

Obituary

In Loving Memory

Bobby Ray Harris

Bobby Ray Harris, affectionately known as "Brother Bob" transitioned from his earthly home to his eternal home on Aug. 25, 2017 surrounded by loving wife and daughter.

The seventh of 10 siblings, he was born June 10, 1938 to the late Bennie Harris Sr. and Cornelia Walden Harris of Forest, Miss. He was educated in Scott County, Miss. public schools and graduated from E.T. Hawkins High School in 1958.

After enrolling at Jackson State University in Jackson, Miss., majoring in science education, he met the love of his life Mary Agnes "Louise" Jones of Clinton, Miss. They united in holy matrimony on March 27, 1962.

In 1962 Bobby and Agnes left Mississippi, blazing the



trails to Portland, where they made their home for 55 years. They were blessed with a beautiful baby girl, Cynthia Harris on June 10, 1963.

Bobby leaves to cherish his memory, his loving and devoted wife; his daughter of Vancouver; and granddaughter, Rakiyah Johnson of Vancouver; three sisters, Mary Louise Coleman of Portland, Shirley Ann McGowan (Edward) of Lawrence, Miss., and Bobby Jean Greer (Willie), of Riverside, Calif.; two brothers, Bennie Harris Jr. of Forest and Paul Harris (Joyce) of Portland; two brother in-laws, Albert Jones (Julie) of Clinton, Miss. and Tommie Jones (Bettye) of Jackson; two sister in-laws, Betty Jones of Jackson and Irene Hearn's of Brooklyn, N.Y.; a special god-son Daryl Wooding of Birmingham, Ala.; and a host of nieces, nephews, relatives, and friends.

Galatians 6:9 "And let us not be weary in well doing: for in due season we shall reap, if we faint not."

Public visitation is scheduled for Friday, Sept. 8 from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. at Terry Family Funeral Home, 2337 N. Williams Ave. Funeral services are scheduled for Saturday, Sept. 9 starting at 11 a.m. at Highland Christian Center, 7600 N.E. Glisan St.



In Memory of Gary Washington

September 6, 1959-
March 30, 2013

In Loving Memory

Cecelia Helen Kelly

Cecelia Helen Kelly was born Aug. 21, 1964 and died Aug. 30, 2017.

Also known as "Tubby" or "C.C." she has gone to be with her husband Michael Kelly, her mother Jean Lewis and dad Patrick Pichon. She leaves behind two adult children, Marion Pichon, aka Pebbles Jackson, and Eugene Kelly,



aka Bam Bam; three grandkids; six sisters, Winniefred Pichon, Melanie Pichon, Martha Thomas, Penny Mims, Lillian Nicole "Nikki" Jones, and Karen Williams; a sister on her dad's side, Jeannie Pichon; and a host of nieces and nephews and great nieces and great nephews.

A memorial service will be held, Tuesday, Sept. 12 at 10 a.m. at New Direction Church, 241 N.E. Hancock St. Attendees are asked to wear bright colors, no black attire.

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September 2017 CALENDAR

MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY SATURDAY SUNDAY

4 Labor Day Newspaper Carrier Day Google First Incorporated (1998)	5 National Cheese Pizza Day First Continental Congress Convened (1774)	6 ○ Read a Book Day Pilgrims set sail from Plymouth, England (1620)	7 Grandma Moses born, 1860 (painter)	8 Jack Prelutsky born, 1940 International Literacy Day	9 Aileen Fisher born, 1906 Teddy Bear Day California became 31st state, 1850	10 National Grandparents Day Swap Ideas Day Sewing machine patented, 1846
11 Make Your Bed Day World Trade Center attack in 2001	12 National Chocolate Milk Shake Day	13 ◐ National Peanut Day Positive Thinking Day	14 Francis Scott Key wrote the 'Star Spangled Banner', 1814	15 Make A Hat Day National Hispanic Heritage Month Begins Sept. 15, ends Oct. 15	16 Collect Rocks Day Mayflower Day Mexican Independence Day Stepfamily Day	17 Citizenship Day National Apple Dumpling Day Constitution Day
18 The New York Times was first published in 1851	19 International Talk Like a Pirate Day Poet John Keats Wrote 'To Autumn' in 1819	20 ● First Railroad Station Opened Magellan started search for Spice Islands, 1519	21 Miniature Golf Day World Gratitude Day International Peace Day H.G. Wells born, 1866	22 First Day of Autumn California Native American Day Dear Diary Day	23 Nintendo founded in 1889 - made playing cards	24 Good Neighbor Day National Bluebird of Happiness Day Supreme Court est. in 1789