



## Virgil Crawford Sr.

June 10, 1919 - June 8, 2014

TRUSTEE VIRGIL CRAWFORD, SR. ("UNCLE PECK") entered into eternal rest on Sunday, June 8, 2014. The fifth child of twelve children was born in Columbia County, Georgia on June 10, 1919 to the late Blanchard and Gussie Ann Crawford.

His sense of humor and wit was admired by all. He possessed a kind, loving spirit and a giving, caring heart that touched everyone he came in contact with during his life. To all the children and many adults, Virgil was affectionately referred to as "Granddaddy" or "Pop".

As a teenager, he joined and was baptized at the First Mount Carmel Baptist Church of Appling, Georgia, accepting Christ as Lord and personal Savior and served as a Junior Trustee.

After enlisting in the U.S Army, serving his country for five years and being Honorably Discharged, he made his home in Baltimore, Maryland where he met and married Annie E. Farmer of Tarboro, North Carolina and from this union came three children.

He worked in construction for thirty years as a truck driver and brick layer. He was also a member of Local Union #194 before retiring.

Trustee Virgil joined the Garden of Prayer Christian Church in 1990 under the leadership of Bishop Melvin B. Tuggle II, continuing to serve faithfully as a Trustee, singing on the Male Chorus and as a member of the Brotherhood Ministry.

Upon rising every morning, Virgil always first thanked God for allowing him to wake. He prayed a prayer and read from his bible.

Those who remain to cherish being loved by Virgil are: his three children, Virgil Crawford, Jr. (Andrea), Rev. Maurice Crawford (Rev. Gwendolyn) and Mona Crawford-Taylor; sister, Estella Bailey of Appling, Georgia; brother-in-law, Henry Farmer (Ruth) of Baltimore, Maryland; seven grandchildren, Kenyon Evans, Sr. (Shawanda), Monique Roberson-Lewis (Cortez), Krystal Davis, DeMarcus Crawford, Sr. (Tywanda), Laverne, Towanda and Shanita Taylor (preceding his death are two grandchildren, Andrew and Virgil Crawford III); nineteen great-grandchildren, two great-great-grandchildren, a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Dulaney Valley Memorial Gardens

200 E. Padonia Rd.  
Timonium, MD 21093

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

JUN 12. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - East Baltimore  
1101 East North Avenue  
Baltimore, MD 21202  
(410) 727-3300  
info@marchfh.com

## Family Hour

JUN 12. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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1101 East North Avenue  
Baltimore, MD 21202  
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## Wake

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JUN 13. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Garden Of Prayer Church  
1148 Homestead Street  
Baltimore, MD 21218

## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Virgil Crawford Sr.*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *Your Co-wordsers at Chick-fil-A purchased the Sacred Garden Spray for the family of Virgil Crawford Sr..*



**Your Co-wordsers at Chick-fil-A** - March 10, 2015 at 11:26 AM



“ *Sorry for your loss, may Jehovah give you comfort in your time of need. 1 Corinthians 1:3,4.*

**Carolyn** - June 30, 2014 at 09:10 AM

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“ To the Family and Friends of Virgil Crawford:

*I was saddened to hear about your loss. I loss my grandmother a few years ago and it still hurts. I was able to cope because of the promises found in the Bible. The three scriptures that continually strengthens me and my family are 1 Corinthians 15:26 - “and the last enemy, death, is to be brought to nothing”, Revelation 21:4 – “he will wipe out every tear from their eyes, and death will be no more, neither will mourning or outcry be anymore, the former things have passed away” and last I appreciate the fact with every promise God has made He has never lied and to confirm this Titus 1:2 – “God who cannot lie has promised long ago”. I hope they bring comfort to you and your family as well. Please accept my sincere condolences. For more encouragement, please feel free to visit - [www.JW.org](http://www.JW.org)  
Sincerely, Dana  
Please feel free to email me back at [Bringyoucomfort@gmail.com](mailto:Bringyoucomfort@gmail.com)*

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**Paradise Coming** - June 11, 2014 at 02:04 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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**March Funeral Homes** - June 09, 2014 at 04:44 PM