



## Horace Riddick

December 20, 1934 - February 17, 2021

This is to certify that our brother, nephew, cousin, friend and Godfather, Horace Riddick, the first child born December 20th, 1934 to the Late Evelena Riddick Perry. The first grandchild of maternal grandparents, the late Charles Major Riddick and Mary Etta Gray Riddick. Horace attended Norfolk County Public Schools. He was an original lifelong member of Pleasant Grove Pentecostal Holiness Church and also shared his love and membership with Baptist Rock Baptist Church, both located in the City of Chesapeake, Virginia. Horace song of comfort was "On My Way Home". On Wednesday, February 17th, 2021 at 3:40 P.M., Horace finally completed his 86 years lifelong journey while a patient at Chesapeake Regional Hospital, entered the Pearlle Gates of Heaven where the Streets are paved with Gold, where he is absent from his body but his soul is present with the Lord.

Horace was employed by the International Longshoreman Association (ILA) Local 1458 and retired in 1992, after many years of service. Horace also worked various part time jobs, with employment ranging from the City of Norfolk Water Department, Security Guard with the Naval Hospital, Portsmouth, VA., and a Security Guard with the Norfolk Community Hospital, Norfolk, VA.

Horace leaves to cherish his memories, two brothers, Joseph Perry Jr., of Chesapeake, VA. Darnice Perry of Norfolk, VA. Brother-in-Law, Melvin Bell of Suffolk, VA. Three maternal aunts; Katie Baker, Eula Brooks and Syvella Riddick, all of Chesapeake, VA. A host of Godchildren to include

Goddaughters: Dorothy Smith (Archie), Susan Reid (Jason), Myra Rice, Gardeen Johnson, Eleanor Satterfield all of Chesapeake, VA., and Jeanice Cuffee Butler (Elliott), of Portsmouth, VA. A host of other family members, friends, church family and fellow Longshoremen.

Horace had no biological children but loved, cherished, and spoiled every one of his Goddaughter's children and their grandchildren and every great grandchild and called them all his grandchildren, great grandchildren and his Goddaughters, his daughters. We all loved him in return and treated him with great respect, love and admiration.

Horace was predeceased by his mother, Evelena Perry and Stepfather Joseph Perry Sr. Father, Willie Brown. Maternal Grandparents, Charles Major Riddick and Mary Etta Gray Riddick. Sisters; Eloise Perry and Portia Bell. Five Maternal Aunts; Martha Cherry, Mariah Riddick, Liza Riddick, Lillian Riddick and Beulah Riddick Rice. Three Maternal Uncles; Wright Riddick, Ivory Riddick and Joe Simon Riddick, Sr. Great Aunts; Willie Gray, Rosa Johnson, Pauline Johnson, Gladys Pace and Beulah Gray. Great Uncle, Calvin Gray.

# Cemetery Details

## Riddick Family Cemetery

3716 Douglas Road  
Chesapeake, VA

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB **23**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

J.T. Fisher Funeral Services  
1248 N. George Washington Hwy.  
Chesapeake, VA 23323  
(757) 487-3700  
info@jtfisherfuneralservices.com  
<https://www.jtfisherfuneralservices.com>

## Service

FEB **24**. 2:00 PM (ET)

J. T. Fisher Funeral Services Chapel  
1248 N. George Washington Hwy  
Chesapeake, VA

# Tribute Wall



“ *J.T. Fisher Funeral Services created a Webcast in memory of Horace Riddick*

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**J. T. Fisher Funeral Services** - February 24, 2021 at 12:58 PM

CR

“ *Courtney Rice lit a candle in memory of Horace Riddick*



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**Courtney Rice** - February 24, 2021 at 01:37 PM

EM

“ *Edward Morse lit a candle in memory of Horace Riddick*



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**Edward Morse** - February 24, 2021 at 11:12 AM

LM

“ *Lillian Morse lit a candle in memory of Horace Riddick*



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**Lillian Morse** - February 24, 2021 at 11:09 AM

MJ

“ *Sorry for our loss cuz will be truly miss love all my family. Matthew & Gloria Johnson*



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**Matthew & Gloria Johnson** - February 24, 2021 at 07:59 AM

EI

“ *Emily And Ivory lit a candle in memory of Horace Riddick*



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**Emily and Ivory** - February 24, 2021 at 03:40 AM

AE

“ *Angel Eason lit a candle in memory of Horace Riddick*



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**Angel Eason** - February 23, 2021 at 10:28 PM

RP

“ *Reshawn D. Parker lit a candle in memory of Horace Riddick*



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**Reshawn D. Parker** - February 23, 2021 at 10:04 PM

TB

“ *We love you Horace love from Ronald ,Crystal ,Natasha ,Tangee Tarriann*



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**Tarry Bright** - February 23, 2021 at 08:27 PM

LR

“ *Laviere Rice lit a candle in memory of Horace Riddick*



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**Laviere Rice** - February 23, 2021 at 04:34 PM

MB

“ *Michael Edward Brown lit a candle in memory of Horace Riddick*



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**michael edward brown** - February 23, 2021 at 12:43 PM

GJ

“ I know God makes no mistake I love you and miss you so much



Gardeen Johnson - February 23, 2021 at 08:49 AM

SS

“ Sherry Smith lit a candle in memory of Horace Riddick



Sherry Smith - February 23, 2021 at 08:46 AM

RJ

“ Sending our love ,hugs and prayers to my family. Brother Horace will surely be missed"...absent from the body but present with the Lord..2nd.Corinthians 5:8  
With our sympathy,  
Rev.Lillie M.Gray and Calvin Gray Jr.



Rev. Lille M.Gray and Calvin Gray Jr. - February 22, 2021 at 09:53 PM

TT

“ Our deepest sympathy to the family.Bro. Horace was truly an incredible man of God ,always willing to sing God's praises.  
With our condolences,  
Henry,Thelma Rawls and Family



Thelma T.Rawls - February 22, 2021 at 09:34 PM



“ 64 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



**J. T. Fisher Funeral Services** - February 22, 2021 at 02:57 PM



“ *Tara Johnson-Porter lit a candle in memory of Horace Riddick*



**Tara Johnson-Porter** - February 22, 2021 at 03:51 AM



“ *One of Horace favorite songs was “On My Way Home” He’d praise the Lord through song. We love & miss you but God has fixed it like He said he would. Absent from this body and present with the Lord. You’ll always be in our hearts. Offering prayers and condolences on behalf of the Eason Family*

**Desi** - February 19, 2021 at 06:23 PM