



## Walter B. Laws

September 24, 1932 - July 28, 2018

Walter Bailey Laws was born on September 24, 1932 to the late Hezekiah Montague and Marie Laws in Baltimore, Maryland. He transition to his heavenly home on July 25, 2018.

Walter received his early education in the Baltimore City Public School System. While attending Frederick Douglass High School he played on the football and basketball teams. He received numerous sports awards. After graduation from high school Walter enlisted in the United States Navy. He served bravely during the Korean War. Upon returning home from the Navy, Walter was employed by the former Bell Atlantic that eventually became Western Electric Telephone Company. After the plant relocated (out of state) he retired and became a security officer at the Baltimore State Office Building for 20 years.

Walter met the love of his life the former Barbara Jackson at the local neighbor Star Dry Cleaners. He would collect everyone's dry cleaning clothes in the house to go to the cleaners just to see Barbara. He eventually got past his nerves to ask her for a date. They married on July 19, 1964, at Fulton Baptist Church. Walter received his early Christian education growing up in Bethel AME Church on Druid Hill Avenue. After marrying Barbara, he joined Fulton Baptist Church, where he served as an usher and later became a trustee. While serving as a trustee, he became Chairman of the Trustee Board. He was very active in the Men's Ministry, where he earned the nickname "Godfather". He

served faithfully on the following ministries, Share Program and Special Activities and also attended Sunday School and Bible Study.

Everyone knew during football season Walter and Barbara would be attending the Ravens home games. One of his greatest football highlights was traveling with Fulton Baptist Church to Canton, Ohio to The Football Hall of Fame.

Walter leaves to cherish his memory: his wife, Barbara Laws; nephews and neices, Garnett Carey (Aiko), Cheryl Carey, Kevin Carey (Vanesia), Cassandra Slater (Winfred), Sharon Carey, and Barbara Hill (Alphonso); goddaughters, Monique Cephas and Kim Wilson along with a host of other godchildren, great nephews and nieces; great-great-nephews and nieces along with a host of other family and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Garrison Forest Veterans

11501 Garrison Forest Road  
Owings Mills, MD

# Previous Events

## viewing

AUG 8. 1:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

March Life Tribute Center, P.A. - Randallstown  
5616 Old Court Road  
Windsor Mill, MD 21244  
(410) 655-0110  
<https://www.marchlifetributecenter.com>

## Wake

AUG 9. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

March Life Tribute Center, P.A. - Randallstown  
5616 Old Court Road  
Windsor Mill, MD 21244  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Walter B. Laws*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *With Distinction was purchased for the family of Walter B. Laws.*



August 08, 2018 at 02:45 PM



“ *Cheryl Carey lit a candle in memory of Walter B. Laws*



**Cheryl carey** - August 08, 2018 at 02:43 PM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Walter B. Laws.*



August 08, 2018 at 01:46 PM

IS

“ Isis lit a candle in memory of Walter B. Laws



Isis - August 08, 2018 at 12:58 PM



“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Barbara Carey-Hill - August 07, 2018 at 10:33 PM



“ Barbara Carey-Hill lit a candle in memory of Walter B. Laws



Barbara Carey-Hill - August 07, 2018 at 09:42 PM

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“ Sharon Carey lit a candle in memory of Walter B. Laws



Sharon Carey - August 07, 2018 at 11:54 AM

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*Your smile and your calm demeanor were your trademark.*

*You always had a kind word of encouragement, knowing God was in control of everything.*

*When we were children, you were our "Geepy". I can't remember which one of us came up with the nickname, but you played along with us.*

*You were always there for us - supporting us, caring about us, praying for us!*

*I will always remember your fun, kind and loving ways, Uncle Walter. I love you to the moon and back (knowing you are heaven-bound).*

*Your loving niece,*

*Sharon*

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**Sharon Carey** - August 07, 2018 at 12:04 PM



*Sharon well said!*

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**Barbara Carey-Hill** - August 07, 2018 at 09:45 PM

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**Isis** - August 06, 2018 at 01:54 PM

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“ We love you Uncle Walter. I wish I could have said goodbye. You will be truly missed. Rest in Love ❤️  
~ Isis and family

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**Isis** - August 06, 2018 at 01:48 PM



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**Cassandra Careyslater** - August 06, 2018 at 12:35 PM



*Aunt Barbara and Uncle Walters wedding day*

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**Cassandra Careyslater** - August 06, 2018 at 01:36 PM

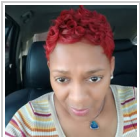


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**Cassandra Careyslater** - August 06, 2018 at 12:33 PM

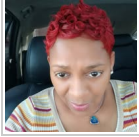


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**Cassandra Careyslater** - August 06, 2018 at 11:43 AM



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**Cassandra Careyslater** - August 06, 2018 at 11:42 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.

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**March Funeral Homes** - August 06, 2018 at 10:49 AM