



## Mr. Ronald Hughes Sr.

January 23, 1947 - March 23, 2025

Ronald O. Hughes, Sr. was born on January 23, 1947 to the union of Elmo and Versie Hughes in McRae, Georgia. He received his formal education at Central High School in McRae, Georgia and furthered his education at Milwaukee Area Technical College with a welding apprenticeship.

Ronald accepted Christ as his Savior at an early age. On October 7, 1968, Ronald O. Hughes was united in holy matrimony with Carolyn Davis. Their union was blessed with two children.

Ronald was employed by Milwaukee County Transit System as a bus operator for 24 years. In his leisure, he enjoyed golfing, fishing, and listening to music.

Ronald O. Hughes, Sr. departed this life on March 23, 2025. He was preceded in death by his wife, Carolyn Hughes; sisters, Joyce Hughes and Mamie Jackson; brothers, Frank Hughes, Russell Hughes and Jo Hughes; mother, Versie Hughes; father, Elmo Hughes; brothers-in-law, Gregory Harris and Leon Davis

Jr.: and nephew, Leon Davis, Esq.

He leaves to cherish his memory: sons, Marcus Hughes and Ronald Hughes Jr. (Tracy Clark) both of Milwaukee, Wisconsin; brother, Larry (Theresa) Hughes of Atlanta, Georgia; sisters-in-law, Barbara Galloway of Aurora, Colorado, Robin Harris of Minneapolis, Minnesota, Connie (Selwyn) Evers of Atlanta,

Georgia, Dolores (Glenn) Hilliard, Anita (Mark) Peterson, Dianne (Damon) Shoates all of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, and Milton (Raisl) Davis of Concord,

California; grandchildren, Ameenah Muhammad-Hughes, Nadya Hughes, Ronald "Trey" Hughes III, Chloe Hughes, Joshua Hughes and Londyn Hughes;  
great grandson, Harlem Dowdy all of Milwaukee, Wisconsin; and a host of nieces, nephews, great nieces, great nephews, relatives and friends.

# Cemetery Details

## Graceland Cemetery

6401 N. 43rd St.  
Milwaukee, WI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 2. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Northwest Funeral Chapel  
6630 W. Hampton Ave  
Milwaukee, WI

## Funeral Service

APR 2. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *My Condolences to my family for the lost of their father. Sending Love from Dublin Ga.*



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**Rega McRae** - April 03, 2025 at 03:11 PM



“ *Big Ron,  
I'll play a round of golf with you in Heaven my brother.*

*Rest in Peace,*

*Mike Hannah*

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**Mike Hannah** - April 02, 2025 at 10:26 AM



“ *Jasper Jones111, Melisia, Jasper Jones jr purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Mr. Ronald Hughes Sr..*



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**Jasper Jones111, Melisia, Jasper Jones jr** - March 30, 2025 at 04:07 PM

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“ I can never forget that many years a women's ministry group from my church was traveling to Green Lake, Wisconsin after arriving at the Milwaukee Airport. I called my cousin, Ronald Hughes to ask him to recommend a restaurant where we could have lunch. Ronald went beyond recommending a place and came to the restaurant that he directed us to and we had the best family visit. And the food was super delicious. My cousin, Ronald was a caring and wonderful McRae/Hughes Family member.

*Barbara McRae Daye  
Jamaica NY*

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**Barbara M Daye** - March 29, 2025 at 04:39 PM

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“ Melvin McRae planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mr. Ronald Hughes Sr..

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**Melvin McRae** - March 28, 2025 at 05:52 PM

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“ Melvin McRae purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mr. Ronald Hughes Sr..



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**Melvin McRae** - March 28, 2025 at 05:52 PM

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“ *The McRae Family, NYC & Atlanta purchased the Vivid Recollections for the family of Mr. Ronald Hughes Sr..*



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**The McRae Family, NYC & Atlanta** - March 28, 2025 at 02:58 PM



“ *To the Hughes Family,  
Rest in Peace Cuz, I will always remember your love for cars. Although I was very young when we first met, i relished that rainy day in Ga when your car stuck in the mug at Grandma's house. I think you had a Thunderbird back then. I will miss you at the family reunion, you will be missed by all your Ga, NY and Florida families. May the Glory of the Lord comfort the family during this time.  
Bernard & Joni McRae*

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**Bernard McRae** - March 26, 2025 at 07:55 PM