



Rufus Mason Sr.

February 23, 1923 - September 10, 2014

RUFUS LOELY MASON SR., son of the late Eva and Johnnie Mason Sr. was born on February 23, 1923 in Freeman, Virginia. He departed this life on September 10, 2014 after a lengthy illness.

Rudy, as he was affectionately known, received his early education in North Carolina and later moved to Baltimore to complete his education. In his early 20's, Rufus enlisted in the United States Army. While in the army, he became an Air Craft Technician and a lightweight boxer. After leaving the army, Rufus became a landscaper and later a truck mechanic.

Rudy loved gardening. Every year he would plant his garden and share the fruits of his labor with family and friends. He also loved dancing. Rudy loved doing artistic activities. He would make 4D crucifixion scenes out of boxed matches. He also had a passion for wood working and putting things together with his hands.

He leaves to cherish his memory: his loving and devoted wife, Elsie E. Mason; six children, Earl Mason of Baltimore, Jimmy Mason of Delaware, Ronald Mason of California, and Maureen of Baltimore, (Carolyn and Rufus Mason Jr. preceded him in death); one step-daughter, Bobbie Hawkins and one step-son Keith Hawkins both of Virginia; three daughters-in-law, Alissa Mason of Baltimore, Alice Mason, of Delaware and Brenda Mason of California; one

brother, Tommy Mason of Virginia; three sisters-in-law, Emma Highsmith and Carolyn Eades both of Baltimore and Emma Mason of Virginia; seven brothers-in-law, John Eades, Michael Eades, James Eades, Preston Eades, Walter Eades, Joseph Eades and Samuel Eades all of Baltimore, Maryland; one god daughter, Shanika Canady and a host of grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews and friends.

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

SEP 17. 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

SEP 18. 9:00 AM - 9:30 AM (ET)

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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Rufus Mason Sr.*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Please accept my heartfelt sympathies in the loss of your dear loved one. May the resurrection hope Jesus spoke of in the Bible at John 5 : 28,29 be a source of comfort doing this time of grief and pain.*

Delores Allen - September 16, 2014 at 05:16 AM



“ *I'm so sorry to read of your loss. I can't imagine the pain that you feel at this time. May the God of comfort be with you at this time and in times to come. He promises the hope of seeing our dead loved ones again. That promise is at John 5:28,29 and also Rev. 21:3,4.*

Sophie Strachan-Moreno - September 13, 2014 at 07:02 AM

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“ Please accept my condolences. The death of a loved one is the most difficult thing we deal with. I wanted to take this time to express my condolences to you for your loss. May you find comfort from Jehovah God's word the Bible. (Psalms 83:18) The Bible promises: "the hour is coming in which all those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice and come out." (John 5:28,29) Jesus Christ promised that millions now dead will live again on this earth and have the prospect of remaining on it forever peaceful paradisaic conditions. (Isaiah 65:21,22) You can have the hope of being reunited with your dear dead loved ones here on earth. The Bible also assures us: "He will swallow up death forever, And the sovereign Lord Jehovah will wipe away the tears from all faces." (Isaiah 25:8) Death will be removed from all the earth. Tears of sorrow will vanish. No one will die from natural causes or weep. These are promises that will soon be a reality. (Hebrews 6:18) May you find comfort from these promises. And may Jehovah God of all comfort be with you. (2Corinthians 1:3,4)

For more encouragement please visit www.jw.org.

sherries lee - September 12, 2014 at 08:43 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 - September 12, 2014 at 07:53 AM