



## John Raymond Murray

November 16, 1945 - April 15, 2024

John Raymond Murray was born November 16, 1945, in Sumter County, South Carolina to the late David Murray, Sr. and Elena Harvin Murray. On Monday, April 15, 2024, he answered the Master's call and entered eternal rest at Washington Hospital Center in Washington, DC. After graduating from Ebenezer High School in 1963, he entered the U.S. Army during the Vietnam Era. While in the U.S. Army, he did a tour of duty in Korea, received several awards and accommodations, and was honorably discharged in 1966.

Raymond was a dedicated Government employee of 37 years. He served as the Chief of ADP Operations and Security, Immigration & Naturalization Service (INS) where he was responsible for the agency's computer center operation. Raymond was an active member of Galbraith A.M.E. Zion Church. Raymond was a devoted husband and family man and loved his wife: Barbara E. Murray, children: Aaron R. Murray, Sr. (Vanita) and Stephanie E. Williams, and grandchildren: Kayla C. Williams, C. Raymond Williams, Alexis D. Murray, and Aaron R. Murray, Jr.

Services: Monday, April 29: Visitation - 5:00-6:00pm and 6:00-8:00pm - Masonic Services at Marshall March Funeral Homes - 4308 Suitland Rd. Suitland, MD 20746 - (301) 736-1616 [www.marshallmarchfh.com](http://www.marshallmarchfh.com); Tuesday, April 30: Visitation – 10-11am and Celebrating an Extraordinary Life Service 11am – Galbraith AME Zion Church – 1114 6th St., NW Washington, DC 20001 – (202) 289-1580; Thursday, May 2: Interment 10:30am – Cheltenham

Cemetery – 11301 Crain Highway, Cheltenham, MD 20623.

# Cemetery Details

## Cheltenham Veterans Cemetery

11301  
Cheltenham  
Cheltenham, MD 20623

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**APR 29.** 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Marshall-March Funeral Homes - Prince George's County  
4308 Suitland Road  
Suitland, MD 20746  
(301) 736-1616  
info@marchfh.com  
<https://www.marshallmarchfh.com>

## Visitation

**APR 30.** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Galbraith African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church  
1114 6th St NW  
Washington, DC 20001-3629

## Service

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APR 30. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (ET)

Galbraith African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church  
1114 6th St NW  
Washington, DC 20001-3629

# Tribute Wall



“ *Marshall-March Funeral Homes created a Webcast in memory of John Raymond Murray*



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**Marshall-March Funeral Homes** - April 29, 2024 at 05:06 PM



“ *Teko FOLY lit a candle in memory of John Murray*



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**Teko FOLY** - November 06, 2024 at 05:11 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of John Raymond Murray.*



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April 29, 2024 at 01:13 PM

JH

“ To Barbara and Family: Our sincere condolences in the passing of J. Raymond. He will be truly missed especially in July around crab feast time when we would join together for both activities along with the Whittleys. May God bless you and give you the strength to get through this difficult time.  
Joy and Fred Howard

Joyce Howard - April 29, 2024 at 10:44 AM

CA

“ Fred Murray: If this is your brother, I would like to offer my condolences to you and your family in his passing. I faintly remember you mentioning something about Sumter and my husband, Leo being raised in Hartsville. This is from Cynthia Aaron (use to work at DOL and have lunch with George Jones).  
May God bless the entire Murray family and friends.



Cynthia Aaron - April 28, 2024 at 08:50 PM

SA

“ Sivani A. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John Raymond Murray.

Sivani A. - April 28, 2024 at 09:14 AM

RL

“ Ricardo L. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John Raymond Murray.

Ricardo L. - April 26, 2024 at 04:43 PM



“ 1 file added to the album *Memories Album*



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**Marshall-March Funeral Homes** - April 26, 2024 at 04:40 PM



“ Tamara H. planted a grove of 3 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John Raymond Murray.

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**Tamara H.** - April 26, 2024 at 02:02 PM



“ Drs Aristides & Gayle Olson Koutrouvelis planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John Raymond Murray.

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**Drs Aristides & Gayle Olson Koutrouvelis** - April 26, 2024 at 12:05 PM



“ Drs Aristides & Gayle Olson Koutrouvelis purchased the Sweet Tranquility Basket for the family of John Raymond Murray.



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**Drs Aristides & Gayle Olson Koutrouvelis** - April 26, 2024 at 12:05 PM

PS

“ Prince Hall Grand Lodge of SC purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of John Raymond Murray.



Prince Hall Grand Lodge of SC - April 23, 2024 at 02:04 PM

AT

“ ACOG DSA Team purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of John Raymond Murray.



ACOG DSA Team - April 23, 2024 at 10:14 AM

FF

“ From Walter and Alyne Fulton purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of John Raymond Murray.



From Walter and Alyne Fulton - April 20, 2024 at 01:53 PM

FF

“ From Walter and Alyne Fulton planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of John Raymond Murray.

From Walter and Alyne Fulton - April 20, 2024 at 01:53 PM



“ We the March Family and Marshall-March Staff wish to extend our deepest and heartfelt sympathy in the passing of your loved one. Our prayers go out to you and your family in your time of loss. We know and understand that you have received many expressions of love and we will continue to lift you up in prayer. May the memories you cherish of brighter and happier days help to ease your sorrow and comfort you always.

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**Marshall-March Funeral Homes** - April 19, 2024 at 06:19 PM