



Earvine Hayward Sr.

November 22, 1938 - January 11, 2022

The Life of Earvine McKinley Hayward, Sr.

Earvine McKinley Hayward, Sr. quietly departed this life after a brief illness on January 11, 2022 at Tidal Health Peninsula Regional Medical Center in Salisbury, Maryland, at the age of eighty-three (83). Born on November 22, 1938 in Dublin (Somerset County), Maryland, Earvine was the youngest child born to the late Isaac James and Annie Mae Hayward, and was the last surviving offspring. He grew up in the Dublin/Oaksville Community and was educated in the public schools of Somerset County.

At an early age, Earvine became a member of St. Mark United Methodist Church, where he left his membership. Earvine continued to visit St. Mark during the Annual Hayward Day Celebrations.

Earvine retired from the University of Maryland Eastern Shore (UMES) after thirty (30) years of service. Earvine was an avid baseball fan and loved a good hand of Bid Whist. He would often boast that he and his brother Sidney could beat anybody who sat at the table during the annual Hayward Family Unity Day. Earvine loved the Hayward Family Unity Day and was oftentimes the first to arrive so that he could partake of the family fun. Earvine was a quiet man of few words.

He leaves to cherish treasured memories: his loving children, Vanessa Russell of Salisbury, MD, Stephanie Hayward of Delmar, MD and Earvine (Courtney) Hayward, Jr., Salisbury, MD; seventeen grandchildren; thirty-one great-grandchildren; seven great-great grandchildren; step-sons, David Holley, William Holley, Gordon Holley and Desmond Holley, all of Wilmington, DE; several nieces, nephews, cousins and a host of friends. Earvine also leaves to cherish his memory a special niece whom he loved as a sister, Brenda (Nelson) Cornish and a dear friend, Mary Collins, both of Salisbury, MD.

In addition to his wife, Karolle Holley-Hayward, Earvine was preceded in death by his parents, sons, Eric Hayward, Sr. and Earvine Fields, his brothers, Luther, Preston, Lawrence, Littleton, Theodore, Clinton, Elue, Overly, and Sidney, as well as his sisters, Molly Corbin, Annie Mae James and Elsie Hayward. Earvine will be sorely missed by all who knew and loved him. To God be the Glory!

Lovingly Submitted,
The Family of Earvine McKinley Hayward, Sr.

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 27. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Mark U.M. Church (Princess Anne)
32257 Perryhawkin Rd
Princess Anne, MD 21853

Funeral Service

JAN 27. 10:00 AM (ET)

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32257 Perryhawkin Rd
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Live Stream Broadcast on Facebook

JAN 27. 10:00 AM.

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<http://Facebook>

Tribute Wall

DH

“ Mr Earvine Hayward met my mother Karrolle Holley in the early 80's. Earvine married my mother soon after they met. Earvine was a good husband to my mother. We gave Earvine a tremendous amount of respect. He never disrespected Karrolle. He was a great positive man. We miss you Earvine. It's hurt that you and my mother are not here anymore. This is love from the Holley family David, Willie, Crystal RIP, Gordon, Anita, Little Des, Denzel, Claudia, Iesha and of course me Desmond Holley. Love you Karrolle. We missed you and Earvine. Peace, love and happiness to those who read this post. Can I get a witness. Amen!

Desmond Holley - February 16, 2023 at 10:21 PM

GJ

“ Uncle Earvine, you had smile that could like up a room. The easiness of your being calmed others. You are the last sibling on the Hayward line of which my mom Annie was a part. Gone but not forgotten.

Gloria James

Gloria James - January 23, 2022 at 07:12 AM



“ Julia Hayward lit a candle in memory of Earvine Hayward Sr.

Julia Hayward - January 19, 2022 at 11:14 AM



SJ

My prayers are with the family and my sons Eric Hayward Jr, Jadon Hayward. May the Lord be your strength. 🙏🏾

Shawanda Tilghman Johnson - January 20, 2022 at 06:09 PM