



## Wilbert G. Trusty, Sr.

September 24, 1929 - July 31, 2016

WILBERT GORDON TRUSTY, SR., the son of the late Mr. Edward Trusty Sr. and Mrs. Estella Holmes-Trusty, departed this earth on July 31, 2016. He was born in Baltimore, Maryland on September 24, 1929 at 420 Somerset Street. Will was one of six children with three siblings preceding him in death: sister Helen, brothers Robert and Harry.

He was educated in the Baltimore Public School System graduating from Paul Laurence Dunbar High School on June 16, 1948. While attending Dunbar he earned letters in four sports Football, Basketball, Track, and Softball, winning an athletic scholarship to Hampton University. Will was drafted in the Army during the Korean War on August 07, 1951 and was honorably discharged on August 06, 1953.

Will married his childhood sweetheart, Grace Ruth Price Trusty, on February 20, 1952 ending with her demise on August 20, 2003 after 51 years of marriage. Out of this marriage was Wilbert Jr., Carolyn Ann (deceased), Melvin, Gregory, and Sherman Sr. Will became very depressed after the death of his wife Grace and his daughter Carolyn who were the shining stars of his life.

Will loved to be involved in sports beginning at an early age on the playgrounds of schools #116 and #139. He was a member of the Harmony Aces, Hornets, Ravens and the Intenders, all of East Baltimore. Will and his wife loved to have family gatherings starting with the family reunion in 1955 in Cherry Hill. Will had employment with the Post Office, Mutual Chemicals, G.E.

Locke Insulators and the Department of Housing-Baltimore City where he retired after 37 years of employment on August 26, 1993. Will loved going to Myrtle Beach in the summer with his family. Will was a member of Fountain Baptist where he loved to hear Pastor Ford preach, then Dr. Chambers and now the present Preachers.

Will had a dedicated special friend Mrs. Livers who was willing to console him when he would have depressing moments. Mrs. Livers has been his consistent companion for many years.

Will leaves to mourn: his four sons; brother, Edward "Hank,"; sister, Irene "Sissy"; his daughters-in-law, Deborah L., Deborah P., Frazia and Wendy who made sure he was eating properly; granddaughters, Angelyta

# Cemetery Details

## Garrison Forest Veterans

11501 Garrison Forest Road  
Owings Mills, MD

# Previous Events

## Public Viewing

AUG 8. 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

AUG 8. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

March Funeral Homes - West Baltimore  
4300 Wabash Avenue  
Baltimore, MD 21215  
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## Wake

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AUG 9. 10:00 AM - 10:30 AM (ET)

Fountain Baptist  
1215 E. Monument Street  
Baltimore, MD 21205

## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Wilbert G. Trusty, Sr.*

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October 13, 2022 at 08:33 AM



“ *We are sorry to hear about your lost.*

*Our thoughts and prayers are with you at this time.*

*Sincerely,  
Audrey Valentine & Rodney Valentine*

*Wife and Son of the deceased Alvis Bernard Valentine*

*'Trusty', Sr. and Alvis worked together at the Housing Authority*

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**Valerie Valentine Harris** - August 18, 2016 at 01:46 PM



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**angelyta trusty** - August 12, 2016 at 08:49 AM

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“ Truly a great man and he was full of life! Never a dull moment. I new whenever ir wherever I came in contact with him I would walk away with a good laugh or 2! Always the gentleman in his sharp suits and hats. Truly a soldier that left a great legacy and enough wisdom In sure to share with the world. What a great angel to have now watching over you everyday as you all continue your journey. I won't say it will get easy but it will become a a loss that gets a lil easier everyday. Hold on to your treasure chest of memories. Hold on to the laughter and the wisdom! May God comfront and keep you all! With Love Chantelle Coleman and mom Geneva! 🙏🙏❤️❤️❤️

Chantelle Coleman - August 10, 2016 at 01:45 PM

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“ Sorry to hear about your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during your time of bereavement. The Starghill Family

Eugenia Starghill - August 08, 2016 at 03:37 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Wilbert G. Trusty, Sr..



August 08, 2016 at 09:43 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Wilbert G. Trusty, Sr..



August 07, 2016 at 04:20 PM



*“ Almost a year ago I met an Angel in your granddaughter. You and your family allowed me to be in your warmth and you made me feel welcomed and accepted. I pray the lord grant you strength and encourage you all to trust that Mr. Will is in peace and that he will still and forever be in your hearts and minds. God bless you all and stay encouraged.*

**Kendra Dukes** - August 07, 2016 at 03:26 PM



*“ May God help my family through this time of the loss of our love one. May God heal their hearts,minds and bodies.*

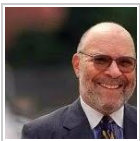
**Rochelle Ward** - August 07, 2016 at 01:05 PM



*“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Wilbert G. Trusty, Sr..*



August 06, 2016 at 09:01 AM



*“ Mr. Trusty was my good 2 doors up neighbor for several decades and we worked together briefly at HABC. Some people you just always get used to them being in your life and you expect it to go on forever. He will be missed in Grove Park.We will miss his smile and the care that he took with his property. I have had the pleasure of watching his kids grow into strong adults. The true measure of a man is what he leaves behind to carry on.*

*Daniel and the Henson Family*

**Daniel Henson** - August 02, 2016 at 10:50 AM

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“ To the Trusty Family,

*It seems so cruel to lose one so dear. Time may dull the pain but you will never forget Wilbert G. Trusty. Please accept our condolences, The Powell Family*

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**Shawn Powell** - August 02, 2016 at 07:44 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 01, 2016 at 03:09 PM