



## Marvin Gibson

December 31, 1942 - October 4, 2025

Mr. Marvin Gibson aka “Birdnest Man” or “043” of Covington, GA passed on October 4, 2025.

### Early Life

Marvin Gibson, the son of Albert Gibson, the son of Bossie(Bosie) Gibson, the son of Julius Gibson, the son of Pharo Gibson who all share paternal ancestry with the Lissongo People of the modern Central African Republic, was born on December 31st, 1942 in Andrews, SC. He grew up as the baby of the family, the last to take flight from the nest and soar to the heights that awaited him. He grew up with fond memories of agriculture, cooking, shooting, and instruction in the ways of the Lord. This nurturing ground is what gave Marvin his great work ethic and technical know-how. He attended Rosemary High School where he proudly drove the school bus until graduation in 1963.

### Education and Career

As a result of segregation in the Jim Crow South and the untimely death of his father, Marvin followed the path of the great migration seeking a better life, just as his older siblings had. Wanting to chart his own course, Marvin decided not to relocate to Rochester where most of his siblings were, but to Brooklyn, NY. While there, Marvin was under the watchful eye of his church-going, God-

fearing, no-nonsense big sister, Margaret Burgess. With a family to provide for, Marvin got straight to work building his skillset with different jobs until he landed a manufacturing position with the General Motors Manufacturing Plant in Tarrytown where he would spend more than two decades until its closure in 1996.

Marvin was a proud United Auto Worker's (UAW) Union member and supporter. He excelled in the Inspection Department as a result of his keen eye for detail, sharp critical thinking, and tactical problem solving skills. After the shut down of the Tarrytown plant, Marvin relocated to Doraville, GA where he joined the team there. He concluded over 35 years of service with General Motors by retiring around the time of the Doraville Plant shutdown in 2008.

### Personal Life and Interests

Outside of work, Marvin loved cooking for his family—especially his beloved wife, Dorothy, fishing, shooting, gardening, electronics, working on cars, and building relationships. The running joke between his family and friends was that “Marvin knows everything!” Even though he never made this claim, he had no problem confidently providing unsolicited instruction that he expected to be followed. He was known for his abundance of wit and humor. Even while sick in the hospital, he made family and staff alike laugh with joy. Marvin loved his family deeply and was always willing to support. His generosity flowed through every aspect of his life — through the time he gave, the kindness he shared, and the resources he devoted to uplifting others and the causes he cherished.

In the CB radio world, Marvin's name was “Bird Nest Man” a.k.a “043”. Even to this day people call him by his CB handle. He had an extensive interest in the CB Radio world—so much so that the electronic equipment in his vehicles and house would interfere with the tv signals of surrounding residents. If you

were with him when the CB radio in the car had problems, he would pull over, jump to the back of the car, ask you to pick up the mic and give you the command “key down on it”, and when he was satisfied with the signal, he would say “get up off it.” It wouldn’t matter who you were, you would be volunteered to assist.

## Family

Marvin Gibson will be sorely missed by his family, friends, many of his former coworkers, neighbors, and people whose lives he touched over the years. Marvin is survived by his wife Dorothy Gibson, his brothers (Charles Gibson [Dorothy] and Robert Gibson [Sarah]), his children (Jason Marvin Gibson [Shannon], Danielle Bernadette Gibson, and Courtney Nicole Gibson), grandchildren (Tiffany Renee Evans-Taylor [Jimmie Lee], Corey Delroy Evans, Amariah Jalisa Gibson, Seraiah Raquel Gibson, King Khai Brummitt, Kaleb Ja’azaniyah Jason Gibson), and great grandchildren (Tatiana Destiny Taylor, Courtney Michelle Evans, Jahmon Jeremiah Taylor, Samya Nicole Evans, Jayshon Jameer Taylor, Corey Delroy Evans Jr., and Gage Christopher Evans), his Bonus children (Natalie Hannans [Jeffery], Matthew Bass, Daniel Bass [LaSharlene], grandchildren (Sharee Sinkler [Carson], Brandon Bass, Alicia Bass, and Daniel Bass), and great grandchildren (Shaun Hannans, Kaliyah Bass, Leila Sinkler and Eryn Sinkler). He is also survived by a multitude of beloved nieces and nephews.

Marvin was preceded in death by his mother & father—Albert and Jannie Gibson, his daughter Marva Denise Evans whom he shared with his former wife Eulah Davis, his brothers (Lawrence), Sisters (Margaret Burgess, Emma Lousie Scott, Annie Belle Grayson, Virgie G. Nixon, Lucedine June, and Daisy B. Snow) and his baby granddaughter Khloe Joelle Gibson.

## Service Information

A memorial will be held on Sunday, October 19th 2025, 2:00pm EST at:

American Legion Post 77  
674 American Legion Rd NE,  
Conyers, GA 30012

“...But we do not want you to be uninformed, brothers, about those who are asleep, that you may not grieve as others do who have no hope...” - 1

Thessalonians 4:13

# Previous Events

## Memorial Celebration of Life

OCT **19**. 2:00 PM (ET)

American Legion  
674 American Legion Rd NE  
Conyers, GA 30012-4854  
(770) 483-8216

# Tribute Wall



“ Remembering...,💕



Natalie Hannans - October 22, 2025 at 11:47 AM



“ Will miss your stories and the long, roundabout journey to get to the message and intent... Love 💕💕💕💕



Natalie Hannans - October 22, 2025 at 11:45 AM



“ PM lit a candle in memory of Marvin Gibson



PM - October 18, 2025 at 05:58 PM



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Virger Scott - October 17, 2025 at 08:44 PM



“ Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White was purchased for the family of Marvin Gibson.



October 16, 2025 at 09:25 AM



“ Im on my daughter Facebook, just want to say a few words. Hello I'm Charlie Gibson one of Marvin's older brothers. I will miss talking on the phone with him about the Lord and going to church. I remember as a child going to the woods to hunt squirrels and remembering our dad brought all of his sons a 12 gauge shot gun. We would come home from hunting with a bag full of squirrels, and mother would cook us squirrels, rice and gravy. My dad own a smoked house we had 100's of chickens and hogs and my parents would share the meat with our neighbors and friends. I will miss my brother. Im sending my condolences to the family. May you rest in peace 🙏 and I will see you again in heaven!

**Barbara Gibson** - October 15, 2025 at 04:41 PM



Nicely said cousin

**Rubie Gibson** - October 18, 2025 at 02:26 PM



My gym to have a lot of contact because uncle marvin was always in new york. I knew he was my father's youngest brother. My deepest condolences to immediate family. RIP uncle.

**Rubie Gibson** - October 18, 2025 at 02:29 PM



Excuse the error, didn't see how to correct it

**Rubie Gibson** - October 18, 2025 at 02:30 PM



💕💕😘💕💕 *Sending Love to Family & Friends as we celebrate my "Bonus" Dad's Life. SIP...💕💕💕💕* Natalie Hannans

**Natalie Hannans** - October 22, 2025 at 11:38 AM

FC

“ *From your Brother Charlie(Dorothy)Gibson purchased the White Sympathy Standing Spray for the family of Marvin Gibson.*



**From your Brother Charlie(Dorothy)Gibson** - October 15, 2025 at 03:39 PM

JW

“ So sorry for your loss—our loss. God knows best. May He give us strength and peace during this time, family and friends.

*I have so many good memories with Unk. One of them is that he could make you laugh, make you mad, give you good advice, or make you second-guess yourself for even coming to him. Either way, you were going to remember Unk (lol).*

*When I last saw Unk, we were having a discussion. He said to me, “I see you still have a hard head.” Now, that’s something he’s been saying to me ever since I was a little girl, and here I am grown! I said, “I’m the baby of the family—babies tend to have a hard head.”*

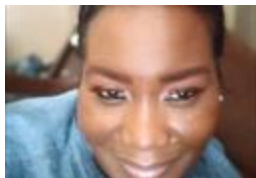
*Unk said, “The baby? How old are you now?”  
I said, “Fifty-five years old.”*

*(By now, you know Unk doesn’t bite his tongue—he speaks his mind, lol.)*

*Unk looked at me and said, “Fifty-five? That don’t mean nothing to me—I’ve got shoes in my closet older than you!”  
(We all laughed.) In my mind, all I could think was, here we go (lol).*

*Unk, I will cherish all the good memories. You will always be in my heart. I will miss you, and I will love you always.*

*Your Niece,  
Janet Snow Williams*



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**Janet Williams** - October 14, 2025 at 05:14 PM

MR

“ *Mr Gibson was a sweet person. He invited us into his home for Thanksgiving one year and I remember like yesterday him and his wife were so welcoming. You dont often encounter someone like them .I was looking forward to soending this Thanksgiving’s Day with you.. Bt God had prepared a place for you.. Rest in heavenly peace..*

*To the Gibson family, sorry for your loss  
Love Matris Robinson and family*

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**Matris Robinson** - October 12, 2025 at 09:38 PM

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“ *Eulah Davis & family purchased the Floor Plant f  
or Sympathy for the family of Marvin Gibson.*



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**Eulah Davis & family** - October 11, 2025 at 01:05 PM

LP

“ *I'm sending my all of my Love, as well as my Condolence to you  
Auntie Dorothy (Dot), I will miss you Dearly Uncle Marvin, Love La.  
Tresha, and Kelly Pettiford.*

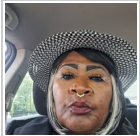
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**La. Tresha N. Pettiford** - October 11, 2025 at 02:04 AM

RS

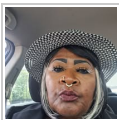
“ Sorry for your loss. I met Marvin and his wife Dorothy. Immediately they made me feel like family. Marvin's demeanor was meek however his ability to organize events for his many family and friends were impeccable. He would give an you an assignment in his preparation. He was a wonderful husband, father, and friend to all that had the opportunity to meet this incredible man. He will be missed. Sleep in peace Brother. We loved you however God loves you most. Saying come on home son. His journey on the side was completed.

**Ruby Senior** - October 10, 2025 at 08:52 PM



“ I'm so sorry for the lost of one of my favorite uncles me and my son John use to visit him in N.Y. city and stayed with him for weeks and played with his daughter neecee and my cousin Margie and we were there when Jason and the girls were young we all went on vacations together he was a very cool uncle that didn't take no mess from no one he was strong and brave and I always felt protected with him he wouldn't let no man talk to me when he took me to the club with him he told the guys don't talk to my Neice my Gun has dust on it don't make me pull the dust off of it on you LOL he was very funny and bossy and always made me laugh and he was very strict he said don't put no pots and pans in my refrigerator he was very clean and I was clean as well you better not ask to stay with him if you wasn't clean or clean up behind yourself or don't ask to visit him if you wasn't I love my uncle mavin you will be truly missed.from your Neice Joyce Aka Star

**Star Scott** - October 10, 2025 at 06:42 PM



I miss you uncle Marvin Too my family and auntie Dot stay strong 🙏  
God bless you all Amen

**Star Scott** - October 10, 2025 at 06:52 PM



*Memories of me, Michael Gibson and John (R.i.P), visiting my cousin Marvin in Queens NY back in the 90's! RIP Marvin*

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**Kenyatta Phipps** - October 11, 2025 at 11:15 AM

VS

*Sending my condolences to the Gibson family sorry for your loss I remember me and my mother Louise Gibson Scott went down one year he made some Gumbo like they say he put his foot in it and talked about when he was younger he will truly be missed he's in Gods hand stay strong love always Virger Scott & Family*

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**Virger Scott** - October 17, 2025 at 08:41 PM