLIAMS##imported-end##

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“ To the family of "Mr.Bailey",May God keep and bless you in your time of grief. God Bless.##imported-begin##Jermeka & Gladys Warren(March Funeral Homes)##imported-end##

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“ MY FAMILY'S PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU AND YOUR FAMILY.MAY GOD BLESS AND KEEP YOU STRONG.##imported-begin##MOLLIE LEACH##imported-end##

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“ *Death is just a natural thing, Like the closing of a door, As we start upon a journey To a new and distant shore. So let your grief be softened And yeild not to despair- You have only placed your loved one In the loving Father's care. There's very little that words can say... but may this comfort you today.*###imported-begin###Emogen White###imported-end##

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“ *My prayers are with you during this most difficult of times.*###imported-begin###Frank George###imported-end##

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“ *Mrs. Bailey I thank God for given me the chance to know Mr. Levi. I was the maillady at the lodge. I'll always remember his great smile and sense of humor. Let not your heat be troubled: ye believe in God, believe also in me. John 14:1*###imported-begin###Rosalind L. David###imported-end##

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“ *I am so sorry for your loss. Levi was truly a wonderful person, and he will be missed by many. May God comfort you in your hours of sorrow.*###imported-begin###Sam Washington###imported-end##

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“ To Andrea, my condolences goes out to you at this time. Keep the faith.##imported-begin##Clara Harding##imported-end##

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“ Ruby, Little Levi and family, words can't express the lost we are sharing with you. Mr. Bailey was a co- worker that I could always depend on. His door was always open to us. His kitchen was always open to us for crab cakes and those famous hot dogs! You know we love you and we will keep you in our eternal prayers. We will miss our true friend. May God continue to keep you in perfect peace.##imported-begin##Glynis B. Keke, Funeral Director##imported-end##

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“ To the family of Mr. Levi Bailey Sr., I would like to extend my deepest sympathy and condolences to your entire family. I only had a brief oppourtunity to work with Mr. Biale, but I must say it was a blessing while it lasted. Thank God and thank you for sharing him with us...God bless you.##imported-begin##Calvin M. Vaughan (AFD)March F/H##imported-end##

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“ May the love of friends and family be very near to you at this time, to fill your heart with peace and hope.Hope is hearing the melody of the future, Faith is to dance it. love and God bless you both.##imported-begin##Jackie Carver -co-worker##imported-end##

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“ If you're ever in need of me, I'm always available, day or night. You're in my prayers.##imported-begin##Jasper R. Richburg##imported-end##

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“ GOD BLESS YOU!##imported-begin##EMMA M FORMAN##imported-end##

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“ I WILL MISS U MAN MICHAEL BLUE YOUR BOY##imported-begin##MICHAEL BLUE##imported-end##

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“ BAILEY YOU WILL BE SURELY MISS. GOD BLESS THIS FAMILY.##imported-begin##SYLVIA WARREN##imported-end##

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“ RUBY, MY PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU AND YOUR FAMILY##imported-begin##MARION WATSON##imported-end##

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“ The richness of the human experience is in what is handed down from one life to the next –not simple things of mortar and stone, but memories of what one said or felt or did. Live with your good memories, as they will add to your comfort, which comes from knowing that your grief is shared and understood.##imported-begin##The March Family and Staff##imported-end##

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“ Our Loved ones are still and always will be a part of us. Allow the tears to come but look for joy amidst the pain. Take comfort in knowing that I care. I am just a phone call away. May God bless you and the family.##imported-begin##Brenda Holmes##imported-end##

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“ Ruby, it is with heartfelt sympathy that I send this message to you and your family. But hold on to the Lord's hands. He can be your fortress through the storm.##imported-begin##Tondelayo Henson##imported-end##

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“ RUBY,LITTLE LEVI, I KNOW YOU LOVE LEVI BUT GOD LOVED HIM TO THAT IS WHY HE TOOK HIM HOME WITH HIM.##imported-begin##ANN PRYOR##imported-end##

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“ Ruby, you, Levi Jr. and the rest of your family are in my prayers. May God continue to bless and keep you. ##imported-begin## Vera Arvin ##imported-end##

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“ TO THE FAMILY: GOD WILL GRANT YOU LOVE ENDURANCE AND STRENGTH CONTINUALLY ##imported-begin## SHIRLEY E BURRELL CO -WORKER ##imported-end##

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“ GOD BLESS YOU ##imported-begin## TOMMYSENA BELL & FAMILY ##imported-end##

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“ May Hope And Peace Be Yours ##imported-begin## Edward A. Pettaway ##imported-end##

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