

Life Reflections

Mr. Craig Miles Currence, 93, was born on April 10th 1931 in Gaston County, North Carolina to the late Miles Currence and Eloise Russell Currence.

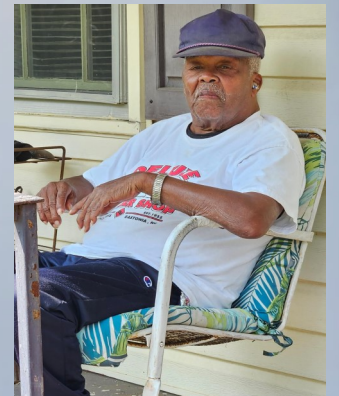
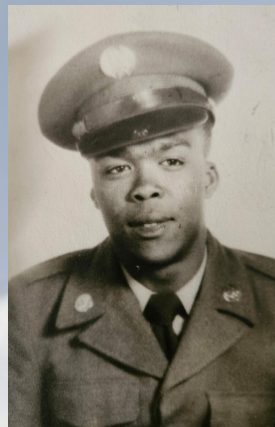
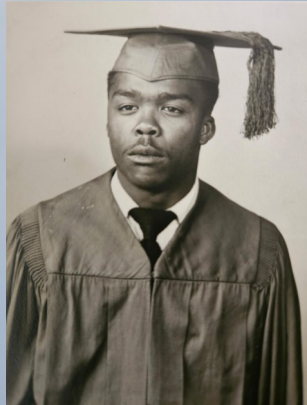
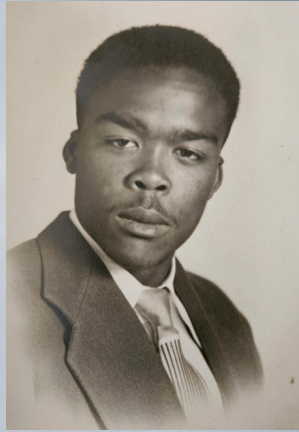
Craig graduated from Highland High School in 1951. He went on to graduate from Friendship Jr. College and completed Barber School in Winston-Salem, NC. He worked at Deluxe Barber Shop in Gastonia, NC for 38 years. He was a member of Moloch Elks Lodge #468. Craig served in the United States Army during the Korean War.

Craig accepted Christ at an early age and was a faithful member of Lovely Hill Baptist Church in Gastonia, NC. He served as a Sunday School Teacher and later served as Sunday School Superintendent. For many years, he attended Bible Studies at Tabernacle Baptist Church in Gastonia, NC.

Craig was an avid fisherman. He also enjoyed hunting and league bowling.

Craig was preceded in death by his father, Miles Currence and his mother, Elosie Russell Currence; his brothers, Paul and Amos Currence.

He is survived by his wife of sixty-nine years, Sally Carter Currence; his daughter, Paulette; two cousins, Joyce McClinton and Joshua Lowery both of Gastonia, NC; nieces, Andrea Meeks (Ronnie), Terry Guthrie and Selena Mayers (Timothy); nephews, Dean Williams and Stephen "Mike" Moss; a host of great-nieces, nephews, others relatives and friends.



Order of Service

PRELUDE.....Soft Music

PROCESSIONAL

RECEIVING OF FRIENDS12:30 PM –1:00 PM

INVOCATION.....Rev. Anthony Brown
Associate Minister, Lovely Hill Baptist Church

HYMN "What A Friend We Have In Jesus"

SCRIPTURES:

OLD TESTAMENT.....Rev. Timothy Mayers

NEW TESTAMENT.....Rev. Ronnie Meeks

PRAYER OF COMFORT.....Rev. Michael Mackins

REFLECTIONS (2 minutes please)
Deacon Frank McClure
Rev. Timothy Mayers
Lovely Hill

SILENT READING OF OBITUARY

SELECTION.....Jerry Beard

WORDS OF COMFORT.....Rev. A. D. Davis
Pastor, Lovely Hill Baptist Church

SELECTIONMt. Pleasant AME Zion Church

BENEDICTION

RECESSIONAL

INTERMENT
Armstrong Cemetery
Gastonia, North Carolina



Psalm 23

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.
He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me
beside the still waters.
He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of right-
eousness for his name's sake.
Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death,
I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff
they comfort me.
Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine
enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth
over.
Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my
life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.



Acknowledgement

We, the family, truly appreciate and thank you for your
prayers, and every act of kindness and love shown during the
bereavement, May God richly bless each of you.

Repass to follow at Mt. Pleasant Fellowship Hall



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Homegoing Celebration

A Life Well Lived!



Craig Miles Currence

April 10, 1931 - March 24, 2025

Saturday, March 29, 2025
1:00 pm
Mt. Pleasant A.M.E. Zion Church
4945 York Highway
Gastonia, North Carolina