



Jimmy Leon Woodard

June 12, 1959 - February 26, 2025

Jimmy Leon Woodard transitioned from his earthly life to his heavenly home on February 26, 2025, unexpectedly at his residence in Portsmouth, Virginia.

Jimmy was the oldest son born on June 12, 1959, at Walter Reed Hospital in Washington DC., to Edward Lee Woodard and Savannah Woodard

Jimmy was educated in the Suffolk public school and graduated from John Yeates High School in 1978. After High School he enlisted in the United States Army and served from 1981-to 1986 and discharged Honorably. Jimmy was able to travel extensively while in service with his family. At one point he was stationed in Germany.

Returning to the States after the military, he worked for Smithfield Packing Plant as a Supervisor until his retirement.

Jimmy had a deep appreciation for music and fashion. He had a unique style and wasn't afraid to show it. On any given day he would be dressed to perfection with a top hat and cane. He was affectionately called "Jimmy Young" for his demeanor and personality. Jimmy loved antiques, he collected coins, watches and fine jewelry. In his later years Jimmy was calm, peaceful and loved living his life. He enjoyed talking with his younger brother Greg. They were two peas in a pod and loved to talk music, movies, and family.

Jimmy was preceded in death by his devoted fiancée Rita Renee Ross.

He leaves to cherish his precious memories, his loving daughters Tinika, Keisha, and Nicole Woodard of Virginia, Alesia Ross of Portsmouth, son Kendell Ross, three grandsons, Zayvion, Chance and Kyler.

His father Edward Woodard of Springfield, VA mother Savannah Woodard of Suffolk VA. One brother Gregory Woodard (Cathy) of Mechanicsville, VA and a host of devoted aunts, uncles, cousins, nieces, nephews and other relatives and friends.

We thank God for his life and the time we shared with him.

He will truly be missed!

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 13. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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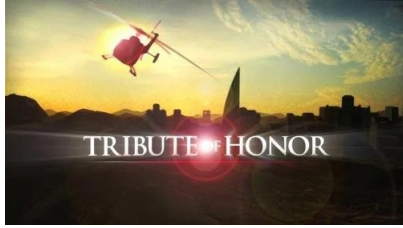
MAR 13. 12:00 PM (ET)

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

Tribute Wall



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