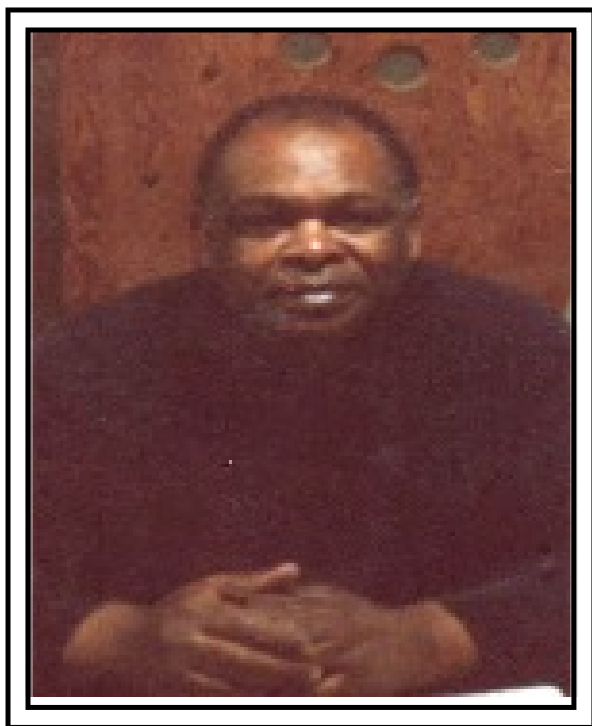


Homegoing Celebration for
Vaughn L. Coston

February 9, 1942

March 5, 2013



Wednesday, March 13, 2013 - 11:00 a.m.

EBENEZER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

107 Collins Street • Snow Hill , Maryland

Dr. Bernadette Beckett , Officiating

Obituary

Vaughn Livingston Coston, son of the late Earl L. Coston and Lessie K. Coston, born on February 9, 1942 departed from this life for his heavenly home on Tuesday, March 5, 2013 at Holy Name Hospital in Teaneck, NJ.

Vaughn received his education in the public schools of Worcester County. He attended Maryland State College aka University of Maryland Eastern Shore in Princess Anne, MD. He was employed by EBR Manufacturing, Inc. where he retired after forty years due to illness. During this time Vaughn accepted Jesus Christ into his life. He was a dedicated employee very reserved and a devoted husband and father always putting his family first. He found great joy in raising his son, Maurice and spending time with his grandson, Livingston.

He was blessed with his wife, Lela who loved and cared for him always and especially through his entire illness. Close neighbors Stanley, wife, Norka and children, Joshua and Jasmine spent a lot of time visiting him and showing their love for him and Lela. Vaughn had a strong constitution and his motto was “that he would work until he dies”. Vaughn was the only person we know that received dumplings via express mail from his niece, Robin. Prior to his illness he would visit Snow Hill, MD as often as he could.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by three brothers, Felton B. Coston, Robert L. Coston, and Earl T. Coston, one sister, Lessie M. Coston, three brothers-in-law Ralph Covington, Thomas Covington, and John Covington.

Vaughn leaves to cherish his memories: his wife, Lela Coston; one son, Maurice V. Coston and fiancée Alicia Carroll; one grandson, Livingston V. Coston; a special niece Robin L. Coston; two brothers, John (Bernice) Coston of Pocomoke City, MD and Franklin (Elizabeth) Coston of Snow Hill, MD; one uncle, Donald (Alma) Coston of Conshohocken, PA; five brothers-in-law, Melvin (Brenda) Covington of Greensboro, NC, James (Pauline) Covington of Brooklyn, NY, Victor Covington of Charlotte, NC, John (Helen) McKoy of Archdale, NC, James (Estelle) Smith of Rowland: NC; one sister-in-law, Sarah Washinton of Charlotte, NC.

Order of Service

Processional *Clergy and family*

Final Viewing

Opening Hymn

Prayer Of Comfort

Scripture Reading
Old Testament, Psalm 23
New Testament, Saint John 14: 1-6

Solo

Acknowledgements

Obituary

Selection

Words Of Comfort

Choir

Recessional

Interment

Ebenezer United Methodist Church Cemetery
Snow Hill, Maryland

Hold Us Up, Lord

Lord, we know you are always busy,
For you've many things to do
But when sorrow overcomes us
We'll need to talk to you.
For we've lost someone precious
And they're with you there above,
And it's someone that we needed
It's someone that we love.
We are feeling lost and all alone
And though we do believe
We need you Lord to hold us up,
To help us while we grieve.
Please give us strength and courage, Lord,
To bear what we must bear,
And nudge us when our faith is weak,
To remind us that you are there.
Give us hope for our tomorrow
Tell us life will still go on,
Show us Lord, that all this darkness
Will be followed by the dawn.
You have led us through so many things
You've pulled us through before.
Hold us up Lord, til we're through this
And we are strong once more.



Acknowledgement

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God bless you for all your thoughtfulness and concern.*

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