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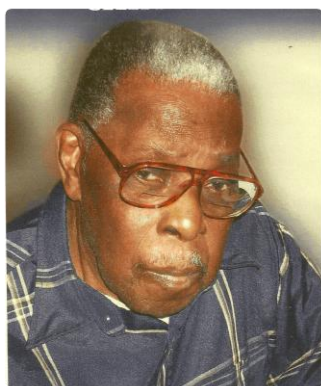


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(Announcement) the passing of great pioneer)

Mr. Harmon Edmond

February 21, 1921 – May 9, 2011



Harmon Edmond, son of the late John and Elizabeth Felder-Edmond, was born on February 21, 1924 in Calhoun County, South Carolina. He peacefully departed his life on May 9, 2011. Harmon was educated in the South Carolina Public School System. He joined the US Marines in December 1943 and completed his service in June 1946, achieving the rank of Corporal.

Harmon married Bertha Lane (who preceded him in death) , and they moved to Baltimore, Maryland in 1948. They had four children from their union. They are Ronald (Cheryl) , Donald (who preceded him in death) , Denise Dunn and Harmon, Jr. (Shirley). He and his Wife, Bertha, joined the Mt. Mariah Baptist Church and were active in several ministries. He was a member of the W.L. Green Mass Choir, Male Usher Board, Kitchen Committee and Adult Sunday School Class.

In his earlier life, Harmon owned and operated a grocery store located on Franklin Street in Baltimore City. Later, he worked for a period of time at the Hold Tight Company and subsequently was employed as a belt operator at Bethlehem Steel for 33 years. He was a Pass Master of the Masons as well as a member of the Shiners. Harmon also was an active member of his neighborhood association, the Western Community Association. Everyone who knew Harmon loved him. He was a kind and generous individual, and there was nothing that he would not do to help others. It was a joy to just be in his presence. Harmon Edmond will be greatly missed. He leaves to mourn: his children; a sister, Nessie Washington of the : town of North, South Carolina; his grandchildren, Ronald, Jr. , Marquis, Martis, Kandyce, Jodie, Matthew and Saleta; twelve great grandchildren; and a host of nieces, nephews, Cousins, other relatives and friends.

Service was held 16 May 2011, at the Mt. Moriah Baptist Church, Baltimore Maryland with the Rev. Stephen Smith officiating.