



## Lawrence LeRoy Gray Sr.

August 26, 1930 - June 21, 2014

Lawrence LeRoy Gray Sr. of Bel Alton, Maryland, died on Saturday, June 21, 2014 at the Calvert County Nursing Center in Prince Frederick, MD. He was 83 years old.

Born on August 26, 1930 in Chaptico, MD, he was the son of the late Josephine Quade Gray and the late Martin Goddard Gray. Larry, as he was affectionately known as, served in the U. S. Army during the Korean War until he was Honorably Discharged in 1952 at the rank of Corporal. He then worked as an Operating Engineer at Bolling Air Force Base for over 25 years and as a manager with Pargas for over 30 years. Larry was a member of the American Legion Post 122 in Avenue, a member and past commander of the V. F. W. Post 10081 in Bel Alton. He was a member and served as an Usher at St. Ignatius Catholic Church at Chapel Point.

In addition to his parents, he was preceded in death by his sisters Margaret DeMarr and Lucy Gray; his brother Leonard Gray.

He is survived by his wife of 44 years, Dorothy M. Gray; his sons Larry LeRoy Gray Jr. of Bel Alton and William Bryan Childs of Denver, CO; his daughters Cora Sue Gray and her husband William T. Gray of St. Leonard, MD, Sarah Ann Rugg and her husband William R. Rugg of Colorado Springs, CO; his brothers Joseph Gray, William Gray and Elmer Gray; his sisters Maude

Combs, Mary Farrell and Pearl Crutchfield; his grandchildren Jessica Gray, Jeffrey Gray, Billy Rugg, Daniel Gray, Nicholas Rugg, Adam Childs, Joseph Childs, Zachary Rugg and Jonathan Rugg; his great grandchildren Kara Gray, Abigail Rugg and Jeffrey W. Gray; also survived by numerous nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Visitation on Tuesday, July 1, 2014 from 2PM to 4PM and from 6PM to 8PM with prayers beginning at 7PM at the Raymond Funeral Service, P.A. 5635 Washington Ave., La Plata, MD.

Mass will be offered on Wednesday, July 2, 2014 beginning at 11AM at the St. Ignatius Catholic Church at Chapel Point.

Interment at Cheltenham Veterans Cemetery with military honors.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Alzheimer's Association National Capital Area Chapter, 3701 Pender Drive Suite 400 Fairfax, VA 22030.

# Cemetery Details

## MD Veterans Cemetery - Cheltenham, MD

11301 Crain Highway  
Cheltenham, MD 20623

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 1. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Raymond Funeral Chapel  
5635 Washington Ave.  
La Plata, MD  
business.office@raymondfuneral.com  
<http://www.raymondfuneralservice.com>

## Visitation

JUL 1. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Raymond Funeral Chapel  
5635 Washington Ave.  
La Plata, MD  
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## Prayers

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JUL 1. 7:00 PM (ET)

Raymond Funeral Chapel  
5635 Washington Ave.  
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<http://www.raymondfuneralservice.com>

## Mass of Christian Burial

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JUL 2. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Ignatius Church at Chapel Point  
8855 Chapel Point Road  
Port Tobacco, MD 20677

# Tribute Wall



“ *Lawrence LeRoy Gray Sr.*

October 08, 2023 at 10:45 PM



“ *Lawrence LeRoy Gray Sr.*

October 04, 2023 at 03:12 PM



“ *Gray family: we are deeply saddened by Lawrence's passing. You are is our thoughts and prayers . R.I.P. Lawrence .*

*Johnny & Rose Burroughs*

**burroughs** - June 29, 2014 at 07:22 AM



“ *Dotty and Larry,  
My deepest sympathies go out to you and your family. My thoughts and prayers are with you. May you find comfort in knowing his kind soul is at rest and in all the good memories before his difficult journey.*

*With Love,  
Peggy Mudd*

**peggy mudd** - June 27, 2014 at 04:18 PM



“ *Where ever a good soul has travelled there is a trail of beautiful memories. Lawrence Gray will be remembered for being willing to do anything for the good of friends and family.*

**Chuck Goodrich** - June 24, 2014 at 04:24 PM