



Wilbert R. Hillard

October 7, 1934 - January 18, 2011

On October 7, 1934, WILBERT ROOSEVELT HILLIARD was born to the late Wilbert Holloway and the late Bernice Gee in Baltimore Maryland. He was the second of three children. He departed this life on January 18, 2011 after a long illness.

Wilbert was educated in the Baltimore City Public Schools. Following graduation, he enlisted in the United States Marine Corps where he rose to the rank of sergeant and dutifully served in the Korean War. Following his tour of duty, he was honorably discharged in 1956 and stayed on the west coast and attended Pasadena State College. He continued his education at the Cortez Peters Business School. He began his civilian career with the Social Security Administration in 1959 where he worked until his retirement in 1984. He also served in the Army National Guard from 1963 until 1964.

Bill met Barbara Hawkins Wingo, and they married on March 26, 1966. With their marriage, three children William, Barbara, and Lorna, were brought together to form their new family. Out of this union one daughter, Stacey was born.

Bill was raised in a Christian home. He had been a member of the St. Marks Inspirational Church and the St. Gregory's Catholic Church. Even though he was not a regular churchgoer, he read the Bible Daily, and engaged in home

Bible Study.

“Bill”, “Pop-Pop”, “Poppy” or “Mr. Bill” , as he was often called, was known for his thirst for knowledge. He was an avid study of history, religion, and politics; and was rarely seen without one of his many hats. He loved his garden and was known for his zucchini, which was used to make bread for neighbors and friends. Bill was an active member of the Forest Garden Improvement Association. He was a devoted husband, father, grandfather, and friend to many.

Wilbert leaves to cherish his memory: his devoted wife Barbara; one son, Reverend William F. Wingo, I (Juanita); three daughters, Barbara J. Richardson (George), Lorna R. Hilliard and Stacey A. Ammons (Robert); 9 grandchildren, Kelly C. Jones (Kenneth), William F. Wingo, II (Desiree), Joshua C. Wingo, Precious D. Clark, Grace J. Wingo, Temira J. Martin, Erika A. Bell, Eryn D. Ammons, and Eve R. Ammons; 7 great-grandchildren, William F. Wingo, III, London KC Fields, Darryl D. Smith, Jr., Kennedy KC Jones, Kelsey KC Jones, Malcolm J. Wingo, and Ardyn E. Richardson; one sister Catherine E. Edison; one special niece Kimberly A. Brunson and a host of nieces,

Cemetery Details

Garrison Forest Veterans

11501 Garrison Forest Road
Owings Mills, MD

Previous Events

Public Viewing

JAN 26. 8:30 AM - 8:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore
4300 Wabash Avenue
Baltimore, MD 21215
(410) 542-2400
info@marchfh.com

Family Hour

JAN 26. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Wake

JAN 27. 10:30 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Perkins Square
2500 W. Edmonson Ave.
Baltimore, MD

Service

JAN 27. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Wilbert R. Hillard*

October 13, 2022 at 08:33 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 - January 20, 2011 at 12:20 PM