



## Richard Warren Gaynor

March 27, 1941 - April 12, 2016

Richard Warren Gaynor was born on March 27, 1941. He was the youngest of three children of the late Mary Jessup and Joseph Hubbard. He was born and raised in the Bronx, New York. He was educated in the New York City public school system and graduated from Food Trades High School.

After graduation he enrolled in the United States Army and proudly served his country as he fought in the Vietnam War as a CO in the 1st Brigade, 4th Infantry Division, 3rd Battalion.

Upon his honorable discharge from the Army, Richard was employed as a bus driver with the New York City Transit System. He retired after 25 years of excellent service. He then began working at Suburban Bus service and retired from there as well. Lastly he worked for NADE as a part time driver.

Richard and Roslyn were married, they enjoyed spending time with family and friends, they enjoyed vacations, and loved to entertain. Richard was always the life of the party, telling jokes and keeping everyone laughing. Richard and Roslyn loved to dance, Richard loved a variety of music, especially gospel. He enjoyed making music tapes and videos for all. He enjoyed Bobby Womack and Patti LaBelle and each time they had a new visitor he had to show it and his wife had to endure it.

He was a member of St. Paul's Baptist Church, NYC where he served as a as an usher, was ordained as a Deacon and worked with the young men encouraging them to go to school and mentored them.

Richard and Roslyn joined First Baptist of Lincoln Gardens sometime between 1990 and 1992. They immediately joined the Sr. Usher Board and working with the Jr. Ushers, Richard also joined Church Chorus, because he loved to sing, he was a tenor but preferred baritone. He went on to join VOP, mass choir, and was a member of Kerygma under the direction of Beverly Mondey Collins. He led several songs Trouble Don't last

Always, and Oh Taste and See.

His strong faith in God sustained him, through many his many years of illnesses. He fought a good fight and went from labor to reward on Tuesday, April 12th with his wife by his side.

Richard was a wonderful husband and family man, father, grandfather, godfather, uncle, and true friend, He certainly left his mark on this earth.

He leaves to cherish beautiful memories, his devoted wife Roslyn, daughters, Sherese Johnson of Richmond, VA (Bruce), Lorna Powers of New Windsor, NY, Diana Chapman of Yonkers (Mack) and Raneer Parker of the Bronx, NY(Paul); grandchildren Ebonne', Sekoria, Marquis, Krysasia, Diamond, and Pierce; one sister, Narvella Brown of Fayetteville, NC (Allen) and one brother Benjamin Gaynor of Palisades Pk., NJ (Marta); sisters-in-law, Carrie, Beatrice, Virginia, and Mary, a host of nieces and nephews whom he treated just like his children, and a host of cousins and friends that stretches as far as the eye can see. He will be sorely missed by all who have been in his presence.

There will always be a void in our hearts consumed with love for Richard. We love you.

# Cemetery Details

## Calverton Cemetery

210 Princeton Blvd  
Calverton, NY 11933

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 17. 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

First Baptist Church of Lincoln Gardens  
771 Somerset Street  
Somerset, NJ 08873  
<http://www.fbcsonerset.com>

## Service

APR 17. 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Richard Warren Gaynor*

September 22, 2022 at 02:41 PM

JE

“ *Jeanette(Beverly) lit a candle in memory of Richard Warren Gaynor*



**Jeanette(Beverly)** - May 02, 2016 at 10:47 AM

JE

*God Bless you Cuz. I will truly miss you and your great sense of humor. You are so loved!! May you R.I.P.*

**Jeanette(Beverly)** - May 02, 2016 at 10:48 AM

DH

“ *My prayers go out to Warren and his family. May he RIP, God bless him.*

*Dwayne*

**Dwayne Hubbard** - April 20, 2016 at 04:03 PM

KA

“ *Our sincerest condolences to the Gaynor family. May the fond memories of your love give you comfort and strength in the days and years to come. Mr Gaynor will truly be missed.*

*Blessings,  
Mr. and Mrs. George and Karen Worsley and Mrs. Catherine Towns, Somerset,  
New Jersey*

**Karen** - April 18, 2016 at 06:46 PM

ES

“ *To the Gaynor Family: Be comforted in knowing that your love one (Richard) was loved by many. We express our deepest sympathy.*

*Erlene Chiles and Rougina Showers  
Somerset , New Jersey*

**Erlene Chiles & Rougina Showers** - April 16, 2016 at 11:26 PM

AM

*Our deepest condolences to Roslyn and the entire family. Warren, as we called him, will be truly missed. I can still hear him laughing at his own jokes and making us all crack up! Love and miss you cousin, may you Rest In Peace. Love, Nettie, Bryan and Family*

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**Annette Mutunga** - May 02, 2016 at 10:51 AM