



Troy Rodgers Sr.

February 11, 1938 - November 14, 2012

TROY RODGERS, SR., a generous, kind-hearted, quiet, caring man, was the son of the late Mildred Blackwell Rodgers and Adolphus A. Rodgers. He was born on February 11, 1938 in Baltimore, Maryland. He departed on November 14, 2012, at Veterans Medical Center, after battling “with fierce determination” many illnesses including a kidney transplant, a stroke and cancer.

Troy attended school # 139 and Dunbar High School, after which he enlisted in the United States Air Force in 1955 at the age of 17. He was a Staff Sergeant, serving for 12 years 5 months as an Electronic Technician; repairing radar and radios on airplanes, some so difficult that he was the only one able to fix them. He did a tour of duty in Vietnam before his honorable discharge in 1967. Troy was a lifetime member of the American Legion Post #213.

Troy married Theresa Robinson Rodgers, after a very short courtship, on November 13, 1959. They were married 53 years as of November 13, 2012. From this union a son, Troy Rodgers, Jr., was born on July 4, 1961.

Troy was employed from 1967 by the United States Postal Service (after a short stint at the Social Security Administration) until his retirement in April, 1986, due to illness.

He loved jazz music, collecting hundreds of albums and CDs. He travelled to

many jazz concerts with the Jazz Expressways, of which he was a member, until his illness prevented him from attending.

Although, Troy did not attend church on a regular basis, he would visit New Shiloh Baptist Church whenever he was able. He read the Bible through its entirety.

Troy leaves to mourn: his wife, Theresa R. Rodgers; son, Troy Rodgers, Jr.; his father, Adolphus Rodgers; daughter-in-law, Lynette Rodgers; two grandsons, Troy Rodgers III and Aaron Rodgers; great-granddaughter, Skye Elle Rodgers; two great-grandsons, Troy Rodgers IV and Cameron Solomon; sisters-in-law, Gladys N. Guy, Bernice Robinson and Carolyn Rodgers; aunts, Janice, Jewell and Barbara Blackwell and Gwendolyn Smith; and many nieces, nephews, cousins, friends and good neighbors. A brother, Adolphus Rodgers, preceded Troy in death.

Cemetery Details

Garrison Forest Veterans

11501 Garrison Forest Road
Owings Mills, MD

Previous Events

Public Viewing

NOV 28. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore
4300 Wabash Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215
(410) 542-2400
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Family Hour

NOV 28. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Wake

NOV **29**. 11:30 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Service

NOV **29**. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Troy Rodgers Sr.

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“ 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 - November 25, 2012 at 08:09 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.

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