

## Henry Willie Rumph

February 15, 1950 - December 20, 2018

On Thursday, December 20, 2018, Henry W. Rumph, Sr., peacefully departed this life. He was born on February 15, 1950 in Marshallville, Georgia to the late Willie James and Louise "Honey" Rumph. Soon after graduating high school, Henry was drafted into the U.S. Marine Corps and served his country in the Vietnam War. Before retiring in 2014, Henry proudly worked as a Union Organizer for the Graphic Communications International Union (GCIU). Henry was preceded in death by both parents and siblings, Cynthia, Valentina, and James. Henry leaves behind his devoted wife and partner of 39 years, Sheila Rumph; four children, Henry, Jr., Davina, Raynoldo and Precious; eight grandchildren, Heaven, Nevaeh, Khassidy, Khayne, Tayvin, Bryce, Khodi and Kharma; siblings, James (Mildred), Mary, Alma (Erroll), Jake (Wanda), Barbara (Leon), Ronald (Elnora), Gloria (John L.), Raymond (Patricia), Vannise (Winston), Sharon, Will, Darlene, Colbert, Ruby, Lillian (Erroll), Josie, and Jeanette. Henry also leaves a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and dear friends to cherish his precious memories.

Services will be held on Monday, Jan. 7, 2019 at Pope Funeral Home, 5538 Marlboro Pike, Forestville, MD 20747. Viewing will begin at 10 a.m., and the Homegoing will directly follow at 11:30 a.m. Interment will take place at Cheltenham Veterans Cemetery, 11301 Crain Hwy., Cheltenham, MD 20623.

# Cemetery Details

## MARYLAND VETERANS CHELTENHAM

11301 CRAIN HIGHWAY  
Cheltenham, MD 20623

# Previous Events

## Service

JAN 7. 10:00 AM (ET)

Forestville Chapel  
5538 Marlboro Pike  
Forestville , Md. 20747

# Tribute Wall



“ *Henry Willie Rumph*

January 28, 2023 at 02:13 PM



“ *Henry Willie Rumph*

January 28, 2023 at 10:26 AM



“ *Henry was a very kind person. When I met him he said right away that I felt like family. He always spoke highly of his beautiful wife. I was excited to meet and befriend Sheila who I know he adored. I know that he will be missed by his family and beautiful mother. Passing away is not saying goodbye it is saying "I made It Over".*

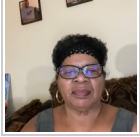
**Cynthia Lewis** - December 31, 2018 at 10:47 PM



“ *Cynthia Lewis lit a candle in memory of Henry Willie Rumph*



**Cynthia Lewis** - December 31, 2018 at 10:43 PM



“ *My Love, I will miss everything about you! You will always be in my heart. Thanks for being the best friend, husband and dad you could be. Until we meet again Rest in Heaven Babe!!!❤️❤️❤️❤️❤️ I love you Babe! It hurts so bad babe knowing I can't touch you anymore babe!!!😭😭😭😭😭😭*

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**Sheila Wiggins-Rumph** - December 30, 2018 at 04:35 PM

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*Im so sorry 4 ur lose and i dont mean to bother u jus looking for someone by ths name but born maybe between 1935-1945 that worked for the railroad would u happen to kno him*

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**Keasha starks** - June 29, 2019 at 05:55 PM

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“ *Vannise Bradford lit a candle in memory of Henry Willie Rumph*



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**Vannise Bradford** - December 29, 2018 at 07:01 PM



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**Wanda Wiggins-Morris** - December 29, 2018 at 10:23 AM



“ *My Brother- in- love Henry, will truly be missed. He has been a part of our family for over 38 years. He has always made sure my Sister and their children have everything they needed especially much more than enough food. A very hospitable man, never shutting his door to anyone. An awesome Uncle to my children, RIP My Brother.*



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**Wanda Wiggins-Morris** - December 29, 2018 at 10:16 AM

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*Henry Willie; ironically names from our family tree. Uncle Henry was his great grandmothers (Mary Ross) brother; Henry had a son he named Willie David. Billy was a brave Marine that served his country in Vietnam. He was a dedicated family man and son. He and I had conversations and I felt good communicating with my cousin. The family loved him but God loved him more.*

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**David Harmon** - December 30, 2018 at 08:38 PM