



*If tears could build a stairway and memories were a lane
 I would walk right up to heaven and bring you back again
 No farewell words were spoken no time to say goodbye
 You were gone before I knew it and only God knows why
 My heart still aches with sadness and secret tears still flow
 What it meant to lose you no one will ever know
 But now I know you want me to mourn for you no more
 To remember all the happy times life still has much in store
 Since you'll never be forgotten I pledge to you today
 A hallowed place within my heart is where you'll always stay
 ~Forever yours, Sammie*

*You were always our biggest cheerleader. Our birthdays weren't official until you called to sing "Happy Birthday" to us. After every success we'd achieve, we could always count on a call from you to congratulate us and tell us how proud you were. Well you know what? We're proud of you too. You lived a life of service to God and mankind. Everyone who knew you is better because of what you poured into them. Rest easy Pops, and don't get into too much trouble running around heaven in your new body.
 ~ Love Ryan & Stacie*

Acknowledgments

The family wishes to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for every call, message, card, flowers, and act of kindness during this time of bereavement.

Internment

Garrison Forest Veterans Cemetery

Professional Services Entrusted To:

Wylie Funeral Home

Celebration of Life for



Rev. Dr. Harry Allen Greene

July 1, 1948 - September 9, 2020

Tuesday September 22, 2020

Service begins: 11:00 am

Wylie Funeral Home
 9300 Liberty Rd, Randallstown, MD 21133
 Pastor Michael Morrison, Officiating

Obituary

Rev. Dr. Harry Allen Greene was born July 1, 1948 in Baltimore, MD to the late Harry Isaac Greene, Jr. and Maggie Lee Ferguson Greene. He departed this earthly life and assumed his heavenly body on September 9, 2020.

Educated in Baltimore City Public Schools, Harry graduated from Edmondson High School in 1966. Upon graduation, he went to work for the Federal Government as a dedicated employee for over 30 years with the Department of Defense (NSA). He also served 3 years in the United States Army stationed in South Korea. Harry's diligent work would lead him to receive numerous honors and awards during his time with the NSA.

Baptized at age 9, at the New St. John Baptist Church, Harry accepted the call to ministry in 1984, and served as an Associate Minister at New Psalmist Baptist Church under Bishop Walter S. Thomas, Sr. until 1987. In August 1987, with three members, he founded First Christ United Baptist Church. What started as a small group in the basement of his home, would grow to become one of Randallstown's most vibrant congregations with over 1,000 members at "the church on the hill".

Harry served as Vice President of the Baltimore County West Ministerial Alliance, Program Chair for the United Baptist Missionary Convention of Maryland, served at Gov. Glendening's Task Force for Juvenile Criminal Justice and Community Policing, was a member of Kingdom Association of Covenant Pastors, and was appointed to Baltimore County's Human Relations Commission. Harry earned a Bachelors of Arts degree in Religious Education from Virginia Seminary and College in Lynchburg, VA, and his Master of Divinity and Doctor of Ministry degrees from the Family Bible College and Seminary in Baltimore, MD. As a member church of the Full Gospel Baptist Church Fellowship, Harry was a District Overseer for Western Maryland. Even after his health prevented him from traveling, Harry was conducting virtual services for his faithful members up until his final days.

Harry was a loving husband, father, grandfather, and great-grandfather, supportive brother and uncle, and dedicated friend. He was a true fighter and visionary with an infectious smile that would light up any room. Whether by phone call, email, or a message on social media, he was always first in line to shower praise and support for the accomplishments of his loved ones. He loved watching old westerns on TV and rooting for The Baltimore Ravens. He will be physically missed, but his legacy lives on through: his wife of 16 years, Samilya Greene; his son, Ryan Greene (Tyneka); his daughter Stacie Greene (Antonio); his step-daughters Aleta Carthorn (Charles) and Angela Womack (Raven), his sisters Jacqueline Sherrod, Constance Greene, and Quandra "Precious" Greene, seven grandchildren, two great-grandchildren, and a host of nieces, nephews, and cousins. Harry was preceded in death by his father Harry Greene, Jr., mother Maggie Greene, brothers Phillip and Nathaniel Greene, and sister Margaret Hoard.

Order of Service

Rev. Kevin Jenkins, Officiating

PROCESSIONAL

HYMN OF PRAISE....."Blessed Assurance"

PRAYER

SCRIPTURE

Old Testament - Psalm 23

New Testament - John 14: 1-3

SELECTION....."I Won't Complain"

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS & EXPRESSIONS

REMARKS (2 MINUTES)

OBITUARY

SELECTION....."Going Up Yonder"

EULOGY.....Rev. Michael Morrison

RECESSIONAL

BENEDICTION

