

Obituary

Willie T. Marbury, Sr., age 78 of Dayton, OH was born January 18, 1942 in Sylacauga, AL. He was educated in the Dayton Public School system and graduated from Roosevelt High School, Class of 1960. He retired from General Motors Truck and Bus in Moraine, OH after 40 years of dedicated service.

Willie was a hard worker and a hard player because of the hard work of taking care of the family, but, he never let that stop him from his ultimate goal and that was to do the best he could for his family. Family in all ways was the source of his inspiration and what he tried to instill in each and every one of his children, grandchildren and great grandchildren. That is a legacy that we must continue.

On December 27, 2020 Willie T. Marbury, Sr. transitioned from this life to be in the presence of the Lord. He was preceded in death by: his parents, T.H. and Clara Marbury; his wife, Flora; sons, Kenneth and Michael; sister, Olivia Bean, and brothers, Lester, Raymond and Edward Marbury. Willie leaves to cherish fond memories and celebrate his life: children, Kimberly Garrick (Danny) of Alabama, Willie T. Marbury, Jr., Lenora Marbury, Jeffrey A. Marbury, Sr.; grandchildren, Rhonda Fambro, Shawn Haskins, Troy and Sean Garrick, Juarron, Jeffrey Jr., Jay Allen, and Kenisha Marbury, Je'wel Coleman, Jessica Enright and special grandchild, Dana Moreland; great grandchildren, Christopher, Erin, Siraya and Yani Garrick, Jaden, Isaiah and Kayson Haskins, Taylor Rankins, Flora Granados, Michael A. Shephard, Jr., Kevion Martin, Jesse Pingleton, Jr., Arryah and Lenya Davis, Jai'ceon Wallace, Malik and Makayla Williams, Devron and Dailyah Youngblood, Juaryah and Mari'jae Lanae Marbury; brother, Rickey Marbury; sisters, Amanda Woods and Deborah Foster; a host of other loving relatives and friends.

*"Your life was a blessing, Your Memory a Treasure.
You were loved beyond words and
Missed beyond Measure."*

In my Father's house are many mansions: if it were not so, I would have told you. I go to prepare a place for you. And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come again, and receive you unto myself; that where I am, there ye may be also.

John 14:2-3

Order of Service

Processional.....Clergy, Family and Friends
Musical Selection.....Phillips Temple Choir
Prayer.....Clergy
Scripture Reading.....Clergy
Designated Reflections.....(2 minute limit)
Kimberly Garrick & Willie T. Jr.
Obituary.....(Please read silently)
Eulogy.....Pastor James E. Washington
Recessional.....Clergy, Family and Friends
Interment.....West Memory Gardens

*Please wear mask during Service and Interment
and remember Social Distancing.*

Psalm 23 - A Psalm of David (kpv)

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters. He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

The Broken Chain

We little knew that morning that God was going to call your name. In life we loved you dearly, in death we do the same. It broke our hearts to lose you. You did not go alone, for part of us went with you the day God called you home. You left us peaceful memories. Your love is still our guide. And though we cannot see you, you are always at our side. Our family chain is broken and nothing seems the same, but as God calls us one by one, the Chain will link again.

Author Unknown



*Remembering Willie with Love,
His Family*

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Acknowledgements

The family of Willie T. Marbury, Sr. wishes to convey heartfelt thanks to all of their many friends and loved ones for the numerous expressions of sympathy shown to them during their time of bereavement. Thank you for all the prayers, cards, calls, visits, and food. Special thanks to Pastor James E. Washington and Phillips Temple Church Family, Grace Brethren Village of Englewood, Hospice of Dayton, Grandview Hospital and to all of our family and friends. Thank you for your presence here with us today. May God continue to bless and keep each one of you. Please continue to keep our family in your prayers.

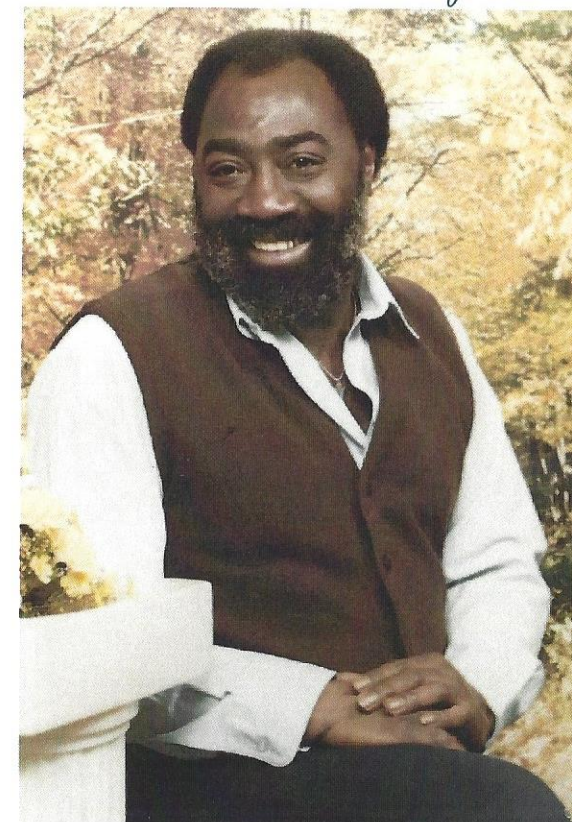
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Celebration of Life Willie T. Marbury, Sr.



January 18, 1942 - December 27, 2020

Funeral Service 11:00 a.m.

Wednesday, January 6, 2021

*Phillips Temple CME Church
3620 Shiloh Springs Rd., Trotwood, OH*

Pastor James E. Washington, Officiating