



Tillman Love,

June 19, 1936 - February 18, 2008

Tilman Love, Jr. was born in Clarksville, Mississippi on June 19, 1936, to the late Tillman and Angeline Love. He was preceded in death by his first wife, Fannie M. Love; two brothers, Lawrence and Michael Love, and one sister, Juanita Irving. Tillman grew up as a youth in Clarksville, Mississippi until his family moved to Chicago, Illinois where he attended public school and later joined the United States Marine Corps. He served in the Corps for four years. He later moved to Virginia and made this warm town his home. He was employed as a supervisor with the United States Postal Service where he worked for 30 years. After he retired, he went to work as a school bus driver for Henrico County. He accepted Christ as a member of The Church of God and Christ. He later joined Grace Institutional Baptist Church. He married Fannie M. Love (deceased), and out of that union two children were born. While living in Virginia, he met and married his current wife, Golden Lawrence. Tillman, affectionately called "Papa T" by his grandchildren and godchildren in his life; a name given to him by one of his godchildren, cherished and enjoyed being around little ones. This is a true testament of his patience. He was a loving father, brother, uncle, grandfather, godfather and friend. There was nothing that he would not do for his family. Until he became ill, you would be certain to find him sitting in front of the television watching one of his many favorite TV shows or playing with his spoiled playful dog "Maltie". There were even times when the mood hit that he would go hunting and fishing. When he wasn't

watching sports,he and Golden would hit the road to an Orioles Baseball game in Maryland.Tillman had a quiet spirit,and a natural smile. He departed this life on February 18,2008.Everyone he met loved him. His fight with cancer was along one. He fought his illness with courage and dignity. Tillman was a source of strength for his family and friends. Until the end,it was only his will and his faith in God that helped him endure.He leaves with cherished memories,his loving and devoted wife,Golden L. Love;four sons,Marcel F. (Jackie)and Norval L. Love,both of Richmond, Virginia,Charles Mines Jr. of Charlotte,North Carolina(Annette) and Timothy Mines,Sr.,of Atlanta, Gerogia(Maria);three brothers,Edward Love(Shirley)of Batesville,Mississippi,Richard Love(Charmain)of Dallas,Texas,and Eugene Love(Beverly)of Chicago,Illinois;three sisters,Maxine Berkley(Griffin),Yvonne Webster(Michael),and Vanessa Weaver(Benjamin),all of Chicago,Illinois;ten grandchildren,Marcel Jr. and Ericka Love,Latoya and Anthony Daniels,Timothy Jr.,Devin,Aija,Taylor,and Marquise Mines,and Jenny Montenegro;four sisters-in-law,Ellen Rice,Laura Lawrence,Thelma Trueheart,and Isabell Lawrence;two brothers-in-laws,Winde Lawrence and Willie Trueheart;godchildren,Morgan and Bryston Davis,and Lavonne Campbell;devoted godmother,Mrs. Edith Bowman,a host of nieces,nephews,cousins,friends,and especially devoted friends,Herbert and Lois Mathis,George and Candace Quash,and Alfonzo Campbell and many more.

Tribute Wall



“ *Tillman Love,*

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“ *This is a great loss. My prayers are with you. Tillman was an inspiration to us all. We will miss him very much. I am honored to have known/nursed him. Helen Hobbelman*

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“ *Ms. Goldie, To say that our hearts go out to you would be an understatement. We are very sorry for your loss but know that those who believe have everlasting life. Know that Mr. Tillman is resting comfortably in the arms of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Darrell, D.J., Devin and I pray that in the coming days you find peace that surpasses all understanding. Know that we are in prayer for you and your family and that we love you much. God bless and keep you.*

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“ *Please accept my condolences for the loss of your loved one. Acts 24:15 lovingly declares-"There is going to be a resurrection." May you receive much comfort, hope and strength as read and ponder over the Bible's loving comfort.*

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“ Mrs. Love & Family, My condolences to you and your family. I first met Mr. Love when I began driving the bus for Henrico. I always considered him to be a warm, genuine and kind person. The bus drivers and many of his students loved and respected him. I will always have fond memories of him. I had hoped to be with you today but I've been under the weather all week. May God bless and strengthen you and your family. Arthur (Bus 554)##imported-begin##Arthur Carrington##imported-end##

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“ Tillman was a soft spoken man. I always looked up to him for his grace and compassion. He will truly be missed.##imported-begin##Titus Whitaker##imported-end##

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“ May I send my condolences to you all. Living for 72 years in these last days is wonderful. Imagine the happiness to be had when the dead are resurrected back to life in the near future. Our heavenly father cares about you all and is there to give hope , joy, peace, comfort, Romans 15:4. I hope these words will be uplifting in your recent loss of Mr. Tillman.##imported-begin##Lillian Crosby##imported-end##

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