



Jack Walker, Jr.

September 10, 1940 - April 19, 2026

Jack Walker, Jr. entered eternal rest to be with the Lord on Sunday, April 19, 2026. Jack was born on September 10, 1940, to the late Jack Walker and Elizabeth Gaskins, in New Orleans, Louisiana. Jack was raised by his late uncle and aunt, Oliver and Letitia Hadley whom he loved dearly.

Jack was educated in the New Orleans Public School System and graduated with the Class of 1958 from Booker T. Washington High School “The Lions”. Upon Graduation he enlisted in the United States Navy where he proudly served for twenty-one years.

After retirement from the Navy, Jack was employed with Combat Systems, at the Norfolk Naval Shipyard where he worked for twenty-eight years as an Engineering Technician. Prior to his illness, Jack attended Bethel Baptist Church in Norfolk, Virginia under the spiritual guidance of Pastor Joseph G. Casper, Jr.

“Walker” as many knew him, was not one to be idle. He did volunteer work at the food bank, worked on cars, and computers. If he didn’t know something he would get a book and study a particular subject to get the job done. Always searching for more knowledge he attended various trade schools, including Tidewater Tech. He was always around making time to assist and help others.

He was preceded in death by his sister Patricia LaRoche and the loving uncle to the late Juan Parker, Cheri Parker and Kermit Wheeler.

Jack is survived by his wife Sandra Nicholson, a son Jack Nicholson, one granddaughter, and a great grandson.

He is also survived by two nieces, Karen Parker of Norfolk, VA, and Ashanti LaRoche of New Orleans, LA, great nieces and nephews, great-great nieces and nephews and other extended family members.

Also, those left to cherish fond memories are his 1958 Classmates of Booker T. Washington High School in New Orleans, military buddies, NNSY former co-workers and friends, whom he built relationships with for over 50 years, and his Doummar Drive family whom he loved and spoke of fondly as family members.

Cemetery Details

Albert G Horton Jr. Veterans Memorial Cemetery

5310 Milner's Road
Suffolk, VA

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 27. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

J.T. Fisher Funeral Services
1248 N. George Washington Hwy.
Chesapeake, VA 23323
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Service

APR 28. 11:00 AM (ET)

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

Tribute Wall

TB

“ *My Deepest Condolences to Ms Karen & your Family on the loss of Uncle Jack. My Prayers are with you All AIWays, BleSSings upon BleSSings.*
Sincerly,
Tajma



Tajma R Boykin - May 10 at 08:41 PM

AC

“ *Jack and I worked through several gun mount and missile launcher overhauls together back in the 80s. He always had a quick wit, a ready smile, and a friendly spirit that helped make those endless 12 hour days bearable. He was a great workmate who always came through on his part. We had reconnected at a Christmas dinner a couple of years ago and it was wonderful to see him. In typical Jack fashion, he paid for my dinner before I could even object. Save me a seat, ole friend! Rest in peace, sir. Sincerely and very respectfully,*
Andy Cain

Andy Cain - April 29 at 08:54 AM



“ 29 files added to the album Life Tributes



J. T. Fisher Funeral Services - April 27 at 09:03 AM



“ My deepest condolences, Mrs. Sandra, on the loss of your husband. Please remember that God knows best, and you are in my thoughts during this difficult time. May you find comfort in knowing that you have an angel watching over you always.

Kellie Phillips - April 27 at 08:49 AM



“ Uncle Jack, you will truly be missed. And you will forever be in my thoughts and memories. You had such a giving spirit and always put everyone before yourself. I really enjoyed spending time with you and Mrs. Sandra on your last visit to New Orleans. Kerry and I will miss our conversations with you and will cherish your memories forever. Your niece Sherrill.



Sherrill Wheeler - April 25 at 11:01 PM

DW

“ Uncle Jack, my sister Sherrill Love You So Much for Always showing LOVE to her, Kermit & Kerry. Now You will get to see Kermit at the Pearly Gates of Heaven waiting to welcome You, ❤️ 🙏!
Thank You So Much for Always ordering Pralines every time you came and even having me to ship them to you, Grateful! Rest on Uncle Jack, ❤️ 🙏!

Darlene Wheeler - April 24 at 01:54 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jack Walker, Jr..



April 24 at 10:08 AM

UN

“ Uncle Jack, First I strongly pray you watch over your nieces as they grieve and carry this loss with us. The pain is heavy, but so is the love you left behind. We will always cherish the time we shared with you, especially during the holidays.



You were a man full of wisdom, you were very calculated, the most intelligent man I knew. You always having something meaningful to say, but never without that signature humor that could light up a room (that being if you were fast enough to catch it) That balance of insight and laughter is something I'll never forget. Growing up, your home was my second home away. There was something comforting about how it never changed, how it always felt the same from when I was a little girl. It held memories, warmth, and a sense of belonging that I'll always yearn to surround myself with. As the years go on, I'll hold onto those memories tightly. I'll remember your voice, your presence, your grace. Saying goodbye doesn't feel real, yet. I don't want this to be true, but I know your impact will continue to live through all of us who truly and unconditionally loved you.

I only hope that everything being said and done now reflects the kind of man you truly were a man of integrity, love for his family, and fairness. You deserved peace, and I pray that truth and justice follow in your name.

Tell your sister hello for me. And tell her to stop bringing those plants back. □

Unique - April 23 at 09:57 PM

AS

“ I can't fathom the thought of you not being here Uncle Jack. You were the best uncle, godfather, and mentor anyone could have ever dreamed of having. You were kind, compassionate, loving, and believed that people could change and improve themselves and their character. You were a critical thinking, an analyzer, a philosopher of sorts. You taught me so much about life and people and I'll cherish these things as long as I live. The love you had for us was unwavering. You grieved the loss of your sister, then the loss of the love of your life. I never would imagine in less than two years of losing aunt Mae you would be gone. There's just so much that weighs heavy on my mind and heart. I could always pick up the phone and talk to you, for hours , no matter what time of day or night. The impact you had on others could never be duplicated. I've always told you how much I appreciate you and I'm grateful God allowed us to forge a relationship like no other. SO MUCH UNCLE JACK. I just have no words, just a heavy heart. I'm glad you and your favorite girls are together again. The neighbors going to miss those winter food hauls and I'm going miss preparing them for you!!
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Ashanti - April 23 at 08:32 PM

SN

“ Jack I thank God for allowing us to reconnect and for you loving me. Your sweet memories will always be with me. I will cherish our time together and the laughter and joy we shared. Until we meet again
Your loving wife
Sandra

sandra nicholson - April 23 at 03:14 AM

RJ

Thank You For Being My Friend .You have been a Naval Military Mentor, who inspired me.

Raymond Thomas Jones - April 24 at 02:38 PM

EF

Thanks for being a life long friend to me and my family

The Eubankses

Eubanks Family - April 25 at 06:41 PM

CW

My heart is heavy with pain and a feeling of loss. Our friendship began in New Orleans as youngsters at Ebenezer Baptist and life careers, and distance separated us but true friendship never wavered or lost its strength. We always kept in touch and I'll miss the laughter. I think not of what I've lost, but what I had... a forever friend. I cherished our friendship in life and give thanks for you .. even in death! R I P my friend!! 🙏🎵❤️

Colleen Wright - April 26 at 05:52 PM

HL

“ *Blessings and mercy, and our prayers and condolences to the family of Jack Walker, Jr for your loss...Rev.Howard Earl LeMelle & Family.*

Howard LeMelle - April 23 at 12:28 AM