



Mark Whiting

February 18, 1948 - December 8, 2011

On Thursday, 8 December 2011, Mark entered a place where the soul is safe and free to lie with God through eternity. Mark Anthony Whiting, Sr., was born on 18 February 1948 in Baltimore, Maryland to Leonard and Louise Whiting both preceded him in death. Mark was the sixth of eight children. Mark was educated in the Baltimore City Public School System. He graduated from Edmondson High School. He also received his Associate Degree from Baltimore City Community College.

He served in the United States Marine Corps "Semper Paratus". He was employed by the City of Baltimore, where he was a Hydraulic Mechanic at the Motor Equipment Division Fleet Management where he remained a dedicated employee for thirty years until his retirement in 2008. He was a proud member of Union Local #44.

Mark was united in Holy Matrimony to the love of his life Veronica Lee Clavon on September 19, 1992. Their extended family now joined as one to include Mark Anthony "Tony" Whiting, Jr. and Latisha Lee.

Mark had a great interest in all kinds of automobiles. He had a truly unique personality and a sense of humor. He enjoyed reading, home cooked meals, especially bowling and caring for his pets. Mark was a caring neighbor and friend to many. To know Mark was to love him. He provided love, great pride,

guidance, support, joy and laughter to his family and friends.

Mark showered his wife Veronica, affectionally called “Ronnie” with gifts of love. Mark was a member of the Prince Hall Masons of Maryland. He served as Worshipful Master of Enterprise Lodge #3 from 2000-2002. Mark loved his Masonic Family and enjoyed attending lodge meetings until his health no longer permitted him to.

It is difficult to capture in words the unique spirit of Mark Anthony Whiting, Sr. Mark was willing to help anyone do anything- a sweet, gently and kind spirit who was loved by many and will be missed by all. Mark loved his cat Wolfe who was his constant companion for almost seventeen years before his death. To know Mark, he loved to ride around in his truck with his beloved dogs Spike and Samantha. Spike would ride shotgun while Samantha was on post in the backseat.

Mark was member of local #44 and was a generous sponsor to many organizations to include the Vanguard Justice Society, Inc., The YMCA just to name a few.

Mark did everything “his way.” Even in the end, Mark was determine that he wanted to die at home surrounded by his family at his side and all these things came to pass as he desired and wished for them to be and he died with dignity and pride at home with his wife by his side.

Precious memories now remain with those who loved him and with the many lives he touched. He leaves to cherish his memory: a loving and devoted wife of nineteen years. Veronica; son, Mark Jr.; daughter, Latisha Lee (Daniel); three granddaughter, Bryttani, Latesha and Christina; one grandson, London Lee; three sisters, Joyce, Jean and Vanessa; brother, Jerry Whiting; mother-in-law, Sally Clavon of Detroit, MI; five sister-in-law, Marcia Hill (Warren) of

Baltimore, MD, Staria Shegog of Detroit, MI, Deborah Bean (Kelvin) of Detroit, MI, Renee Ray (Derick) of Raleigh, NC and Cheryl Travis of Detroit, MI; three brother-in-law, Herman Clavon III (Joan) of Memphis, TN, Gerald Clavon, (Karen) of Baltimore, MD and Lamont Clavon of Detroit, MI; a host of loving aunts and uncles, eight nieces, three nephews, twelve great-nieces, seven great-nephews, twenty-three great-great nieces and great-great nephews, cousins and friends. Siblings, Sonny, Raymond and Dottie and father-in-law, Herman Clavon, Jr. preceded her in death.

Cemetery Details

King Memorial Park Cemetery - Grand Heritage Chapel & Mausoleum

8710 Dogwood Rd.
Baltimore, MD 21244
(410) 944-8300
info@kingmemorialpark.com
<https://www.KingMemorialPark.com>

Previous Events

Public Viewing

DEC 16. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Wake

DEC 17. 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Service

DEC 17. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mark Whiting*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *First of all, my condolences 1.5 years after the fact. On March 1st 2013, I was devistated to find out that Mark (who was my unofficial father) passed away.I was very fortunate to have had him in my life from the early 70's until the mid 90's. This man did more for me than most fathers do for thier children. I LOVED HIM SO MUCH! The picture above is always how I will remember him. He was a very beautiful person. He accepted me (Corey), my brother (Rudy) & my sister (Nikki) as his very own children. He loved all of us.He loved my mother (Kay) too. He was a great provider and a very unselfish person. Mark...my father... you will always live in my heart. I LOVE YOU. God Bless & Rest in Peace.*



Corey Rlce - March 02, 2013 at 05:29 PM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



Katrina Brownson - December 16, 2011 at 11:03 AM



“ Hello Family & Friends. Just thought I'd share a few special memories of my Uncle Mark.
I remember when I was a little girl visiting @ Granny's house for the holidays and Uncle Mark had bought Granny her first floor model TV for a Christmas present. I was sitting on the living room sofa (quiet as a mouse like always back then) and Uncle Mark and I think Uncle Sunny came in the house hauling that big TV. At that age, to me, that TV seemed sooo big. I thought to myself....WOW he must really love his mommy and he must have a whoooole lot of money! lol. I remember Uncle Mark always asking me about how I was doing in school and how important getting an education is. Uncle Mark always reminded me of my Dad (Raymond) because they were both tall, slim and handsome. Back in the day all I remember is my Dad (Ray), Uncle Mark, Uncle Sunny and Uncle Tommy being together. Our time here is so precious and we should cherish every minute of it. God Bless You All!
Love Trina
Katrina (Whiting) Brownson

Katrina Brownson - December 16, 2011 at 10:54 AM

AM

“ The upright and true Mason pursues life with vigor; for he knows the Eternal Salvation of his soul, so beautifully typified by a sprig of evergreen which teaches us that although our frail bodies must sooner or later molder in the bosom of Mother Earth, we may confidently hope that Brother Whiting's souls will bloom into immortal greatness.

A Working Master Mason - December 14, 2011 at 08:34 PM

MH

“ My condolences to your family. Please take comfort in knowing that the bible promises us the hope of a resurrection at John 5: 28,29.

Ms. Howard - December 14, 2011 at 10:41 AM



Thank You!

Veronica Whiting - December 14, 2011 at 05:32 PM

MS

“ *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 about 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!!

Ms Springer - December 14, 2011 at 04:29 AM



Thank You!

Veronica Whiting - December 14, 2011 at 05:32 PM

MS

You are truly welcome!! Again so sorry for your loss!!

Ms Springer - December 19, 2011 at 12:00 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.*

March Funeral Homes - December 13, 2011 at 12:10 PM



I'm His Wife, Thanks for your heartfelt words.....

Veronica Whiting - December 14, 2011 at 05:31 PM