



Milton Hall

April 16, 1922 - February 4, 2014

MILTON WILBERT HALL, son of the late Agnes Dixon and Howard Edward Hall and devoted husband to the late Irene Delores Hall, departed this life on February 4, 2014 at the young age of 91. Mr. Hall, known by most as “Poppy,” was born on April 16, 1922 in Baltimore, Maryland. He attended Baltimore City Public Schools, but had to leave at an early age to help support his family. His first job was setting up stalls at the Lexington Market. Following this job, he worked as a paper bailer for L. Gordon & Sons. While there he received his driver’s license which enabled him to drive their trucks, which made deliveries to department stores such as Hecht Company, Hutzler’s and Hoschild Kohn. This “workahollick” next managed to land a job with Pollock Paper Box Company, then located on the Maryland/Pennsylvania line. There he helped to build Navy barracks. It is believed that this position influenced his decision to join the Navy in 1942 as he was drafted into the service during World War II. While serving, Milton was trained to become a Gunner’s Mate, a position which still exists today within the U. S. Coast Guard. This training was interrupted when his Company was shipped to Hawaii and later to Okinawa, Japan. Shortly after being honorably discharged at the end of World War II, “Poppy” began working at John H. Hampshire & Sons as a Teamster truck driver, carpenter, laborer and Shop Steward. He worked there for over 40 years, retiring in 1988. Retirement was only on paper as he continued to attend his Local 311 Teamster’s Union meetings until he was no longer able to drive (believe it or not, less than a year ago). Mr. Hall was an excellent

carpenter, not only on the job, but also at home. He almost single-handedly renovated the house he and his family lived in since 1959 (according to his wife's instructions, of course). "Pop" continued to live there until his recent decline. Those who knew him well, remember his willingness to find time to help family and friends with their renovation projects as well. Milton's second love was gardening and planting flowers with and for his wife, Irene. Once retired he truly became the farmer that he often dreamed of. "Pop" planted and successfully grew tomatoes, string beans, collard greens, cucumbers, watermelons, green and red peppers, corn, strawberries and cantaloupe. The flower garden, which included Rose bushes and Azaleas, was the envy of many. He always admitted that behind a good man, there is a good woman, giving his wife the late Irene Hall much of the credit for his successes.

Cemetery Details

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Previous Events

Public Viewing

FEB 10. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Family Hour

FEB 10. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Wake

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

John Wesley United Methodist Church
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Baltimore, MD

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Milton Hall

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ Please accept my condolences for the loss of your dear loved one. The Bible gives a real hope of being reunited with our loved ones who have passed away. Acts 24:15 lovingly declares "There is going to be a resurrection." May you receive much comfort and strength from the resurrection hope.

Sharon Hill - February 17, 2014 at 09:00 PM



“ To the family,
I am deeply sorry for the loss of your dear loved one. Death can be hard to cope with but fortunately we can draw comfort from the scriptures. One particular scripture is found at Isaiah 25:8, which says in part, "He (God) will swallow up death forever." One day soon, God will not only get rid of death, but He will also resurrect our dead loved ones. May this promise bring you comfort and peace during this time of need.

Jasmine - February 17, 2014 at 10:29 AM



“ My sincerest sympathy goes out to the friends and family. Losing a loved one is such a difficult thing to deal with. We can find comfort in such scriptures as John 5:28,29 the promise Jesus gave of resurrecting our loved ones back to life. Until that day comes, we have the promise that God will draw close to those whose hearts have been broken (Psalms 34:18)

Delores Allen - February 11, 2014 at 05:26 AM

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“ Sorry for your loss, but Jesus has promise all those in the grave will hear his voice and come out John 5:28. What a joy it will be to see your loved one again.

cadolyn - February 06, 2014 at 06:10 PM

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“ Our family would like to express condolences to your family. May you find comfort from Jehovah God's Word The Bible. He assures us at 1 Corinthians 15:26 that "the last enemy death will be brought to nothing". Our prayers are with your family.

linn & family - February 05, 2014 at 01:15 PM

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*First, let me also express my deepest sympathy to the family of Mr.Hall. Although I did not know him personally, I do know what it is like to loose a dear loved one in death. The scripture cited above is indeed a wonderful promise from Jehovah. Isaiah 25:8 also tells us that Jehovah will swallow up death forever, just think no more death. I Hope this brings you some comfort as you mourn
-Christina Washington*

Christina - February 06, 2014 at 07:45 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 - February 05, 2014 at 12:43 PM