



Lionel Trotter

May 16, 1955 - October 30, 2013

Our Lord and Savior called Lionel "Skit" Trotter home to join Him on October 30, 2013 after battling a long illness with diabetes and heart trouble, He was surrounded by his family. Lionel was born in Portsmouth, VA on May 16, 1956. Lionel was affectionately known by many names: Pig, Skit, Rerun, Big Boy & Arnold, because of his jokingly, humble, loving, and affectionate spirit, He would do anything for his family and friends. He was highly thought of by many friends. Everyone who knew him enjoyed his company especially while playing cards, one of his favorite past times. He was a bid wiz and spades master. His favorite NFL team was the Pittsburg Steelers, which he talked about the "black and yellow" team every chance he got.

Lionel attended Southwestern Elementary, Churchland Middle School, and later received a certification in a skill trade course from S.H. Clarke Trade School in

Portsmouth, VA. He was employed by Smithfield Packing Company in Smithfield, VA for 17 years then lastly employed by Mosquito Control in Chesapeake, VA for 10 years until his illness.

Lionel leaves to cherish his memories, his loving mother, Olivia Trotter, sisters Mary Carol Langston of Portsmouth, VA, Olivia Trotter II of Suffolk, VA, Gloria Jean Drake (Paul) of Plano, TX, Audrey Harris of Suffolk, VA, Cynthia Lawton, OK, brothers William Trotter of Chesapeake, VA, Cleatis Trotter (Valerie) of Hephzibah, GA and loyal best friends whom he also considered brothers, William Michael Terrell Sr. (Yvette) Chesapeake, VA who he affectionately

called "Joe Red" and Lonzia Cameron who he called "Bo." Two God children who he adored and loved dearly Kizzy Butler and William Michael Terrell Jr. whom Lionel called "Mike Mike" and a host of aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins, great nieces and great nephews. He is predeceased by his father Collin Trotter, brothers, Collin Trotter Jr., Collin Branch, Marcell Thomas, and nephew Deon "Professor" Jordan.

Cemetery Details

Pentecostal Holiness Church Cemetery

Portsmouth, VA

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 6. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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

NOV 7. 11:00 AM (ET)

Grove Church
5910 West Norfolk Road
Portsmouth, VA

Tribute Wall



“ J.T. Fisher Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Lionel Trotter



J. T. Fisher Funeral Services - October 30, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ Merita Brinkley lit a candle in memory of Lionel Trotter



Merita Brinkley - November 13, 2013 at 02:05 PM

TW

“ Tyrone Mouzon/ And Cheryl Washington lit a candle in memory of Lionel Trotter



Tyrone Mouzon/ and Cheryl Washington - November 07, 2013 at 03:44 PM

TF

“ My family & I were saddened to hear of Lionel's (Skit) passing. He was a great person with an infectious sense of humor. He will be missed, but I know that he & my dad (Bloodeye/Toy) are crabbing already. I pray God's comfort and understanding for your family.

The Holley Family - November 06, 2013 at 07:22 PM

PF

“ Pittman Family lit a candle in memory of Lionel Trotter



Pittman Family - November 06, 2013 at 06:08 PM

RH

“ I am truly sorry for your loss. Pig has always had a lovely spirit. If he knew you he would always acknowledge that fact. I send my love and condolences to the Trotter family. To Ms. Oliver, I love you always and forever!

Robin Holt

Robin Holt - November 06, 2013 at 03:14 PM

CD

“ My condolences to the family. Love you. R.I.P. cuz. GOD bless you all. Cheryl Davis-Elliott

Cheryl Davis-Elliott - November 06, 2013 at 02:19 PM

MB

“ *Maria Bailey lit a candle in memory of Lionel Trotter*



maria bailey - November 06, 2013 at 09:59 AM

DA

“ *Rest in paradise uncle "Pig". Tell grandad and Deon I said hello; we shall reunite in due time. Don't worry about us down here as we are trying to get where you have gone. Talk to you later....*

Danita

Danita - November 05, 2013 at 11:20 PM

LH

“ *Sending my condolences to the Trotter family.... To Olivia, I am so, so sorry for the passing of your dear son, my buddy (pig). (tears)*



Laverne Howard - November 04, 2013 at 11:33 PM

RB

“ *MY FRIEND LIONEL(PIG) WILL TRUELY BE MISSED.MY THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS GOES OUT TO THE TROTTER FAMILY.GOD BLESS*

Retina Bowser - November 04, 2013 at 01:23 PM

JH

“ To my Family- Our greatest comfort in sorrow is to know that God is in control. When we sustain a heartbreaking loss and when grief overwhelms our soul, The Savior who gave Himself on the cross reminds us that He's in control.



Love, Juanita Harris-Jones

Juanita Harris-Jones - November 04, 2013 at 08:09 AM

 Maranatha Lesoine

“ My condolences on his passing ,to all of you,I counted him as a friend all those years in Old Churchland while raising the babies. We will all miss Lionel(Big Pig) Trotter. With love, Mary(Ray) and family.

Maranatha Lesoine - November 02, 2013 at 11:53 AM

RM

“ To The Trotter Family; may the sorrow you feel in your heart lighten by the love that surrounds you? My prayers and thoughts are with your family during this difficult time. From Elder Rita Miles (PHCC)



Rita Miles - November 01, 2013 at 01:07 PM

TF

My prayers and thoughts goes out to the Trotter Family

The Bowser Family - November 04, 2013 at 01:18 PM

GW

Death is Nothing at All

*Death is nothing at all.
I have only slipped away to the next room.
I am I and you are you.
Whatever we were to each other,
That, we still are.*

*Call me by my old familiar name.
Speak to me in the easy way
which you always used.
Put no difference into your tone.
Wear no forced air of solemnity or sorrow.*

*Laugh as we always laughed
at the little jokes we enjoyed together.
Play, smile, think of me. Pray for me.
Let my name be ever the household word
that it always was.
Let it be spoken without effect.
Without the trace of a shadow on it.*

*Life means all that it ever meant.
It is the same that it ever was.
There is absolute unbroken continuity.
Why should I be out of mind
because I am out of sight?*

*I am but waiting for you.
For an interval.
Somewhere. Very near.
Just around the corner.*

All is well.

*Henry Scott Holland
I'm going miss you my dear friend rest in heavenly peace.
The Winstead family*

Glinda Winstead - November 12, 2013 at 09:13 AM