## Celebrating 32 Years of Service: Gerald Clark Retires from MTA

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(Nov. 20, 2002) When people retire, they leave something behind – an impression and a story.

After 32 years of service with MTA, Mechanic Gerald Clark, son of the late UTU General Chairman Earl Clark, has retired from San Gabriel Valley Division 9.



SGV Division 9 Maintenance Manager John McBryan, at right, congratulates the retiring Gerald Clark.

"I loved my job," says Clark, 51. "I've seen a lot of positive changes over the years and I am proud to have been a part of this company."

San Gabriel Valley Division 9 celebrated this bittersweet event with a party last Thursday. The Division 9 staff along with the ATU local 1277 President Neil Silver presented Clark with various gifts and memorabilia.

"The retirement party was more than I expected," says Clark.

During his retirement, Clark says he plans to stay involved with the community by working more closely with the Girl's Softball League. He says he would also love to be an umpire.

"I'm very proud to have known him and to be associated with him," says John McBryan, Division 9 maintenance manager. "We will certainly miss him."

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