



Reginald McGhee

December 6, 1934 - December 30, 2020

Reginald McGhee, 86, of Clarkston, GA passed on Wednesday, December 30, 2020. A Memorial Service will be held at a later date which will be announced in advance. Please express your condolences here on our website. Services entrusted to Gregory B. Levett & Sons Funeral Home, Avondale-Scottdale Chapel. 351 N. Clarendon Ave. Scottdale, GA 30079. (404)294-5500.

Tribute Wall

DB

“ I had not seen Reginald McGhee in many many years, but never forgot him, and hoped to one day see him again. I came to know him when he played the pivotal role in bringing the photographs of James Van Der Zee to public attention when he was working as a researcher for the Metropolitan Museum of Art. He later started the James Van Der Zee Institute to further shine a spotlight on this now significant photographer’s work. The Institute was later absorbed into the Studio Museum in Harlem. But it all started with Mr. McGhee. I lost track of him when he moved to Georgia, but never forgot him. Condolences to his family and all who knew and loved him. May his spirit be at peace.

Dawoud Bey - March 11, 2022 at 05:52 PM

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“ Mr. McGhee was a real Lady's man. Not a philanderer. He always treated me with respect. He told me that his Father taught him to respect all women and if there was a Lady in her, he would know it because what's in you always shows out. He was a true Gentleman. He helped me to understand that no matter how bad a situation is, it must still be woven into the fabric of life, because every experience is necessary for the warp and woof of whole cloth. Reginald McGhee is a thread in the fabric of my life.
My confidante, my mentor, my dear friend always and forever.
Thank you for years of Love and Kindness.
Sandra Pete-Morrison

Sandra Pete - January 23, 2021 at 03:31 PM

MA

“ *My Father will live on in my heart always. Love you Dad.*

Mary

Mary - January 04, 2021 at 08:17 PM

DB

Mary, your father was someone who was very important to me very early on in my life. I am sorry to note his passing. Condolences to you and Reggie's family and many friends.

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“ *There are no words to express the sorrow in our hearts. May you draw comfort from the hearer of prayer. Please accept our deepest sympathy.*

Evans family - January 03, 2021 at 08:11 AM