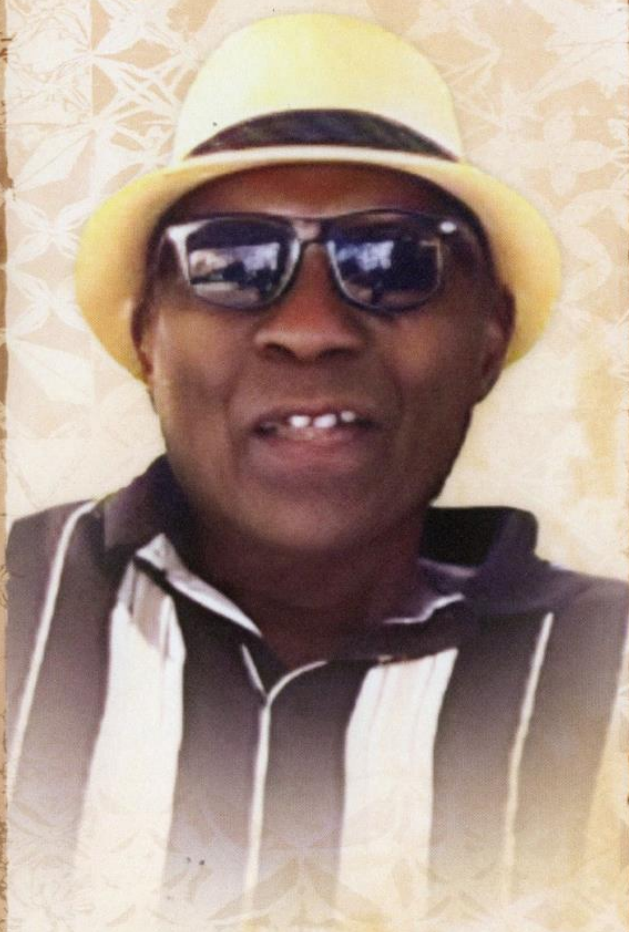
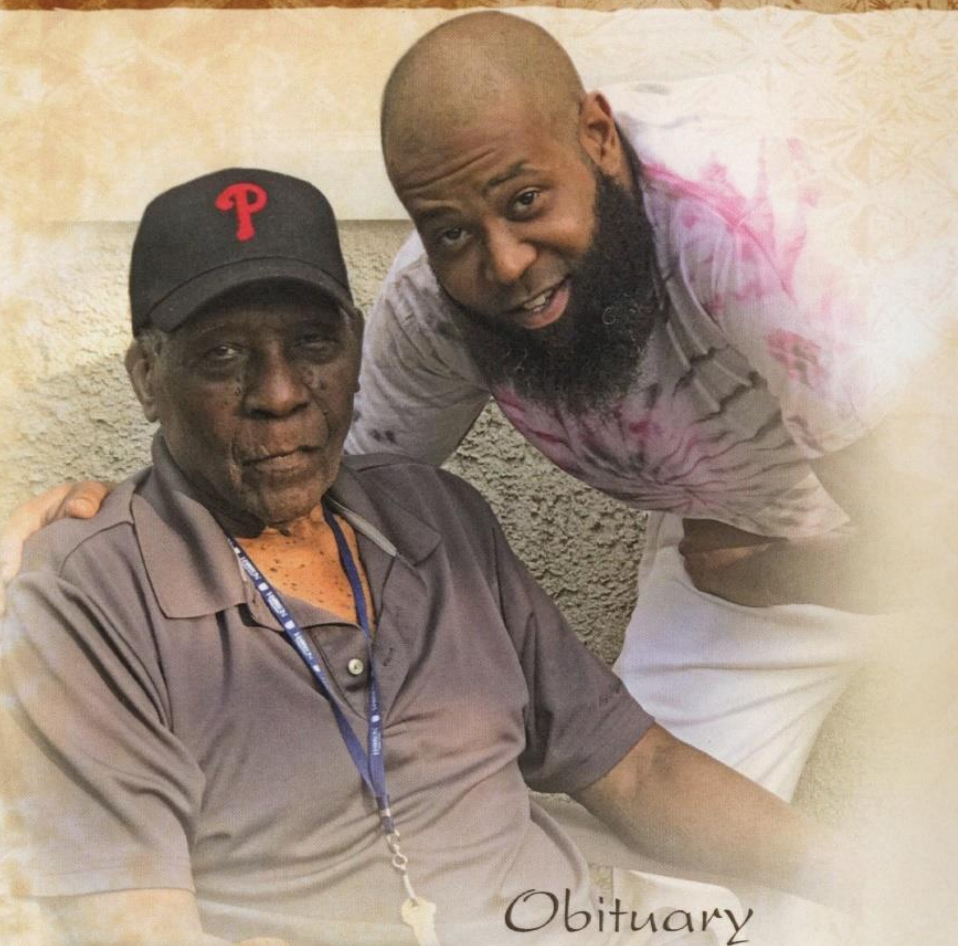


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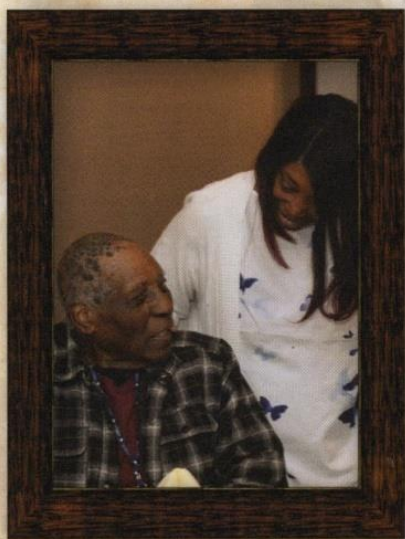
James Edward  
Baker, Sr.

February 17, 1934 – December 20, 2024



## Obituary

James Edward Baker, Sr., 90, of Coatesville, PA, surrounded by his family, passed away Friday, December 20, 2024, at home.





James was born in McIntosh, Georgia, on February 17, 1934, to the late Rev. Luda Pearl (Hendry) Baker and Herbert Theodore Baker, Sr. He was the husband of the late Maxine G. Baker.

He served in the United States Army as a Private First Class during the Korean War. He was honorably discharged in August of 1956.

Jim, as he was known by family and friends, worked as a supervisor of housekeeping at the Coatesville VA Medical Center. He also worked at Lukens Steel Company.

He enjoyed eating out, going to horse races, cruising in his car through the city of Coatesville, and working in landscaping. He loved doing yard work at home and working with his



brother "Herb" throughout the area. He also inherited a lawn business from Herbert Sr., his father. Jim had a pleasant personality and was known to be a bit of a jokester.

Thank you to his aides at Fema Community Care and Mainline Hospice.

He is survived by his daughters, Alicia "Lisa" Baker, Marcia Davis, and Lucia Williams, all of Coatesville, PA; son, James E. Baker, Jr. (wife Susan) of Lancaster, PA; step-children, Letitia Stainbrook, Sabrina White, Nicole Davis, and Leann Riley; sister, Dell Gibbs (husband Maurice) of Jacksonville, FL; as well as many grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and one great-great-grandchild, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, relatives, and friends.





He was preceded in death by son, Rodrick Bookhart; stepson, Aaron Davis; brother, Herbert Baker; and sister, Helen Ben.

James will be deeply missed and his memory will live on in our hearts.

Sorrowfully Submitted,  
The Family





# Order of Service

**Officiating** ..... Clergy

**Musical Prelude** ..... Min. Irvin Taylor

**Processional** ..... Clergy & Family

**Final Viewing**

**Opening Hymn**

**Scripture Reading:**

*Old Testament* ..... Psalm 23

*New Testament.* ..... John 14: 1-6

**Prayer of Comfort**

**Music Selection**

**Reading of Cards, Condolences & the Obituary**

**Family Reflections** (2 minutes)

**Musical Selection**

**Eulogy**

**Remarks** ..... Ventnor Wright

**Committal Service**

**Recessional** ..... Clergy & Family





## **CELEBRATION OF LIFE SERVICE**

Monday, December 30, 2024

9:00 AM Viewing | 11:00 AM Service

## **SERVICE LOCATION**

Wright Funeral & Cremation Services

725 Merchant Street

Coatesville, Pennsylvania

## **INTERMENT**

Indiantown Gap National Cemetery

Indiantown Gap Rd.

Annville, PA 17003

## **A NOTE OF THANKS**

Thank you with sincere gratitude for your care and concern shown during our time of bereavement.

Thank you all for your support and love.

May God bless you.

Sincerely, The Family



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*Ventnor T. Wright, Funeral Director, Supervisor*