



## Ronald M. Johnson

June 17, 1943 - May 17, 2025

Ronald Mario Johnson, the second of four children, was born to Sylvia Edna and Thomas Hugh Johnson on June 17, 1943, in Baltimore, Maryland. He was also lovingly raised by his stepfather, James Milton Johnson. All three preceded him in death. Ronald was called to eternal rest on Saturday, May 17, 2025.

Ronald, affectionately known as “Ron” or “Ronnie,” was educated in the Baltimore City Public School System and attended Paul Laurence Dunbar High School. After graduating, he enlisted in the U.S. Army, proudly serving his country for four years. Ron worked as a Senior Carpenter at Display Craft Manufacturing Co. for over 30 years, retiring in 2010. Even after retirement, he maintained strong bonds with several of his coworkers.

Ron accepted Christ as his personal Savior at an early age and was baptized at Fountain Baptist Church. There, he was nurtured in Christian education through Sunday School and various ministries. His faith remained strong throughout his life, and he firmly believed in God as his Savior.

In 2020, Ron married the love of his life, Paulette Beasley. Their union was one of deep affection, mutual respect, and devotion. Paulette lovingly cared for Ron until the Lord called him home. Together, they created many cherished memories. Ron adored his wife and consistently showed his love

through both words and actions.

Family was everything to Ron. He had a warm smile and a generous heart, always asking, "Do you need anything?" He loved spending time with his family and friends, reminiscing about the good old days and listening to "Oldies but Goodies." He was always willing to support others and was someone you could count on. An avid reader, Ron especially enjoyed novels and frequently shared and compared books with his sisters, Van and Sheila.

Ron's beautiful life will forever be cherished by his devoted wife, Paulette, and his sons, Tavon and Adrian Johnson. He also leaves behind his grandchildren, Dalen and Tavon Jr.; his brother Michael Johnson; his sisters Evangeline Purnell, Sheila Gasque (who preceded him in death), and Cleo Williams; his sister-in-law Debra Beasley-Day; brothers-in-law Paul, Timothy, and Daniel Beasley. Also cherishing his memory are his nieces Ingrid Cox (Kevin) and Tia Gasque; nephews Richard Purnell (Darlene), Travis Gasque (Natalie), and Michael Johnson; great-nieces DuBray Jones (Michael), Kaylin Cox, MacKenzie Jones, and Micha Jones; great-nephews Xavier Gasque and Michael Jones Jr.; along with a host of other nieces, nephews, cousins, friends, and neighbors.

# Cemetery Details

## Garrison Forest Veterans

11501 Garrison Forest Road  
Owings Mills, MD

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

JUN 9. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Home - West  
4300 Wabash Avenue  
Baltimore, MD 21215

## Wake

JUN 10. 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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## Funeral Service

JUN 10. 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ Love you pops always and forever 🍷🍷🍷

Tavon - June 16, 2025 at 02:37 PM

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“ Always on my mind, forever in my heart! Love you Uncle Ronnie❤️

Ingrid - June 04, 2025 at 03:57 PM

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*Always A Pleasure to be with! Just a Great Sincere Guy Sleep Softly  
Long Time Friend Jean McCain*

Jean McCain - July 29, 2025 at 01:46 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 - May 22, 2025 at 01:04 PM