



Lawrence Irvin Sr.

September 4, 1945 - September 12, 2018

Lawrence E. Irvin, 73, transitioned peacefully to his final resting place on September 12, 2018 at his home in Portsmouth, Virginia. He was born on September 4, 1945 to Elijah Walker & Evelyn Irvin in Bronx, New York. Those who knew and loved him often referred to him as, Law, Chief, Law Man, Black Jesus, and Pops. He was a 1963 graduate of Norcom High School. After graduating from Norcom, Lawrence enrolled at Norfolk State University. In 1965, Lawrence decided to serve his country and joined the United States Air Force. On June 20, 1966 he married the love of his life Betty A. Irvin. They were a dynamic duo and exemplified the true definition of marriage. Lawrence and Betty were married fifty loving years. Three children were born in this union.

Lawrence completed a term in the United States Air Force. For his service, he received an Honorable Discharge. His next stop in life would land him a job with Eastern Roofing. He worked several years with Eastern Roofing. After his tenure with the Air Force and Eastern Roofing, Lawrence began his civilian career with the Naval Air Station Oceana Fire Department. Twenty-two years later, he would retire with the rank of Captain.

“Law” was quick witted, a gadget junkie, avid bowler, and most importantly the number one fan of his beloved Dallas Cowboys. Lawrence also knew his way around in the kitchen. He could put it down in the kitchen and on occasion, he would “out cook” Betty and make the best three layer cakes and chili known to mankind. He was predeceased by his parents, wife Betty, and brother Jerome.

He will be sorely missed.

His memory and legacy will live on through his three children, Lawrence E. Irvin, Jr., Vieira A. Weathers (Nathaniel), and Cedric L. Irvin, six grandchildren Courtney, Lauren, Nathaniel III, Ndyah, Asia, Alexis, four great-grandchildren Carter, Corey, Cody, and Aiden, a devoted niece Wilhemenia "Feenie" Seward, close friends Reginald & Evelyn Davis, Richard "J.J." & Theresa Johnson and a host of other loving relatives and friends.

Cemetery Details

Albert G Horton Jr. Veterans Memorial Cemetery

5310 Milner's Road
Suffolk, VA

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 20. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

J.T. Fisher Funeral Services
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Service

SEP 21. 1:00 PM (ET)

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

Tribute Wall



“ *J.T. Fisher Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Lawrence Irvin Sr.*



J. T. Fisher Funeral Services - September 20, 2018 at 03:28 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Lawrence Irvin Sr..*



September 20, 2018 at 03:20 PM



“ *Rest In Peace*



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“ Wanda Byrd lit a candle in memory of Lawrence Irvin Sr.



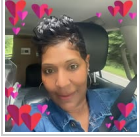
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“ Missing you.... Rest easy Law!!



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