



William J. Washington

January 15, 1952 - December 29, 2004

William James Washington Jr., b.k.a. Bill, son of the late William and Jane Washington was born in Baltimore, Maryland on January 15, 1952. He departed this life suddenly on Wednesday, December 29, 2004. "Bill" as he was affectionately called by everyone that he became acquainted with, attended the Baltimore City School System. He enjoyed fishing, boating, hunting, and computers and let us not forget backyard barbequing. The love that he had for computers really paid off. He started working with computers in the State of Maryland at an early age. From this he excelled to one of the top executives office where he provided administrative support, consultation and technical assistance to program managers, office directors and other administrators within the SSA in order to facilitate and improve the overall operations and control of programs for which they are responsible. He was a dedicated conscientious worker who never hesitated when called from vacation back to work to assist with state projects involving and/or concerning children. He was employed with the state for thirty-six years until he departed this life. He leaves to cherish his memories: his beloved wife, Mary Washington; his two sons and one daughter, William E. Washington; Dwan T. Washington and Denesha L. Washington; two stepdaughters, Andrea Michelle Williams and Tarsha B. Williams; one daughter-in-law, Jacqueline Washington; six grandchildren, Kennedy, Larry, Lar-Andre, Christopher, Tiarra and Brandon; one brother and two sisters, Herbert E. Washington of Baltimore, Naona F. Elliott of Philadelphia, PA., and Willine T. Smith of Baltimore; seven

brothers-in-law, Gregory Elliott of Philadelphia, PA., Robert A. Smith of Baltimore, Charles, Robert, Raymond, Ernest Williams all of Baltimore and Albert Burley; six sisters-in-law, Sandra Washington, Lillie Fain, Louise Burley, Martha Taylor and Tory Williams all of Baltimore; host of nephews, nieces and other relatives and friends and a very dear friend Hubert (Watchie) Lowery.

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“ *William J. Washington*

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“ *My deepest sympathy during your time of sorrow but know that the God of comfort is with you all during this time of tribulation. (2Corinthian 1:3-4) Due to the many unforeseen occurrences that brings tragedy to our lives Jehovah God promises one day soon Death will be no more (Rev 21:3-4) and his son have been given the authority to bring all those in the memorial tombs back to life. John 5:28-29 Just think there will come a time not only will death be no more but Jehovah promises that no one will have to say I'm sick according to Isaiah 33:24. I feel the need to express these words of hope because so many of us today treasure the gift of life and we do all we can to maintain it to hold on to it. That is why it hurts so badly when our loved ones die. With so many of us desiring life today no matter how good or bad it is we still want life here on earth. No one looks forward to that time of death. That is why I am under obligation by the spirit and love of God to share that hope that is in our near future that the righteous shall inherit the earth and reside upon it forever according to Psalms 37: 29 along with the above stated promises on a paradise and peaceful earth. We all can hold true to this everlasting promise because Isaiah 55:11 states all the words Jehovah have spoken WILL NOT RETURN WITHOUT RESULTS. What a wonderful prospect for our future especially enlight of the fact that Hebrews 6:18 States of God, it is IMPOSSIBLE for him to lie.##imported-begin##Carter##imported-end##*

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“ To the Family: I am sorry to hear of your loss. The Bible can be a wonderful comfort to us all. Revelation 21: 3,4, Jehovah God says that he will wipe the tears from all of our eyes and death will be no more. May your family find comfort in this scripture.##imported-begin##Yolanda Johnson##imported-end##

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“ Hello Family & Friends, I am so sorry to hear of your loss and I am offering my condolences. The scriptures can be of great comfort to us all. I am reminded of the scripture at John 11:25,26 where Jesus says "I am the resurrection and the life. He that exercises faith in me, even though he dies, will come to life; and everyone that is living and exercises faith in me will never die at all." May you be comforted by this scripture.##imported-begin##Sophia Briscoe##imported-end##

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“ I was one of Bill's co-workers for many years. Bill has always been a pleasant person to work with. He was very dedicated to his job. He will truly be missed by his SSA family. Mary and Family, my thoughts and prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Donna Banks##imported-end##

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“ Dear Mary and family, I was so shocked to hear of your loved ones passing. I remember meeting your husband while working with you at the GB Job Ctr. When I came to work at DHR, I saw him periodically and he always spoke to me. Although I did not know him well, he seemed kind and gentle. I will pray for you and your family.##imported-begin##Vanessa Wright##imported-end##

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“ Mary my prayers are with you and your family.##imported-begin##Dana Williams##imported-end##

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“ I just want to say that Bill was a very quiet and gentle person. He was also very generous. I was one of his coworkers. May your family be blessed during your time of bereavement.##imported-begin##Lisa R. Dixon##imported-end##

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“ I wish to extend my sympathy to Bill's family. Bill was a good friend, a co-worker you could count on and someone who I always appreciated having in my corner. He was always there with a smile and a helping hand. I miss him, his smile, his kindness. God must have been lonely and needed another angel. I saw Bill last week and had the opportunity to wish him a happy new year. His truly will be since he's with the Lord. God bless and keep you. And I will keep you in my prayers.##imported-begin##Maggie Lee##imported-end##

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“ I have know Bill for years and must say it was always a pleasure dealing with him. He could sure keep those funds or staff allocations straight -- or at least help me do that. We all relied on Bill and he will be greatly missed. I worked at SSA for about 4 years. During that time I got to know Bill even better. I will always remember that little smile and laugh he had whenever anything tickled his funnybone. I am terrible sorry to hear of your loss. Please know that my thoughts and prayers are with the entire family. Carol Ann Mumma###imported-begin##Carol Ann Mumma###imported-end##

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“ May God's love and peace enfold you during your time of sorrow and remain with you always. Bill was a kind and caring man and he will be missed.###imported-begin##Denise Cato###imported-end##

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“ As Director of the Office in which Bill performed his work, let me share the heartfelt sorrow of myself and his colleagues regarding our loss. Bill served many years with the Social Services Administration as Analyst for the Budget and Central Services Unit. He was at work on Tuesday, 12/28, performing various tasks related to caseload analysis and Flex Fund review, and we each said goodnight, expecting to continue the work the next day. His sudden passing was a shock to me and to all of his co-workers and friends at SSA. Although he was planning for retirement in June, 2005, Bill remained very interested in his tasks and saw how he contributed to the Department's broader efforts to improve case service staffing levels in the local departments of social services. His work formed the basis of our budget requests for improving caseload staffing for Child Welfare Services statewide. Many recall that Bill also worked for many years with the Baltimore City Department of Social Services. We will deeply miss Bill, his contributions, his humor, and his positive, giving style. He was a great co-worker, and a wonderful man. Out deepest condolences go to his family.##imported-begin##Craig Adams##imported-end##

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“ Bill was a good friend and co-worker from our Baltimore City DSS days. I saw him only several weeks ago outside of DHR on Saratoga Street. We had a good conversation and caught up on things. I was out of work all of last week and was thoroughly shocked upon returning today to hear the bad news. In that I do not have my car today at work, I cannot pay my respects in person at the funeral home. However, I still want to offer my deepest condolences. I will miss Bill greatly. Randy Harrison##imported-begin##Randy Harrison##imported-end##

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“ *Bill always called me his office wife. I'm truly going to miss him asking for \$5 every morning and me telling him, "no". His response then would be "I'm cashing you in for a better wife". We always had disagreements on a daily basis, but he loved me and I loved him back. I'm so very sorry to hear about your loss, but it is truly ours (the SSA family) as well. Billy (and family), 'Niesha and 'Wann - you are in my prayers.##imported-begin##Sylvia Tucker##imported-end##*

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