



Mr. Quentin Martin

February 6, 1947 - November 6, 2022

Quentin Martis Martin, son of the late Grace D. Martin and the late William Martin, was born in Belhaven, NC, on February 6, 1947. He peacefully departed this life in Windsor, VA, on November 6, 2022.

Quentin, an only child, he was raised around a host of cousins and aunts. And he particularly spoke fondly of his formative years under his grandmother's, the late Pecola Davis, influence and care. She was the proverbial "apple of his eye." He completed his public-school education in 1964, graduation from Belhaven High School. Quentin then entered the army.

He attained the rank of Master Sergeant during his service and notably served two tours in Vietnam. He also earned many medals and acknowledgements including: The Bronze Star with cluster; Meritorious Service Medal with clusters, Air Medal with clusters, Master Aircraft Crewman Badge, Army Service Ribbon, two Overseas Service Ribbon, seven Good Conduct Medals, Vietnam Service Medal, Vietnam Campaign Medal, and Vietnam Gallantry Cross with Palm. After retiring from the Army in 1987, Quentin started a career with the U.S. Postal Service where he worked until 1992 when he could no longer carry mail.

At that time in his early 60's, he went back to school eventually earning an Associate's Degree in Computer Science. He then started working for what was then the computer company, Gateway, Inc.

Quentin's heart led him to First Baptist Church of Williamsburg, VA, during this time is where he discovered a love of working with the Sunday School children. He liked it so much he acquired a CDL license and started driving for the church – and another career was born. After Gateway, Quentin drove school buses for James City County, including Williamsburg.

Quentin leaves to cherish his memory three aunts, Yvonne Goodman (Harold) of Portsmouth, VA, Alejandra "Alea" Davis of Bronx, NY, and Idella Davis of Midland, GA; ex-wife, Barbara Jean Taylor of Pinetop, NC who remained in contact until his passing; sister, Hattie Gardner of Anchorage, AK; surrogate brother, Ronnie Clark of Zebulon, NC; a host of cousins, other relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Black Bottom Cemetery

Old County Road
Belhaven, NC 27810

Previous Events

Viewing

NOV 19. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

White Plains Church Ministries
748 Edwards Street
Belhaven, NC 27810

Celebration of Life Service

NOV 19. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *View and Download the Funeral Program*

Congleton Memorial Mortuary - November 19, 2022 at 04:50 PM



“ *Mr. Quentin Martin*

October 06, 2023 at 05:52 AM



“ *As a member of First Baptist Church Men's Fellowship Quentin was a active participant at meetings and on many trips on the bus. He will be truly missed. May God bless him and family.*

Donald Courtland Hill - November 19, 2022 at 12:29 AM



“ *First Baptist Church (Williamsburg, VA) purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mr. Quentin Martin.*



First Baptist Church (Williamsburg, VA) - November 18, 2022 at 10:02 PM

PD

“ From the Pastor and Members of First Baptist Church of Williamsburg, we extend our deepest sympathy and condolences to the Martin’s Family. Brother Martin was a good man, and we often made each other laugh. He drove the bus for First Baptist Church and we will truly miss him. We are praying that Gods comfort the family and bring peace to their spirits. Only God through Christ can heal sadden and broken hearts.

With Sympathy,
Reginald F Davis,
Pastor of First Baptist Church,
Williamsburg, VA 23185

Pastor Reginald Davis - November 16, 2022 at 03:31 PM

PJ

I am so sorry to hear about the passing of Quentin.He was good person and he will be missed. I often picked him up for church. My sincere condolences to the family.

Phyllis Johnson - November 16, 2022 at 08:54 PM

TH

My sincere condolences to the family. Martis will missed. IWe grew up in the same community. He was always full of laughter and was kind hearted. May his soul rest with the Lord. He is at peace now.

Theresa Clark Holloway - November 19, 2022 at 11:17 AM

EH

“ May Jesus Christ Continues To Comfort And Strengthen The Family



Evangelist Gwen Hudson - November 12, 2022 at 08:21 AM

RF

“ *Rev. & Delores Staton & Family lit a candle in memory of Quentin Martin*



Rev. Milton & Delores Staton & Family - November 12, 2022 at 06:42 AM

CS

“ *Congleton Funeral Home and Staff wishes to express our sincere condolence on the passing of your love one. We light this candle in their memory.*



Congleton Funeral Home and Staff - November 11, 2022 at 05:13 PM